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Estimated Cost per household: **-\$4.00/year.**

Constitutional: **No** · Cast: **Yes** · HB1485 · Passed 91–2 · 04/25/2025

2. Right to Bear Arms: Would have repealed the ban against possessing a firearm at a "church or other place of worship" and let any political subdivision enact less restrictive ordinances for a "school." **✓**

Constitutional: **Yes** · Cast: **Yes** · HB1365 · Rejected 29–62 · 02/25/2025

3. Kingship of Jesus Christ: Would have urged North Dakota to "acknowledge the Kingship of Jesus Christ." **✓**

Constitutional: **Yes** · Cast: **Yes** · HCR3020 · Rejected 31–59 · 02/18/2025

4. Prenatal Equal Protection Act: Would have defined the term "human being" under state law to include an "unborn child" from the "moment of fertilization." **✓**

Constitutional: **Yes** · Cast: **Yes** · HB1373 · Rejected 16–77 · 02/12/2025

5. "Defend the Guard" Bill: Would have prohibited the North Dakota National Guard from being mobilized for active duty combat unless Congress has passed an official declaration of war or taken another official constitutional action. **✓**

Constitutional: **Yes** · Cast: **Yes** · HB1315 · Rejected 10–84 · 01/30/2025

6. Republican Form of Government: Proposes that any future amendments to the North Dakota Constitution be submitted to the electorate and receive approval from at least sixty percent of the voters. **✓**

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