

Introduced by

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1 A concurrent resolution declaring Monday, February 14, 2011, "North Dakota Close-Up Day".

2 **WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program is designed to ignite interest in the
3 democratic process and instill in young people the desire to become active participants in their
4 government; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program concentrates on the functions and
6 structures of state government and defines constitutional responsibilities assigned to each of
7 the three branches of government; and

8 **WHEREAS**, the focus of the 2011 North Dakota Close-Up program is the legislative branch
9 of government; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the North Dakota Close-Up program has been in existence for twenty-six
11 years; and

12 **WHEREAS**, it is anticipated that approximately 100 North Dakota high school students will
13 participate in the 2011 North Dakota Close-Up program;

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF**
15 **NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:**

16 That the Sixty-second Legislative Assembly declares Monday, February 14, 2011, "North
17 Dakota Close-Up Day"; and

18 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution
19 to the North Dakota Council of Educational Leaders.