

**Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 6, 2015**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1215
(Representatives Owens, Dockter, Haak, Sanford, Silbernagel, Trottier, Weisz)
(Senators Armstrong, J. Lee, Poolman, Rust, Sorvaag)

AN ACT to provide for a legislative management study of individual income tax credits available for qualified care expenses paid for the care of a qualifying family member.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - TAX CREDIT FOR CARE OF FAMILY MEMBER. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying individual income tax credits available for qualified care expenses paid for the care of a qualifying family member. The study, if conducted, must determine whether the credit provides adequate incentives for individuals to provide care for those who cannot care for their own needs and the degree that care provided by individuals reduces the cost of state and local funding for care services. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1215.

House Vote: Yeas 77 Nays 12 Absent 5

Senate Vote: Yeas 46 Nays 0 Absent 1

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2015.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2015.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2015,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State