

**Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 6, 2015**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1310
(Representatives Monson, Keiser)
(Senators Campbell, Klein)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 26.1-13-15 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the territorial limits of a county mutual company's operations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 26.1-13-15 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

26.1-13-15. Territorial limits of county mutual company's operations - Terms of policies - Property insurable.

1. A county mutual insurance company may not insure any property beyond the company's authorized territory of operation except as provided in subsection 3 of section 26.1-13-12 and except that this territorial limitation does not apply to reinsurance contracts.
2. A policy may not be issued to exceed five years.
3. A policy may not be issued covering property located within the platted limits of an incorporated city in this state, except the policy may provide coverage as specified under sections 26.1-13-14 and 26.1-13-16 within the platted limits of the incorporated city on:
 - a. The place of residence; or
 - b. A rental property that is no larger than a four residential rental unit.
4. The company may insure all property located outside of incorporated cities within the limits of the company's territory comprised in the formation of the company, as provided under section 26.1-13-02.
5. Policies issued under subsection 3 on property located within the platted limits of an incorporated city with a population over ten thousand must conform to rules adopted by the commissioner establishing requirements for underwriting risks and safeguarding financial solvency. A company may not exceed thirty-five percent of the company's grossnet written premiums of the previouscurrent year forin cities with a population over ten thousand may not exceed thirty-five percent of the gross written premiums in cities with a population over ten thousandof the previous year.
6. A policy issued by the company, if it so provides, may cover loss or damage to livestock, personal property, vehicles, and farm machinery while temporarily removed from the premises of the insured to other locations.

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 Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1310.

House Vote: Yeas 93 Nays 0 Absent 1

Senate Vote: Yeas 45 Nays 0 Absent 2

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2015.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2015.

Governor

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at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State