

Introduced by

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 20.1-03-07.4 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to a special nonresident waterfowl license; and to amend and reenact section
3 20.1-03-07.1 and subsection 37 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code,
4 relating to nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code
7 is amended and reenacted as follows:

8 **20.1-03-07.1. Nonresident waterfowl hunting license required.** Except as provided
9 in sections 20.1-03-07.2 ~~and~~, 20.1-03-07.3, and 20.1-03-07.4, a nonresident may not hunt
10 waterfowl unless that person first obtains a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, in addition to
11 a nonresident small game hunting license. The nonresident waterfowl hunting license entitles
12 the nonresident to hunt waterfowl for any period of fourteen consecutive days, any period of
13 seven consecutive days, or any two periods of seven consecutive days each. A license
14 authorizing the fourteen-day hunting period allows hunting in a specified waterfowl hunting
15 zone. A license authorizing one 7-day hunting period allows hunting statewide. A license
16 authorizing two 7-day hunting periods allows hunting in a specified zone during each period.
17 The governor, in the governor's proclamation, shall specify various waterfowl hunting zones for
18 which nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses will be available, and may specify the number of
19 licenses which may be issued in each zone and the manner in which they are to be issued. A
20 nonresident is entitled to purchase only one nonresident waterfowl hunting license per year.

21 **SECTION 2.** Section 20.1-03-07.4 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and
22 enacted as follows:

23 **20.1-03-07.4. Special nonresident waterfowl hunting license for private property.**
24 A nonresident shall apply for and purchase a special nonresident waterfowl license, in addition

1 to a nonresident small game hunting license, to hunt waterfowl as provided by this section. The
2 special nonresident waterfowl hunting license entitles the nonresident to hunt waterfowl for the
3 duration of the nonresident waterfowl hunting season solely on private property owned or
4 leased by a person that actively farms or ranches on that property. The application must
5 include the legal description of the property to be hunted upon and must be signed by the
6 applicant and by the individual who actively farms or ranches on that property. A guide or
7 outfitter may not provide any service except lodging and transportation to a licensee hunting
8 under a license issued under this section. For the purpose of this section, "private property"
9 means real property to which the owner or active farmer or rancher has the right to exclude
10 hunters.

11 **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 37 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota
12 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

13 37. For a nonresident waterfowl hunting license or special nonresident waterfowl
14 hunting license, ten dollars.