

Fifty-eighth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1301

Introduced by

Representatives Dosch, Kingsbury, Price

Senator Dever

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12.1-31 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to the sale of bidis or beedies; and to provide a penalty.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 12.1-31 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 created and enacted as follows:

6 **Sale of bidis prohibited - Penalty.** It is an infraction for any person to sell the tobacco
7 product commonly referred to as bidis or beedies. For purposes of this section, "bidis" or
8 "beedies" means a product containing tobacco which is wrapped in temburni leaf, also known
9 as diospyros melanoxylon, or tendu leaf, also known as diospyros exculpra.