

**Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2003**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1306
(Representatives Severson, Delmore, Porter, Uglen)
(Senators Klein, Krebsbach)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 23-27-04.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to misrepresentation as to status as an emergency medical services personnel; and to provide a penalty.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 23-27-04.3 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

23-27-04.3. Emergency medical services personnel training, testing, certification, licensure, and quality review - Penalty. The state health council shall adopt rules prescribing minimum training, testing, certification, licensure, and quality review standards for emergency medical services personnel. Rules adopted must include a definition of minimum applicable standards, a definition of emergency medical services personnel, provide for a mechanism for certifying or licensing persons who have met the required standards, and provide a mechanism to review and improve the quality of care rendered by emergency medical services personnel. It is a class B misdemeanor for an individual to willfully misrepresent that individual's certification or licensing status as an emergency medical services personnel. Quality review and improvement information, data, records, and proceedings are not subject to subpoena or discovery or introduction into evidence in any civil action.

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 Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1306.

House Vote: Yeas 90 Nays 0 Absent 4

Senate Vote: Yeas 47 Nays 0 Absent 0

Chief Clerk of the House

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Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2003.

Governor

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at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State