

**HOUSE BILL NO.**

Introduced by

Representative Gerntholz

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 3 and 5 of section 50-11-00.1 of the North  
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to the requirements for family foster homes for adults.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsections 3 and 5 of section 50-11-00.1 of the 1997  
5 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code are amended and reenacted as follows:

6 3. "Family foster home for adults" means ~~an occupied private~~ a residence in which  
7 foster care for adults is regularly provided by the owner or lessee thereof, to ~~four~~  
8 eight or fewer adults who are not related by blood or marriage to the owner or  
9 lessee, for hire or compensation.

10 5. "Foster care for adults" means the provision of food, shelter, security and safety,  
11 guidance, and comfort ~~on a twenty-four hour per day basis, in the home of a~~  
12 residence owned or leased by the caregiver, to a person age eighteen or older,  
13 who is unable, neglects, or refuses to provide for the person's own care.