House Agriculture Committee House Bill 1131 Andrew Alexis Varvel Written Testimony

Chairman Beltz and Members of the Committee:

My name is Andrew Alexis Varvel. I live in Bismarck.

I like House Bill 1131. Please give it a **DO PASS** recommendation.

I think this change in the law can – and probably will – promote innovation in the development of products made from raw milk.

I am especially interested in cheese.

And hopefully, this change could create an inviting atmosphere for professional cheese makers to come to North Dakota as well.

I am curious about what products local dairy farmers will develop.

And I would like to see these products at **Pride of Dakota** events.

Thank you.