

**Sixty-second Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 4, 2011**

SENATE BILL NO. 2139
(Senators Lyson, Grindberg)
(Representatives Kasper, Kempenich, Ruby)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 11-15-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to sheriff's fees.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 11-15-14 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

11-15-14. Sheriff's fees collectible in advance - Report of fees - Mileage in criminal cases.

In civil actions, the sheriff shall collect the sheriff's fees in advance. Upon a request for cancellation of a civil action, the sheriff may retain up to twenty dollars of the collected fee. At the expiration of each month, the sheriff shall make a report, verified by the sheriff's affidavit, to the board of county commissioners showing all fees earned and collected during ~~such~~that month and shall ~~turn over~~such~~transfer those~~ fees to the county treasurer. The sheriff shall ~~keep~~maintain a complete record of all fees due to the sheriff's office for services rendered in criminal actions and shall file the sheriff's itemized statement for mileage in connection with criminal cases with the county auditor at the expiration of each month. Claims for mileage in criminal cases shall be audited by the board of county commissioners and paid by the county.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Sixty-second Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2139.

Senate Vote: Yeas 43 Nays 0 Absent 4

House Vote: Yeas 89 Nays 1 Absent 4

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2011.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2011.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2011,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State