

**Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the
Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Tuesday, the fifth day of January,
one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1423
(Representatives Lemieux, Berg, Monson)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 4-09-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to canola seed standards.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 1 of section 4-09-10 of the 1997 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. a. In seeds of wheat, durum, barley, oats, rye, soybeans, dry beans, and flax the commonly accepted name of the kind and variety of each agricultural seed component in excess of five percent of the whole and the percentage by weight of each. Variety identification is not required for seeds labeled "for vegetative cover only".
- b. In seeds of canola, seed must be certified by the commissioner as meeting the standards of this chapter or have been certified by another state or province having certification standards for canola which meet or exceed standards adopted by this chapter.
- ~~b.~~ c. In all other seeds not named in ~~subdivision~~ subdivisions a and b the commonly accepted name of the kind or the kind and variety of each agricultural seed component in excess of five percent of the whole and the percentage of weight of each.
- ~~e.~~ d. When more than ten percent of the whole consists of an aggregate of agricultural seed components, each present in an amount not exceeding five percent of the whole, each component in excess of one percent of the whole must be named together with the percentage by weight of each. All components must be listed in the order of their predominance. Where more than one component is named, the word "mixture", or the word "mixed", must be shown conspicuously on the label.

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-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1423.

House Vote: Yeas 93 Nays 0 Absent 5

Senate Vote: Yeas 48 Nays 0 Absent 1

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 1999.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 1999.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 1999,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State