Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2204

Introduced by

Senators Hogue, Armstrong, Nelson

Representatives Klemin, Larson, Wallman

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 12.1-08-03 of the North
- 2 Dakota Century Code, relating to the jurisdiction and venue of the crime of hindering law
- 3 enforcement.

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

5 SECTION 1. A new subsection to section 12.1-08-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is

6 created and enacted as follows:

- 7 <u>A person who commits the crime of hindering law enforcement is subject to</u>
- 8 prosecution in this state if the conduct interferes with or hinders an investigation of a
- 9 <u>crime occurring within this state. The venue of a criminal action involving the crime of</u>
- 10 <u>hindering law enforcement is in any county in which the conduct of hindering is</u>
- 11 <u>committed or in any county in which a criminal offense is being investigated which is</u>
- 12 <u>hindered by the false information or other interfering conduct.</u>