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SECOND DRAFT:

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- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 44-04 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to exempting from open records requirements portions of records
- 3 containing computer passwords and security information.

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

- 5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 44-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is 6 created and enacted as follows:
- 7 **Computer passwords and security information Exempt.** Any portion of a record
- 8 containing plans, security codes, passwords, combinations, or other security-related data used
- 9 to protect electronic information and government property and to prevent access to computers,
- 10 computer systems, or computer or telecommunications networks is exempt from section
- 11 44-04-18 and section 6 of article XI of the Constitution of North Dakota.