

Introduced by

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 28-32-02 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to authority of administrative agencies to adopt an organizational rule.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 28-32-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **28-32-02. Rulemaking power of agency - Organizational rule.**

- 7 1. The authority of an administrative agency to adopt administrative rules is authority
8 delegated by the legislative assembly. As part of that delegation, the legislative
9 assembly reserves to itself the authority to determine when and if rules of
10 administrative agencies are effective. Every administrative agency may adopt,
11 amend, or repeal reasonable rules in conformity with this chapter and any statute
12 administered or enforced by the agency.
- 13 2. In addition to other rulemaking requirements imposed by law, each agency ~~shall~~
14 may include in its rules a description of that portion of its organization and
15 functions subject to this chapter, ~~stating~~ and may include a statement of the
16 general course and method of its operations and how the public may obtain
17 information or make submissions or requests.