

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 52-02.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to new job training for certain businesses.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 52-02.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **52-02.1-02. Job service North Dakota - Agreements.**

- 7 1. Program services developed and coordinated by job service North Dakota must be
8 provided to primary sector businesses found eligible for loans or grants under this
9 chapter. Job service North Dakota may enter into an agreement to establish a project
10 with an employer which meets the following conditions:
- 11 ~~1.~~ a. Sets a date of commencement of the project.
 - 12 ~~2.~~ b. Identifies program costs, including deferred costs, which are to be paid from
13 available sources including new jobs credit from withholding to be received or
14 derived from new jobs resulting from the project.
 - 15 ~~3.~~ c. Provides for a guarantee by the employer of payment for program costs.
 - 16 ~~4.~~ d. Provides that any deferral of program cost payments may not exceed ten years
17 from the date of commencement of the project.
 - 18 ~~5.~~ e. Provides that on-the-job training costs for employees may not exceed fifty
19 percent of the annual gross payroll costs of the new jobs in the first full year after
20 the date of commencement of the project. For purposes of this subsection, "gross
21 payroll" is the gross wages and salaries for the new jobs.
 - 22 ~~6.~~ f. Provides the maximum amount of new jobs credit from withholding or tuition and
23 fee payments allowed for a project.

