FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2043

Introduced by

Legislative Management

(Health Services Committee)

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 and a new subsection to

2 <u>section 50-24.6-04</u> of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical assistance coverage

3 for the services of licensed community paramedics, advanced emergency medical technicians,

4 and emergency medical technicians, and drug manufacturer rebates.

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

6 SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
7 and enacted as follows:

8 <u>Health-related services - Licensed community paramedics.</u>

9 <u>The department of human services shall adopt rules governing payments to licensed</u>

10 <u>community paramedics, advanced emergency medical technicians, and emergency medical</u>

11 technicians for health-related services provided to recipients of medical assistance, subject to

12 <u>necessary limitations and exclusions. A physician or an advanced practice registered nurse</u>

13 <u>must supervise any care provided by a licensed community paramedic, an advanced</u>

14 <u>emergency medical technician, or emergency medical technician.</u>

15 SECTION 2. A new subsection to section 50-24.6-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is

16 created and enacted as follows:

17	The department may negotiate additional rebates from drug manufacturers to
18	supplement the rebates required by federal law governing the medical assistance
19	program. Additionally, the department may join a multistate supplemental drug rebate
20	pool, and if the department negotiates additional rebates outside this pool, any other
21	manufacturer must be allowed to match those rebates.