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IN THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

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State of North Dakota,

Plaintiff and Appellee

v.

Patrick Cannon McGeehan II,

Defendant and Appellant

No. 20120164

Appeal from the District Court of Burleigh County, South Central Judicial District, the Honorable David E. Reich, Judge.

AFFIRMED.

Per Curiam.

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[¶1] Patrick McGeehan appeals from a district court criminal judgment entered after a jury found him guilty of simple assault on a police officer. McGeehan argues improper statements made in the State’s closing argument prejudicially affected his substantial rights and deprived him of a fair trial. We summarily affirm under N.D.R.App.P. 35.1(a)(7). See State v. Rivet, 2008 ND 145, 752 N.W.2d 611.

[¶2] Gerald W. VandeWalle, C.J.
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