

H.B. 254

LIVESTOCK BRANDING AMENDMENTS

Representative **Michael E. Noel** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 33 through 34:*

33 4-24-16. Livestock emergency -- Transportation of livestock between {~~brand~~
34 ~~inspection districts~~} counties -- Brand inspection required -- Exception -- No fee for reinspection --

2. *Page 2, Lines 39 through 43:*

39 (b) a natural disaster {~~, declared by a political subdivision,~~} which may affect livestock.
40 [(1) A person may not transport any] (2) In a livestock emergency, the {department
41 ~~}~~ commissioner may
41 require a person transporting {~~cattle or calves~~} livestock from a point within a brand inspection
district to a
42 point outside the district[~~, except as provided in Subsection (2), until the~~] to have the {~~cattle or~~
43 ~~calves~~} livestock [~~have been~~] brand inspected, unless the department approves their transport subject to

3. *Page 2, Lines 45 through 47:*

45 (3) A brand inspection fee is not required to be paid upon reinspection of {~~cattle or~~
46 ~~calves~~} livestock being transported between districts from a summer or winter range or pasture if the
47 cattle or calves were brand inspected in the {~~district~~} county of origin.

4. *Page 2, Line 51:*

51 moved before transporting an animal from one {~~district~~} county to another.