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Sixty-eighth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345

Introduced by

Representatives Satrom, Grueneich, Hagert, Headland, Kiefert, Ostlie, Steiner
Senators Conley, Erbele, Lemm, Wanzek

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-44.4 of the North
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to state purchasing contracts.

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

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6 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 54-44.4 of the North Dakota Century Code
7 is created and enacted as follows:

8 **Vendors - Contracts.**

9 ~~All contracts between a state entity and a vendor must include a provision~~
10 ~~indicating the vendor's support of the state's agriculture and energy industries.~~

11 If a contract is at least one hundred thousand dollars and this state has a
12 reasonable belief that a vendor is conducting practices against this state's agricultural or
13 energy interests, this state may decline to enter into a contract.