

HOUSE BILL NO. 1151

Introduced by

Representatives Schatz, Hauck, Holle, Kempenich, Monson, Dressler

Senators Boehm, Magrum, Paulson, Wanzek

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 19-02.1-12.1 of the North Dakota Century
2 Code, relating to cell-cultured protein; and to repeal section 4.1-31-05.1 of the North Dakota
3 Century Code, relating to the misrepresentation of cell-cultured protein.

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

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 19-02.1-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is
6 amended and reenacted as follows:

7 **19-02.1-12.1. ~~Misrepresentation of cell~~Cell-cultured protein as ~~meat food product~~**
8 **prohibited.**

- 9 1. A person may not ~~advertise~~manufacture for sale, offer for sale, or sell, ~~or misrepresent~~
10 cell-cultured protein as a ~~meat food product~~. A cell-cultured food product:
11 a. ~~May not be packaged in the same, or deceptively similar, packaging as a meat~~
12 ~~food product; and~~
13 b. ~~Must be labeled as a cell-cultured food product~~in this state.
14 2. For purposes of this section, "~~deceptively similar~~" means ~~packaging that could mislead~~
15 ~~a reasonable person to believe the product is a meat food product~~"cell-cultured
16 protein" means a food product developed in a lab and grown from a sample of animal
17 cells which does not require the slaughter of animals.

18 **SECTION 2. REPEAL.** Section 4.1-31-05.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.