

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota  
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364  
(Representatives Klemin, Karls, Lefor, Louser, Schneider)  
(Senators Dwyer, Larson, Myrdal)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 39-08-01.5 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the partial suspension of sentence for drug court program, mental health court program, or veterans treatment docket completion.

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

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 3 of section 39-08-01.5 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

3. If a defendant convicted of a misdemeanor under section 39-08-01 is sentenced to drug court, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket and successfully completes a drug court program, mental health court, or veterans treatment docket, the court shall dismiss the case and seal the file in accordance with section 12.1-32-07.2. The court also shall issue an order to the director to remove the conviction and suspension based on the conviction from the driving record of the defendant, unless doing so is prohibited by title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, section 383.51, or other federal or state law.

  
Speaker of the House

  
President of the Senate

  
Chief Clerk of the House

  
Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1364.

House Vote:      Yeas 86              Nays 1              Absent 7

Senate Vote:      Yeas 46              Nays 0              Absent 1

  
Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at 10:05 AM on April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

Approved at 4:43 P M. on April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

  
Governor

Filed in this office this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2025,  
at 12:23 o'clock P M.

  
Secretary of State