

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1363**

Introduced by

Representative Devlin

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact sections 24-02-49 and 39-03-20 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to maintaining and providing records; to provide for application; and to  
3 declare an emergency.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 24-02-49 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as  
6 follows:

7 **24-02-49. Records regarding air transportation services.**

8 The department of transportation shall maintain records identifying the total of all costs  
9 related to the use of the department's air transportation services by each of the governor-and,  
10 lieutenant governor, and all other elected officials each quarter. Records maintained under this  
11 section must be retained for at least three years and, notwithstanding any other provision of law,  
12 are open records. The department shall provide the records to the legislative council each  
13 quarter.

14 **SECTION 2.** Section 39-03-20 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as  
15 follows:

16 **39-03-20. Records regarding security costs.**

17 The highway patrol shall maintain records identifying the total of all costs related to  
18 providing security and transportation, either directly or through a contractor, to each of the  
19 governor-and, lieutenant governor, and all other elected officials each quarter, and the total  
20 number of employee and contractor hours spent providing security and transportation to each of  
21 the governor-and, lieutenant governor, and all other elected officials each quarter. The records  
22 also must identify the total number of employee and contractor hours spent providing  
23 transportation services the governor from the governor's residence to the state capitol in a state  
24 fleet vehicle or highway patrol vehicle. Records maintained under this section must be retained

1 | for at least three years and, notwithstanding any other provision of law, are open records. The  
2 | highway patrol shall provide the records maintained under this section to the legislative council  
3 | each quarter.

4 |       **SECTION 3. APPLICATION.** This Act applies to records created before and after the  
5 | effective date of the Act.

6 |       **SECTION 4. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.