

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1197**

Introduced by

Representative Keiser

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-07 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to autonomous vehicle data ownership.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 51-07 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Autonomous vehicle data - Exceptions.**

- 7 1. The owner of an autonomous vehicle owns any data or information stored by the  
8 autonomous vehicle or gathered by the use of the autonomous vehicle. For purposes  
9 of this section "autonomous vehicle" means a motor vehicle using autonomous  
10 technology, as a means to eliminate the human operator.
- 11 2. A manufacturer, insurer, or seller of autonomous vehicles or autonomous vehicular  
12 technology may share, release, or distribute nonidentifying aggregate vehicle data  
13 collected and stored by the autonomous vehicle. For purposes of this subsection  
14 "nonidentifying" means nonpersonalized information or data about the owner, operator,  
15 or the autonomous vehicle.
- 16 3. A manufacturer, insurer, or seller of autonomous vehicles or autonomous vehicular  
17 technology may share, release, or distribute identifying or personalized information or  
18 data collected and stored by the autonomous vehicle, with the consent of the owner of  
19 the autonomous vehicle or by order of a court.