Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 4, 2005

HOUSE BILL NO. 1094 (Agriculture Committee) (At the request of the Agriculture Commissioner)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 4-01-17.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the disposition of furs taken by the United States department of agriculture wildlife services.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 4-01-17.3 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

4-01-17.3. Disposition of proceeds of furs, skins, and specimens taken. All furs, skins, and specimens taken by hunters and trappers paid out of funds appropriated to carry out section 4-01-17.1 must be disposed of in a manner the agriculture commissioner determines is in the state's best interests. If furs, skins, or specimens are sold, the net proceeds of the sales, <u>up to fifteen thousand dollars per biennium</u>, must be deposited with the state treasurer to be credited to the general fund used by United States department of agriculture wildlife services to fund its program activities that benefit the state's livestock producers.

Speaker of the House President of the Senate Secretary of the Senate Chief Clerk of the House This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1094. House Vote: Yeas 74 Nays 17 Absent 3 Nays 0 Senate Vote: Yeas 46 Absent 1 Chief Clerk of the House Received by the Governor at ______ M. on ______, 2005. Approved at ______, 2005. Governor Filed in this office this ______ day of ______, 2005, at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State