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CHAPTER 81.

[S. B. No. 115-Taylor.]

TO PREVENT INDISCRIMINATE DISTRIBUTION OF SAMPLE DRUGS OR MEDICINES.

AN ACT to Prohibit the Delivery or Depositing of Drugs, Medicines, Antiseptics, Disinfectants and Cosmetics, Either for Internal or External Use Upon the Premises of Another, and to Provide a Penalty for the Violation of This Act.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. FREE DISTRIBUTION PROHIBITED.] Any person who shall by himself, his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of any other person, leave, throw or deposit upon the doorstep or premises owned or occupied by another, or who shall deliver to any child under fourteen years of age, any patent or proprietary medicine or any preparation, pill, tablet, powder, cosmetic, disinfectant or antiseptic or any drug or medicine that contains poison, or any ingredient that is deleterious to health, as a sample, or in any quantity whatever for the purpose of advertising, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

purpose of advertising, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. § 2. DEFINED.] The terms drug, medicine, patent or proprietary medicine, pill, tablet, powder, cosmetic, disinfectant or antiseptic as used in this act, shall include all remedies for internal or external use, either in packages or bulk, simple, mixed or compounded.

§ 3. PENALTY.] Whoever violates the provisions of section I of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars, nor less than twenty-five dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding one hundred nor less than thirty days, or both, for each and every violation.

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