

Sixty-sixth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2065

Introduced by

Government and Veterans Affairs Committee

(At the request of the State Forester)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 4.1-21-04 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to the state forester reserve account.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 4.1-21-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **4.1-21-04. State forester reserve account.**

7 The state forester reserve account is established as a special account in the state treasury.
8 All moneys received for charges in excess of the cost of production of seedlings from the state
9 nursery must be deposited in the reserve account. The state forester may use the reserve
10 account within limits of legislative appropriations for expenses relating to nursery seedling
11 losses or other unanticipated events requiring additional funding as determined necessary by
12 the state forester. If the balance of the state forester reserve account exceeds one million five
13 hundred thousand dollars, charges for state nursery seedlings must not exceed estimated
14 production costs until the account balance is less than ~~seven~~one million two hundred thousand
15 dollars, at which time the state forester may charge one hundred ten percent of production
16 costs.