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SECOND ENGROSSMENT with House Amendments REENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2146

Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

Introduced by

Senators Krebsbach, Grindberg, Hogue, O'Connell

Representatives Belter, Kempenich

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 4-01 of the North Dakota Century
- 2 Code, relating to the grape and wine advisory committee; and to provide an appropriation.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 4-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
- 5 and enacted as follows:
- 6 **Grape and wine advisory committee Membership.**
- The agriculture commissioner shall appoint a grape and wine advisory committee. The
- 8 committee must include:
- 9 <u>1. Two individuals who are grape producers:</u>
- 10 2. One individual who is the producer of a fruit, other than grapes, used in vinification;
- 11 <u>3. Two individuals who own wineries located in this state; and</u>
- 12 <u>4. One representative of the North Dakota grape and wine association.</u>
- 13 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general
- fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$80,000, or so much of the
- 15 sum as may be necessary, to the agriculture commissioner for the purpose of awarding grape
- and wine industry grants, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015.
- 17 Grants awarded under this section must be used to provide research in support of or to promote
- 18 the grape and wine industry in this state. The commissioner shall consult with the grape and
- wine advisory committee before selecting the grant recipients.