

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to require a study by the state board of veterinary medical examiners
2 regarding afterhours emergency care.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AFTERHOURS EMERGENCY CARE - STUDY.** The state board of
5 veterinary medical examiners shall conduct a study relating to the provision of afterhours
6 emergency care by veterinarians in this state. The study must include issues of veterinarian
7 availability, local and regional coverage, client expectations, advertising parameters, and
8 liability. Before July 1, 2010, the board shall report its finding and recommendations to the
9 legislative council.