

## CHAPTER 8-07-05 PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

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### **8-07-05-01. Responsible control required.**

Each office maintained for the preparation of drawings, specifications, reports, or other professional work shall have an architect or landscape architect resident and regularly employed in that office having responsible control of such work.

**History:** Effective February 1, 2005.

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**Law Implemented:** NDCC 43-03-08

### **8-07-05-02. Sign or seal on documents.**

An architect or landscape architect shall not sign or seal drawings, specifications, reports, or other professional work for which the person does not have responsible control; provided, however, that in the case of the portions of such professional work prepared by the architect's or landscape architect's consultants, registered under this or another professional registration law of this jurisdiction, the architect or landscape architect may sign or seal that portion of the professional work if the architect or landscape architect has reviewed such portion, has coordinated its preparation, and intends to be responsible for its adequacy. Signature and seal requirements must be prepared as outlined in sections 8-06-01-02 and 8-06-01-03.

**History:** Effective February 1, 2005; amended effective January 1, 2014.

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### **8-07-05-03. Gifts to influence clients prohibited.**

An architect or landscape architect shall neither offer nor make any gifts, other than gifts of nominal value including, for example, reasonable entertainment and hospitality, with the intent of influencing the judgment of an existing or prospective client in connection with a project in which the architect or landscape architect is interested.

**History:** Effective February 1, 2005.

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### **8-07-05-04. Fraud.**

An architect or landscape architect shall not engage in conduct involving fraud or wanton disregard of the rights of others.

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