

**SENATE BILL NO. 2092**

Introduced by

Political Subdivisions Committee

(At the request of the Public Service Commission)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-07-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to violations of statutes, orders, or rules governing auctioneers and auction clerks; and  
3 to provide a penalty.

4 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 49-07-01.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
6 amended and reenacted as follows:

7 **49-07-01.1. Violation of statute, commission order, or commission rule -**

8 **Assessment of civil penalty.** Any person who violates any statute, commission order, or  
9 commission rule which applies to matters within the authority of the commission under chapters  
10 8-08, 8-09, 8-10, 24-09, ~~and~~ 32-25, and 51-05.1, titles 60 and 64, and title 49 except for chapter  
11 49-22, shall, in addition to any other penalty provided, be subject to a civil penalty of not to  
12 exceed five thousand dollars. The civil penalty may be compromised by the commission. The  
13 amount of the penalty when finally determined or agreed upon in compromise, if not paid, may  
14 be recovered in a civil action in the courts of this state.