

Fifty-ninth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**SENATE BILL NO. 2334**

Introduced by

Senators Hacker, Erbele, Freborg, Heitkamp

Representatives Brandenburg, Kretschmar

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 13 of section 20.1-02-05 of the North  
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to hunting by nonresident students.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 13 of section 20.1-02-05 of the North Dakota  
5 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 13. Issue any resident license prescribed by this title to an individual who has come to  
7 the state with a bona fide intention of becoming a resident, even though that  
8 individual has not been a resident of this state for the required time period  
9 immediately preceding the application for the license; to any individual who is a  
10 member of the United States armed forces and who is within the state on duty or  
11 leave; to any employee of the United States fish and wildlife service or the  
12 conservation department of any state or province of Canada in the state to advise  
13 or consult with the department; or to any nonresident full-time student living in this  
14 state who is ~~a resident of a state that is a member of the midwest student~~  
15 ~~exchange program or the western undergraduate exchange program~~ attending an  
16 institution under the jurisdiction of the state board of higher education, a private  
17 institution of higher education, or a tribal college. Except for a license issued to a  
18 nonresident full-time student living in this state who is ~~a resident of a state that is a~~  
19 ~~member of the midwest student exchange program or the western undergraduate~~  
20 ~~exchange program~~ attending an institution under the jurisdiction of the state board  
21 of higher education, a private institution of higher education, or a tribal college, a  
22 license may not be issued under this subsection unless an affidavit of a bona fide  
23 resident, setting forth the actual conditions, accompanies the application. This  
24 subsection does not apply to lottery permits, except that the director shall issue a

1                resident deer hunting license to any resident of this state who is a member of the  
2                United States armed forces stationed outside this state and who shows proof of  
3                North Dakota residence and who pays the appropriate licensing fee. A deer  
4                license issued to a member of the United States armed forces under this  
5                subsection must be issued without being subject to the lottery for deer hunting  
6                licenses.