Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053

Introduced by

Legislative Management

(Workers' Compensation Review Committee)

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 65-02 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to transparency of medical providers' professional relationships with
- 3 workforce safety and insurance.

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

5 SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 65-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
6 and enacted as follows:

7 Organization's professional relationships with medical providers - Notice to injured

8 employees.

- 9 If the organization enters a professional relationship with a medical provider, a term of that
- 10 relationship is that at the time of treatment of a patient who is an injured employee the medical
- 11 provider has an obligation to inform that patient that the medical provider has a professional
- 12 <u>relationship with the organization.</u>