

BILL NO.

Introduced by

Representative Louser

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23.1-01 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to licensing of installers of onsite sewage treatment systems.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 23.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Onsite sewage treatment system installer licensure.**

- 7 1. An individual may not install an onsite sewage treatment system unless licensed under
8 this section by the department of environmental quality. To remain licensed in good
9 standing, a licensee shall comply with this section and any rules adopted by the
10 department.
- 11 2. The department of environmental quality shall establish and administer a licensure
12 program for installers of onsite sewage treatment systems. The department:
- 13 a. May establish standards and procedures for issuing a license;
14 b. Shall issue a license to an applicant who satisfies the requirements for licensure;
15 c. May renew a license;
16 d. May deny, suspend, or revoke a license for cause after notice and opportunity for
17 hearing;
18 e. Shall establish reasonable fees for issuing or renewing a license; and
19 f. May adopt rules as necessary to implement this section.