## FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2288**

Introduced by

Senators Schaible, Heckaman, Rust

Representatives Brandenburg, B. Koppelman, Weisz

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 6-09 of the North Dakota Century
- 2 Code, relating to the development and implementation of a gap scholarship program.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is created

5 and enacted as follows:

## 6 **Gap scholarship program - Development and implementation.**

- 7 <u>1.</u> <u>The Bank of North Dakota shall adopt rules to develop, implement, promote, and</u>
- 8 administer a North Dakota gap scholarship program in conjunction with the North

9 <u>Dakota university system.</u>

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   2. a.
   The gap scholarship program must make available nonrepayable scholarships to

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   residents of this state attending accredited institutions of higher education in this

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   state.
- 13b.The scholarships must be designed to supplement any other financial aid14received by a student, in order to assist the student in meeting attendance costs.