

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with House Amendments**

Fifty-eighth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2242

Introduced by

Senators Heitkamp, Espegard, Fischer

Representatives Amerman, Gulleason, Nelson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 of the North Dakota Century
2 Code, relating to hunting of Canada geese by nonresidents; and to provide an expiration date.

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

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

6 **20.1-03-07.1. Nonresident waterfowl hunting license required.** Except as provided
7 in sections 20.1-03-07.2 and 20.1-03-07.3, a nonresident may not hunt waterfowl unless that
8 person first obtains a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, in addition to a nonresident small
9 game hunting license. The nonresident waterfowl hunting license entitles the nonresident to
10 hunt waterfowl for any period of fourteen consecutive days, any period of seven consecutive
11 days, or any two periods of seven consecutive days each. A license authorizing the
12 fourteen-day hunting period allows hunting in a specified waterfowl hunting zone. A license
13 authorizing one 7-day hunting period allows hunting statewide. A license authorizing two 7-day
14 hunting periods allows hunting in a specified zone during each period. The governor, in the
15 governor's proclamation, shall specify various waterfowl hunting zones for which nonresident
16 waterfowl hunting licenses will be available, and may specify the number of licenses which may
17 be issued in each zone and the manner in which they are to be issued. A nonresident is
18 entitled to purchase only one nonresident waterfowl hunting license per year. The
19 fourteen-day, seven-day, and two 7-day hunting period restrictions do not apply to nonresidents
20 hunting in Richland and Sargent Counties during the early September Canada goose season.

21 **SECTION 2. EXPIRATION DATE.** This Act is effective through December 31, 2007,
22 and after that date is ineffective.