

**Sixty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota  
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 3, 2017**

SENATE BILL NO. 2195  
(Senators Wardner, Dever, Dotzenrod)  
(Representatives Steiner, Streyle, Mock)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 44-04-18.15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to exempting donor records from public disclosure under open records laws.

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

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 44-04-18.15 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**44-04-18.15. Fundraising and donor records of board of higher education, university system, and affiliated nonprofit organizations exempt.**

1. Any private donor or prospective donor name, address, telephone number, electronic mail address, estate planning information, tax record or financial information, or other personal information or correspondence received or retained by a board of higher education or university system officer or employee or by an affiliated nonprofit organization that provides support to and is organized and operated for the benefit of an institution under the authority of the board of higher education is exempt.
2. Any private donor or prospective donor name, address, telephone number, electronic mail address, estate planning information, tax record or financial information, or other personal information or correspondence received or retained by a nonprofit organization that is a public entity is exempt.
3. For the purposes of this section, "financial information" includes data that provides details regarding a gift, a payment schedule of a gift, the form of a gift, or the specific amount of a gift made by a donor.

Gayle A. Lee  
President of the Senate

Larry Bellw  
Speaker of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

Bull J. Reid  
Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Sixty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2195.

Senate Vote:    Yeas 46                    Nays 0                    Absent 1

House Vote:    Yeas 76                    Nays 16                    Absent 2

Hand Morgan  
Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at 11:10A M. on April 3, 2017.

Approved at 4:13P M. on April 3, 2017.

Dmitry  
Governor

Filed in this office this 4 day of April, 2017,

at 8:30 o'clock A M.

Christine  
Secretary of State