State of South Dakota

SEVENTY-SECOND SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 1997

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House engrossed no. HB1002 - 2/7/97

Introduced by: The Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources at the request of the State Brand Board

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions related to the registration of
- 2 canceled livestock brands.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 40-19-13 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 40-19-13. Any registered brand which is not renewed within one hundred twenty days after
- 6 January first as provided for in § 40-19-12 is deemed abandoned to the state and may be claimed
- 7 for use by application if recordable by a new owner by its owner, is canceled, and may not be
- 8 renewed.
- 9 Section 2. That § 40-19-14 be amended to read as follows:
- 10 40-19-14. If an application is made for a brand deemed abandoned during the first two years
- of the current ownership period and the abandoned brand is recordable, the board shall notify
- 12 the previous brand owner by certified or registered mail of the application for such abandoned
- 13 brand. If the previous brand owner fails to rerecord the brand within twenty days of such notice
- 14 pursuant to this section, the new application shall be granted. Such notice is not required for
- 15 recording an abandoned brand after the second year of the current ownership period. The

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- 1 renewal fee option is not available after the one hundred twenty-day renewal period has expired.
- 2 An abandoned brand may be rerecorded by its previous owner, if recordable, by paying the
- 3 registration fee and all renewal fees due on the brand for the current renewal period. During the
- 4 first two years following the current brand ownership period, only the previous owner may apply
- 5 for a brand canceled under §40-19-13. If the brand is recordable, the previous owner may
- 6 register the brand by paying the registration fee and a one hundred dollar rerecord fee.
- 7 Moreover, during the two years following the current ownership period, it is not a violation of
- 8 § 40-19-21;
- 9 (1) If the previous owner sells livestock bearing the canceled brand; or
- 10 (2) If the previous owner brands livestock with the canceled brand prior to becoming
- 11 aware of the cancellation.

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1 **BILL HISTORY**

- 2 1/14/97 First read in House and referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources. H.J. 22
- 3 1/21/97 Agriculture & Natural Resources Do Pass, AYES 12, NAYS 0.
- 4 1/21/97 Agriculture & Natural Resources Place on Consent Calendar.
- 5 1/23/97 Deferred to another day. H.J. 95
- 6 1/27/97 Deferred to another day. H.J. 157
- 7 1/30/97 Referred to Agriculture & Natural Resources. H.J. 223
- 8 2/4/97 Agriculture & Natural Resources Do Pass Amended, AYES 13, NAYS 0. H.J. 287
- 9 2/6/97 House of Representatives Do Pass Amended, AYES 65, NAYS 3. H.J. 346