CHILD SUPPORT GUIDELINES
SCHEDULE A - IMPUTED INCOME
(N.D. Admin. Code § 75-02-04.1-07)

NONCUSTODIAL PARENT/OBLIGOR: _____
CUSTODIAL PARENT/OBLIGEE: _____

This schedule is for use when employment income must be imputed to the obligor who is unemployed or underemployed. Presumption of underemployment exists if the obligor's gross income from earnings is less than 60% of statewide average earnings for persons with similar work history and occupational qualifications, or less than 167 times the federal hourly minimum wage. A source of information for data to use in imputing income is the "Wages for ND Jobs" handbook, a publication by Job Service of North Dakota that contains wage and salary information by region and select cities. The publication is available on the Job Service website.

1. **Statewide Average Earnings:** ..... _____
   Occupation: _____
   Source: _____
   _____

2. **Imputed Income:** -07(3)
   a. 167 X federal minimum wage..... _____ X 12 = _____
      ($6.55 per hour .....$1,094)

   b. .6 X statewide average earnings as determined in #1 above..... _____ X 12 = _____

   c. .9 X obligor's greatest average gross monthly earnings in any 12 consecutive months over the past 24 months _____ X 12= _____

   Greatest of a through c: ..... _____

   Less: Actual gross annual earnings ..... _____

   Presumed Imputed Annual Income: ..... _____

3. **Obligor under age 18 or under age 19 and enrolled in and attending high school:** -07(7)
   .5 X 167 X federal minimum wage..... _____ X 12 = _____

   Less: Actual gross annual earnings..... _____

   Presumed Imputed Annual Income: ..... _____

4. **Obligor noncooperation in establishment proceedings:**
   In proceedings to **establish** a child support obligation, if the obligor fails to furnish reliable information on income, income is imputed at the greatest of a through c of section 2 above. -07(8)

5. **Obligor noncooperation in review proceedings:**
In **review** proceedings, if the obligor fails to furnish reliable information on income and if that information cannot be reasonably obtained from other sources, income is imputed at greater of:

a. Greatest of a through c of section 2 above, or
b. Net income when order was entered or last modified plus 10% increase per year.* -07(9)

***If applicable, complete the following calculation:**

1. Number of full years since last order X .10..... _____
2. (Number of extra days ÷ 365) X .10 ..... _____
3. Presumed increase (Line 1 + Line 2) ..... _____
4. "Last order" monthly net income..... _____
5. Line 4 X Line 3 ..... _____
6. Presumed monthly net income (Line 4 + Line 5)..... _____
7. Presumed annual net income (Line 6 X 12)..... _____

6. **Exceptions:** Review subsections 4, 5, 6, and 10 of section 75-02-04.1-07 for exceptions to the imputation of income based on the greatest of a through c of section 2 above.