Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **SENATE BILL NO. 2265**

Introduced by

Senators Hogan, Lee

Representatives Dobervich, Strinden

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to a dual special needs plan for Medicaid; and to provide an
- 3 appropriation.

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

- 5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:
- 7 Dual special needs plan.
- 8 By January 1, 2025, the department shall implement at least one dual special needs plan
- 9 for Medicare and Medicaid dual-eligible Medicaid recipients. The department shall establish
- 10 standards for care coordination services the dual special needs plan must provide to recipients.
- 11 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general
- 12 fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$356,269, or so much of the
- sum as may be necessary, to the department of health and human services for the purpose of
- 14 funding full-time equivalent positions to implement the Medicaid dual special needs plan, for the
- 15 biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025. The department is authorized one
- and one-half full-time equivalent positions to coordinate the planning and implementation of the
- 17 Medicaid dual special needs plan.