

**Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota  
In Regular Session Commencing Wednesday, January 3, 2007**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1157  
(Representative Porter)  
(Senator Lyson)

AN ACT to amend and reenact sections 11-15-29 and 11-15-31 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to uniforms for sheriffs and sheriffs' deputies.

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

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 11-15-29 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**11-15-29. Uniform allowance for sheriffs and ~~full-time deputy sheriffs~~ sheriffs' deputies.** ~~Sheriffs and full-time deputy sheriffs shall be allowed by the~~ The board of county commissioners in each county an amount not to exceed five hundred dollars per person during that person's first year of service and three hundred fifty dollars per person each succeeding year shall provide funding of at least three hundred fifty dollars per individual per year for uniforms for the sheriff and each sheriff's deputy. The sheriff may expend the funds for uniforms as the sheriff deems necessary and is not limited to an annual amount that may be expended for each uniform or for each individual.

**SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 11-15-31 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**11-15-31. Uniform surrendered ~~when term of office ends~~ upon termination of employment.** The uniforms and parts thereof purchased by the board of county commissioners shall must be returned to the sheriff's office upon termination of employment of each sheriff and ~~full-time~~ sheriff's deputy.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1157.

House Vote:      Yeas    84      Nays    5      Absent    5

Senate Vote:    Yeas    45      Nays    1      Absent    1

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Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 2007.

Approved at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 2007.

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Governor

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2007,

at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Secretary of State