

**Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021**

SENATE BILL NO. 2148
(Senators Burckhard, Bekkedahl, Oban)
(Representatives D. Anderson, Dobervich, Paur)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 21 of section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to defining health care provider to include a physical therapist.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 21 of section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

21. "Health care provider" means a doctor of medicine or osteopathy, chiropractor, dentist, optometrist, podiatrist, or psychologist acting within the scope of the doctor's license, ~~or a physical therapist,~~ an advanced practice registered nurse, or a certified physician assistant.

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-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2148.

Senate Vote: Yeas 47 Nays 0 Absent 0

House Vote: Yeas 90 Nays 1 Absent 3

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2021.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2021.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2021,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State