

Introduced by

Senators Dever, Espgaard

Representatives Delmore, Meier, Wrangham

1 A BILL for an Act to prohibit the fraudulent use of retail sales receipts and universal product
2 code labels; and to provide a penalty.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. Fraudulent use of receipts and universal product code labels**

5 **prohibited - Penalty.** Except as otherwise provided in this section, any person who, with the
6 intent to defraud a retailer, possesses, uses, utters, transfers, alters, counterfeits, or reproduces
7 a retail sales receipt or a universal product code label is guilty of a class A misdemeanor. Any
8 person who, with the intent to defraud a retailer, possesses fifteen or more fraudulent retail
9 sales receipts or universal product code labels or who possesses a device the purpose of which
10 is to manufacture fraudulent retail sales receipts or universal product code labels is guilty of a
11 class C felony. For purposes of this section, "universal bar code" means the twelve-digit
12 identification number and bar code system developed by the uniform code council which is
13 used to uniquely identify products.