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SENATE ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1056** - 01/31/2001

Introduced by: The Committee on Judiciary at the request of the Department of Game,
Fish and Parks

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to increase the penalty for violation of certain fur dealer
2 license requirements.

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

4 Section 1. That § 41-6-25 be amended to read as follows:

5 41-6-25. It is a ~~Class 2~~ Class 1 misdemeanor for a person to purchase or contract to purchase
6 for a commercial purpose the raw skins of fur-bearing animals or unskinned fur-bearing animals,
7 including jackrabbits, without a fur dealer's license or in violation of the license or the rules of
8 the Game, Fish and Parks Commission. For purposes of this section, commercial purpose is the
9 purchase of or contract to purchase the property by persons who hold themselves out as
10 engaging in the business of purchasing such property and does not include the isolated or
11 occasional purchase of such property.

12 A fur dealer's license permits the licensee to purchase or contract to purchase the skins of
13 fur-bearing animals, including jackrabbits, for the purpose of resale or other commercial purpose,
14 to the extent and in the manner provided by §§ 41-14-22 to 41-14-24, inclusive. A fur dealer's
15 license is valid for a period of one year from July first to June thirtieth.

1 Any person convicted of issuing an insufficient funds check or no account check shall be
2 denied a fur dealer's license until such time as all such checks are paid.