

2022 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1096**AMENDMENT 1096A FOR THE INTRODUCED BILL**

1 **An Act to revise provisions regarding livestock identification.**

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

3 **Section 1.** That § 40-3-27 be AMENDED.

4 **40-3-27. Programs for identification of animals and premises involved in**
5 **animal movements--Records--Purpose.**

6 The Animal Industry Board may develop and implement specific programs for the
7 identification of animals and premises involved in animal movements. Any program
8 implemented pursuant to §§ 40-3-27 to 40-3-29, inclusive, ~~shall~~ must provide for
9 confidentiality of identification records other than those records requested by law
10 enforcement officers of the state and those records used for mandatory disease control or
11 eradication efforts. A livestock owner may choose to identify animals using any methods
12 set forth in 9 C.F.R. part 86, as adopted on January 9, 2013, as well as any additional
13 methods that are later approved by the South Dakota Animal Industry Board pursuant to
14 this section. ~~The state may not expend any money for the enforcement of mandatory~~
15 ~~electronic identification tags for the purposes of livestock identification.~~

16 Any identification program implemented pursuant to §§ 40-3-27 to 40-3-29, inclusive,
17 shall be for the sole purpose of maintaining animal health and ensuring the safety of the
18 food supply.