

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1324**

Introduced by

Representatives Belter, Herbel

Senators Mutch, Thane

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-06.2-17 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to the hours of service exemption for the transportation of agricultural commodities.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-06.2-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-06.2-17. Hours of service exemption - Transportation of agricultural**  
7 **commodities.** Federal regulations and the provisions of chapter 39-32 governing maximum  
8 driving and on-duty time do not apply to a driver transporting agricultural commodities or farm  
9 supplies, including farm equipment and machinery, for agricultural purposes in this state during  
10 planting and harvesting seasons from February fifteenth through December fifteenth or to a  
11 driver transporting sugar beets during the harvesting season for sugar beets from September  
12 first to March fifteenth, if the transportation is limited to an area within a one hundred air-mile  
13 radius from the source of the commodities or the distribution point for the farm supplies.