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Committee Amendment "A" to H. P. 1254, L. D. 926, Bill "An Act Relative to Licensing Dealers in Livestock."

Amend said Bill by striking out in the 1st and 3rd lines thereof, the figures "123-G" and inserting in place thereof, the figures '123-H'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of the last underlined sentence of that part designated "Sec. 123-A".

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 2nd and 3rd lines of that part designated "Sec. 123-E", the underlined words, as follows:
'sheep, goats, swine and horses'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end thereof a new section to be numbered "Sec. 123-H" to read as follows:

'Sec. 123-H. Exceptions; penalty. The provisions of sections 123-A to 123-G shall not apply to farmers selling or buying livestock for the purposes of disposing of or restocking their own herds or flocks. Provided, however, that farmers who make sales of cattle (dairy, feeding, beef or breeding animals) over 6 months of age to any person, firm, partnership or corporation not a licensed dealer shall report such sales to the commissioner or his duly authorized agent within 3 days of such sales. Such report shall contain the date of sale, name and address of the purchaser, and identification by eartag number, registration or tattoo number. Any farmer who fails to file the report required by this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$50.'

