

HOUSE BILL NO. 1307

Introduced by

Representatives B. Koppelman, Christensen, Kading, Meier, Rohr, Schauer

Senators Clemens, Kannianen, O. Larsen

1 A BILL for an Act to prohibit public accommodations from refusing services to an individual
2 because the individual has not been vaccinated; and to provide a penalty.

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

4 **SECTION 1.**

5 **Public accommodation may not refuse service for failure to vaccinate - Penalty.**

- 6 1. For purposes of this section, "public accommodation" means every place,
7 establishment, or facility of whatever kind, nature, or class that caters or offers
8 services, facilities, or goods to the general public for a fee, charge, or gratuity.
- 9 2. Except as provided in section 23-07-17.1, a person engaged in the provision of public
10 accommodations may not refuse services, goods, or access to facilities to an
11 individual because of the individual's failure to receive a vaccination or immunization
12 for a communicable disease.
- 13 3. If a person engaged in the provision of public accommodation violates this section,
14 that person is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars for a first
15 offense and a civil penalty not to exceed five hundred dollars for a second and
16 subsequent offense.