

NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
1969 SESSION

CHAPTER 606
HOUSE BILL 777

1 AN ACT REWRITING PART 1, ARTICLE 34, CHAPTER 106 OF THE GENERAL
2 STATUTES SO AS TO INCLUDE POULTRY IN THE STATUTES RELATING TO
3 THE QUARANTINE OF INFECTED ANIMALS.
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5 The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:
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7 **Section 1.** Part 1, Article 34, Chapter 106 of the General Statutes is rewritten to
8 read as follows:

9 "Part 1. Quarantine and Miscellaneous Provisions.

10 "**G.S. 106-304.** Proclamation of livestock and poultry quarantine. Upon the recommendation of
11 the Commissioner of Agriculture, it shall be lawful for the Governor to issue his proclamation
12 forbidding the importation into this State of any and all kinds of livestock and poultry from any
13 state where there is known to prevail contagious or infectious diseases among the livestock and
14 poultry of such state.

15 "**G.S. 106-305.** Proclamation of infected feedstuff quarantine. Upon the recommendation of
16 the Commissioner of Agriculture, it shall be lawful for the Governor to issue his proclamation
17 forbidding the importation into this State of any feedstuff or any other article or material
18 dangerous to livestock and poultry as a carrier of infectious or contagious disease from any area
19 outside the State. This shall also include any and all materials imported for manufacturing
20 purposes or for any other use, which have been tested by any State or federal agency competent
21 to make such tests and found to contain living infectious and contagious organisms known to
22 be injurious to the health of man, livestock and poultry.

23 "**G.S. 106-306.** Rules to enforce quarantine. Upon such proclamation being made, the
24 Commissioner of Agriculture shall have power to make rules and regulations to make effective
25 the proclamation and to stamp out such infectious or contagious diseases as may break out
26 among the livestock and poultry in this State.

27 "**G.S. 106-307.** Violation of proclamation or rules. Any person, firm, or corporation violating
28 the terms of the proclamation of the Governor, or any rule or regulation made by the
29 Commissioner of Agriculture in pursuance thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined
30 not in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or imprisoned up to six months, or both fined
31 and imprisoned, in the discretion of the court.

32 "**G.S. 106-307.1.** Serums, vaccines, etc., for control of animal diseases. The North Carolina
33 Department of Agriculture is authorized and empowered to purchase for resale serums, viruses,
34 vaccines, biologics, and other products for the control of animal and poultry diseases. The
35 resale of said serums, viruses, vaccines, biologics and other products shall be at a reasonable
36 price to be determined by the Commissioner of Agriculture.

37 "**G.S. 106-307.2.** Reports of infectious disease in livestock and poultry to State Veterinarian.
38 All persons practicing veterinary medicine in North Carolina shall report promptly to the State
39 Veterinarian the existence of any contagious or infectious disease in livestock and poultry.

40 "**G.S. 106-307.3.** Quarantine of infected or inoculated livestock. Hog cholera and other
41 contagious and infectious diseases of livestock are hereby declared to be a menace to the
42 livestock industry and all livestock infected with or exposed to a contagious or infectious
43 disease may be quarantined by the State Veterinarian or his authorized representative in

1 accordance with regulations promulgated by the State Board of Agriculture. All livestock that
2 are inoculated with a product containing a living virus or other organism are subject to
3 quarantine at the time of inoculation in accordance with regulations promulgated by the State
4 Board of Agriculture: Provided, nothing herein contained shall be construed as preventing
5 anyone entitled to administer serum or vaccine under existing laws from continuing to
6 administer same.

7 **"G.S. 106-307.4.** Quarantine of inoculated poultry. All poultry that are inoculated with a
8 product containing a living virus or other organism capable of causing disease shall be
9 quarantined at the time of inoculation in accordance with regulations promulgated by the State
10 Board of Agriculture. Provided nothing herein contained shall be construed as preventing
11 anyone entitled to administer vaccines under existing laws from continuing to administer same.

12 **"G.S. 106-307.5.** Livestock and poultry brought into State. All livestock and poultry
13 transported or otherwise brought into this State shall be in compliance with regulations
14 promulgated by the State Board of Agriculture.

15 **"G.S. 106-307.6.** Violation made misdemeanor. Any person, firm or corporation who shall
16 violate any provisions set forth in G.S. 106-307.1 to G.S. 106-307.5 or any rule or regulation
17 duly established by the State Board of Agriculture shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall
18 be fined not in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or imprisoned up to six months, or both
19 fined and imprisoned, in the discretion of the court."

20 **Sec. 2.** All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

21 **Sec. 3.** This Act shall become effective ninety days after ratification.

22 In the General Assembly read three times and ratified, this the 27th day of May,

23 1969.