FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1393

Introduced by

Representatives Becker, Porter, Weisz

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-08-09 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to motor vehicle accident reporting.

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

4 SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 39-08-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is

5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-08-09.** Immediate notice of accident - Penalty.

- 7 The driver of a vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury to or death of any-1. 8 personan individual, or property damage to an apparent extent of at least onethree 9 thousand dollars, shall immediately give notice of the accident to the local police 10 department if the accident occurs within a municipality, otherwise to the office of the 11 county sheriff or the state highway patrol. Any personAn individual who violates this 12 section must be assessed a fine of fifty dollars. The name of the motor vehicle 13 insurance policy carrier and the policy number of the driver, or if the driver is not the 14 owner of the vehicle, then the motor vehicle insurance policy carrier and the policy 15 number of the owner of the vehicle, must be furnished to the law enforcement officer 16 investigating the accident. If the driver does not have the required information 17 concerning insurance to furnish to the investigating law enforcement officer, then 18 within five days of the accident the driver shall supply that information to the driver's 19 license division in the form the division requires.
- 20 <u>2.</u> The director may suspend the license or permit to drive and any nonresident operating
 21 privileges of any person an individual failing to comply with the duties as provided in
 22 sections 39-08-06 through 39-08-09 until those duties have been fulfilled, and the
 23 director may extend the suspension not to exceed thirty days.

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