Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## SENATE BILL NO. 2152

Introduced by

Senators Nething, J. Lee, Warner

Representatives Pietsch, Price

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 43-28.1-03 of the North
- 2 Dakota Century Code, relating to selection criteria and eligibility for loan repayment by dentists.

## 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

- 4 **SECTION 1.** Two new subsections to section 43-28.1-03 of the North Dakota Century
- 5 Code are created and enacted as follows:
- 6 The state health council may not select a dentist to receive loan payment funds
- 7 <u>under this chapter if the dentist practices within fifteen miles [24.14 kilometers] of</u>
- 8 the exterior boundaries of Fargo, Bismarck, or Grand Forks.
- 9 In order to be eligible to receive a yearly disbursement under this chapter, a dentist
- 10 must have received medical assistance reimbursement of no less than twelve
- 11 thousand dollars of dental medical payments during the year.