REGISTRATION OF ANIMALS

CHAPTER 244.

[H. B. No. 57—Huso.]

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AN ACT to Prevent Fraudulent Registration and Sale of Animals as Being Pure Bred and to Amend Section 9007 of the Revised Codes of 1905.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

- § 1. AMENDMENT.] That Section 9007 of the Revised Codes of 1905 be amended to read as follows:
- § 9007. Any person who shall fraudulently represent any animal to be pure bred, or any person who shall post or publish, or cause to be posted or published, any false pedigree or certificate, or shall use any stallion for public service, or sell, exchange or transfer any stallion, representing such animal to be pure bred, without first having such animal registered in some association recognized by the North Dakota Live Stock Association, and obtaining a certificate therefor, and any person who shall, by any fraud, false pretense or misrepresentation, procure the registration of any animal which is to be used for service, sale or exchange in this state, for the purpose of deception as to the pedigree thereof, and any person who shall sell or otherwise dispose of any animal as a pure bred when he knows or has reasons to believe, that the same is not the offspring of a regularly registered pure bred sire and dam, or who shall sell or otherwise dispose of any animal as a registered pure bred by the use of a false pedigree or certificate of registration, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than twentyfive (\$25.00) dollars nor more than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than six months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

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