FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1215

Introduced by

Representatives Owens, Dockter, Haak, Sanford, Silbernagel, Trottier, Weisz Senators Armstrong, J. Lee, Poolman, Rust, Sorvaag

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of individual income tax credits
- 2 available for qualified care expenses paid for the care of a qualifying family member.

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

4 SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - TAX CREDIT FOR CARE OF

- 5 **FAMILY MEMBER.** During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider
- 6 studying individual income tax credits available for qualified care expenses paid for the care of a
- 7 qualifying family member. The study, if conducted, must determine whether the credit provides
- 8 adequate incentives for individuals to provide care for those who cannot care for their own
- 9 needs and the degree that care provided by individuals reduces the cost of state and local
- 10 funding for care services. The legislative management shall report its findings and
- 11 recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to
- 12 the sixty-fifth legislative assembly.