

HOUSE BILL NO. 1244

Introduced by

Representative M. Nelson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 36-24-08 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to rules governing the preparation of equine carcasses.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 36-24-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **36-24-08. Horse meat - Requirements.**

7 A person may not sell, transport, offer for sale or transportation, or receive for transportation
8 in intrastate commerce whole carcasses or parts of carcasses of horses, mules, or other
9 equines or meat food products derived from them, unless they are plainly and conspicuously
10 marked, labeled, or otherwise identified to show the kinds of animals from which they were
11 derived. ~~The commissioner by rule may require that the preparation of whole equine carcasses,
12 parts of equine carcasses, and equine meat food products take place in establishments
13 separate from those in which cattle, sheep, swine, or goats are slaughtered or in which their
14 carcasses, parts of their carcasses, or meat food products are prepared.~~