

**Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021**

SENATE BILL NO. 2253
(Senators Mathern, Hogan)
(Representatives P. Anderson, Guggisberg)

AN ACT to provide for a legislative management study relating to the long-term care insurance market.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE MARKET. During the 2021-22 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying the long-term care insurance market in the state. The insurance commissioner and, as requested, the ten largest long-term care insurance insurers in the state shall participate in this study to review the current premium market, benefits, and consumer options in relation to premium increases and overall market. Additionally, the department of human services and insurance department shall report to the legislative management regarding the long-term care partnership program, including data addressing utilization of the program, whether there are barriers to access to the program, and how utilization of the program might be increased. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-eighth legislative assembly.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2253.

Senate Vote: Yeas 46 Nays 1 Absent 0

House Vote: Yeas 90 Nays 2 Absent 2

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2021.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2021.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2021,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State