

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184

Introduced by

Representatives Louser, Bellew, Brabandt, Hofstad

Senator Burckhard

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 57-38 and a new subdivision to
2 subsection 7 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to an income tax
3 credit for flood recovery impact for individuals who were flooded out of their homes by the 2011
4 flood disaster; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 57-38 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
7 and enacted as follows:

8 **Homeowner flood impact recovery credit.**

9 A qualified homeowner is entitled to a credit against the tax imposed under section
10 57-38-30.3 in the amount of the individual's, or the individuals' if filing a joint return, liability
11 under section 57-38-30.3 for taxable years 2011 and 2012. The unused portion of a credit under
12 this section may be carried forward for up to five taxable years.

13 For purposes of this section, "qualified homeowner" means an individual, or married
14 individuals filing a joint return, whose primary residence in 2011 was in an area in this state in
15 which federal emergency management agency individual assistance was made available to
16 homeowners after a presidentially declared disaster in this state as a result of a flood event
17 occurring in 2011, who were forced to evacuate that primary residence and that primary
18 residence was inundated by floodwater, and who has rehabilitated and reoccupied that structure
19 as a primary residence.

20 **SECTION 2.** A new subdivision to subsection 7 of section 57-38-30.3 of the North Dakota
21 Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

22 Homeowner flood impact recovery credit under section 1 of this Act.

23 **SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE - EXPIRATION DATE.** This Act is effective for the first six
24 taxable years beginning after December 31, 2012, and is thereafter ineffective.