Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 8, 2013

SENATE BILL NO. 2076
(Judiciary Committee)
(At the request of the Supreme Court)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 4 of chapter 261 of the 2009 Session Laws, relating to judgeships created in 2010.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 4 of chapter 261 of the 2009 Session Laws is amended and reenacted as follows:

> **SECTION 4. DISTRICT JUDGES.** The appropriation provided in section 1 of this Act provides for two additional district court judges to be assigned pursuant to section 10 of article VI of the Constitution of North Dakota in the northwest and southeast judicial districts, and to be assigned to chambers by the supreme court. Within thirty days after January 1, 2010, the judgeship vacancies created by this section shall be filled in accordance with section 13 of article VI of the Constitution of North Dakota. In accordance with sections 9 and 13 of article VI of the Constitution of North Dakota, each judge appointed to fill a vacancy created by this section continues in the office until the next general election following appointment and if elected holds office for the remainder of the term and until a successor is elected and duly qualified.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2076.

Senate Vote: Yeas 47   Nays 0   Absent 0

House Vote: Yeas 91   Nays 0   Absent 3

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Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____M. on _____, 2013.

Approved at _____M. on _____, 2013.

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Governor

Filed in this office this _____day of _____, 2013,

at _____ o'clock _____M.

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Secretary of State