

HOUSE BILL NO. 1304

Introduced by

Representatives K. Koppelman, Brabandt, Klemin, Olson, Paur

Senator Armstrong

1 A BILL for an Act create and enact a new section to chapter 12.1-01, a new section to chapter
2 14-10, and a new section to chapter 27-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the
3 presumption of an individual's legal date of birth.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 12.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
6 and enacted as follows:

7 **Presumption of age.**

8 In determining an individual's age for purposes of this title, the individual's date of birth as
9 provided by the United States government or a state government in the form of a birth
10 certificate, entry document, or state-issued identification is presumed to be the individual's legal
11 date of birth. This presumption may be rebutted by clear and convincing evidence to the
12 contrary.

13 **SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 14-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
14 and enacted as follows:

15 **Presumption of age.**

16 In determining an individual's age for purposes of this chapter, the individual's date of birth
17 as provided by the United States government or a state government in the form of a birth
18 certificate, entry document, or state-issued identification is presumed to be the individual's legal
19 date of birth. This presumption may be rebutted by clear and convincing evidence to the
20 contrary.

21 **SECTION 3.** A new section to chapter 27-20 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
22 and enacted as follows:

23 **Presumption of age.**

1 In determining an individual's age for purposes of this chapter, the individual's date of birth
2 as provided by the United States government or a state government in the form of a birth
3 certificate, entry document, or state-issued identification is presumed to be the individual's legal
4 date of birth. This presumption may be rebutted by clear and convincing evidence to the
5 contrary.