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Sixty-fifth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1139**

Introduced by

Representative Keiser

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 51-19 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to joint employer liability protection.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 51-19 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Franchisor-franchisee liability protection.**

7 Notwithstanding any other provision of law or any voluntary agreement between the United  
8 States department of labor and a franchisee, a franchisee or an employee of a franchisee is not  
9 considered an employee of the franchisor.