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1 A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of the state's health care
2 delivery system.

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

4 **SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - HEALTH CARE DELIVERY**
5 **SYSTEM.**

6 1. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider continuing its
7 ongoing study of the needs and challenges of the North Dakota health care delivery
8 system. The study may include:

- 9 a. Monitoring the implementation of the federal Affordable Care Act;
- 10 b. Examining medicaid expansion and medicaid reform;
- 11 c. Considering the feasibility of developing a state-based plan for a health care
12 model that will comply with the federal Affordable Care Act in a manner that will
13 provide high-quality access and affordable care for North Dakota citizens;
- 14 d. Considering changing from a federally facilitated marketplace to a state-based or
15 state partnership marketplace;
- 16 e. Considering the feasibility of coordinating with neighboring states to create a
17 regional marketplace; and
- 18 f. Considering the feasibility of offering to the public via the marketplace a qualified
19 public employees retirement system uniform group health plan.
- 20 2. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together
21 with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth
22 legislative assembly.