FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1223

Introduced by

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Representative Porter

Senators Cook, Trenbeath

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-04 and a new section to
- 2 chapter 20.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the opening date of pheasant
- 3 season and the hunting of pheasants on certain lands in the state.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA: 4

- 5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 20.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is 6 created and enacted as follows:
- 7 Pheasant season - Opening. The open or lawful season on pheasant may not open earlier than one-half hour before sunrise on the first Saturday of October of any given year.
- 9 **SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 20.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is 10 created and enacted as follows:
- 11 **Small game proclamation - Pheasants.** The governor, in the governor's
- 12 proclamation, shall prohibit a nonresident from hunting for the first seven days of the pheasant
- 13 season on land owned or private land enrolled by the department for the purposes of hunting or
- 14 on land for which the department pays in lieu of tax payments.