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Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1339

Introduced by

Representatives Kerzman, DeKrey, Froelich

Senator Lyson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 20.1-03-07 and section
2 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to small game hunting by nonresidents;
3 and to repeal section 20.1-08-04.9 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hunting by
4 nonresidents.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 20.1-03-07 of the North Dakota
7 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

8 1. Hunt, catch, take, or kill any small game without a ~~nonresident~~ small game license.
9 ~~The nonresident small game license entitles the nonresident to hunt small game~~
10 ~~for any period of ten consecutive days or any two periods of five consecutive days~~
11 ~~each. The hunting period for which the license is valid must be designated on the~~
12 ~~license. A nonresident small game license is not required to hunt waterfowl under~~
13 ~~section 20.1-03-07.1. A nonresident may purchase more than one nonresident~~
14 ~~small game license per year.~~

15 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code is
16 amended and reenacted as follows:

17 **20.1-03-12. Schedule of fees for licenses and permits.** The various license and
18 permit fees are as follows:

19 1. For ~~a resident~~ an individual, age sixteen and over, small game hunting license, six
20 dollars.
21 2. ~~For a nonresident small game hunting license, eighty five dollars.~~
22 3. For a resident big game hunting license, twenty dollars, except the fee for a
23 licensee under age sixteen is ten dollars, except as provided in a gubernatorial
24 proclamation issued pursuant to section 20.1-08-04.1.

1 ~~4.~~ 3. Except for a nonresident who participates on the same basis as a resident in a
2 lottery for deer licenses remaining after the second lottery for residents under
3 subsection 4 of section 20.1-03-11, for a nonresident big game hunting license, two
4 hundred dollars, and for a nonresident bow license, two hundred dollars, and a
5 nonrefundable five dollar application fee must accompany any lottery license fee
6 under this subsection, except as provided in a gubernatorial proclamation issued
7 pursuant to section 20.1-08-04.1. For a nonresident who participates on the same
8 basis as a resident in a lottery for deer licenses remaining after the second lottery
9 for residents, fifty dollars.

10 ~~5.~~ 4. For a resident fur-bearer license, seven dollars.

11 ~~6.~~ 5. For a resident fishing license, ten dollars, except that for a resident sixty-five years
12 or over or a resident totally or permanently disabled, the license fee is three
13 dollars.

14 ~~7.~~ 6. For a nonresident fishing license, thirty-five dollars.

15 ~~8.~~ 7. For a nonresident short-term seven-day fishing license, twenty dollars.

16 ~~9.~~ 8. For a resident husband and wife fishing license, fourteen dollars.

17 ~~10.~~ 9. For a nonresident nongame hunting license, fifteen dollars.

18 ~~11.~~ 10. For a wild turkey permit, eight dollars.

19 ~~12.~~ 11. For an annual general game license, three dollars.

20 ~~13.~~ 12. For a permit to propagate, domesticate, or possess protected wildlife, five dollars.

21 ~~14.~~ 13. For a license to a nonresident buyer or shipper of green furs, or that person's
22 agent, the amount that the nonresident buyer or shipper of green furs would pay for
23 a nonresident buyer or shipper of green furs license or comparable license in that
24 person's state of residence, or fifty dollars, whichever is greater.

25 ~~15.~~ 14. For a license to a resident buyer or shipper of green furs, eight dollars for each
26 place of business maintained by that person within this state.

27 ~~16.~~ 15. For a license to a resident traveling agent, buyer, or shipper of green furs, twenty
28 dollars.

29 ~~17.~~ 16. For an annual license to practice taxidermy, twenty-five dollars.

30 ~~18.~~ 17. For a permit to ship, by a person having a resident hunting license, during the
31 respective open seasons, not to exceed in any one season twenty-five game birds,

- 1 to points within this state other than that person's home or to points outside this
2 state, three dollars.
- 3 ~~49.~~ 18. For a permit to make collections of protected birds and animals for scientific
4 purposes, ten dollars.
- 5 ~~20.~~ 19. For a motorboat certificate of number and license: Each motorboat under sixteen
6 feet [4.88 meters] in length, and all canoes, regardless of length, powered by a
7 motor, twelve dollars. Each motorboat sixteen feet [4.88 meters] in length and over
8 but shorter than twenty feet [6.1 meters] in length, excluding canoes, twenty-four
9 dollars. Each motorboat twenty feet [6.1 meters] in length or over excluding
10 canoes, thirty-three dollars.
- 11 ~~24.~~ 20. To operate watercraft used for hire, the following license fees apply for three years:
12 Class 1. Each craft capable of carrying two adults of average weight,
13 six dollars.
- 14 Class 2. Each craft capable of carrying three adults of average weight,
15 six dollars.
- 16 Class 3. Each craft capable of carrying four adults of average weight,
17 six dollars.
- 18 Class 4. Each craft capable of carrying five adults of average weight,
19 six dollars.
- 20 Class 5. Each craft capable of carrying up to eight adults of average weight,
21 nine dollars.
- 22 Class 6. Each craft capable of carrying up to ten adults of average weight,
23 twelve dollars.
- 24 Class 7. Each craft capable of carrying up to fifteen adults of average weight,
25 twenty-four dollars.
- 26 Class 8. Each craft capable of carrying sixteen or more adults of average weight,
27 thirty dollars.
- 28 ~~22.~~ 21. For the taking of undesirable fish from the waters of this state pursuant to section
29 20.1-06-05, fifteen dollars for each hoop-net or trap, and fifteen dollars for each
30 seine of fifty feet [15.24 meters] or any fraction thereof.
- 31 ~~23.~~ 22. For a resident paddlefish tag annual license, three dollars per tag.

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- 1 ~~24.~~ 23. For a nonresident paddlefish tag annual license, seven dollars and fifty cents per
2 tag.
- 3 ~~25.~~ 24. For an annual resident license to sell minnows or other live bait at wholesale, thirty
4 dollars.
- 5 ~~26.~~ 25. For an annual license to sell minnows or other live bait at retail, fifteen dollars,
6 except the fee is seventy-five dollars if white suckers are sold.
- 7 ~~27.~~ 26. For an annual license to operate a private fish hatchery, seventy-five dollars.
- 8 ~~28.~~ 27. For a resident commercial frog license, fifty dollars.
- 9 ~~29.~~ 28. For a nonresident commercial frog license, two hundred dollars.
- 10 ~~30.~~ 29. For a resident frog license, three dollars.
- 11 ~~31.~~ 30. For a resident husband and wife frog license, five dollars.
- 12 ~~32.~~ 31. For a shooting preserve operating permit:
13 a. One hundred dollars, if the shooting preserve consists of an area of six
14 hundred forty acres [259 hectares] or less; or
15 b. One hundred dollars, if the shooting preserve consists of an area of more than
16 six hundred forty acres [259 hectares], plus fifty cents per acre [.40 hectare]
17 for each acre [.40 hectare] over six hundred forty acres [259 hectares].
- 18 ~~33.~~ 32. For a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, eighty-five dollars.
- 19 ~~34.~~ 33. For a nonresident husband and wife fishing license, forty-five dollars.
- 20 ~~35.~~ 34. For a nonresident short-term three-day fishing license, fifteen dollars.
- 21 ~~36.~~ 35. For a nonresident fur-bearer and nongame hunting license, twenty-five dollars.
- 22 ~~37.~~ 36. For a combination license, thirty-two dollars.
- 23 ~~38.~~ 37. For a white-tailed deer license sold to certified guides or outfitters and provided by
24 them to nonresidents, two hundred fifty dollars.
- 25 ~~39.~~ 38. For a resident swan license, five dollars.
- 26 ~~40.~~ 39. For a nonresident swan license, twenty-five dollars.
- 27 ~~41.~~ 40. For a resident and nonresident sandhill crane license, five dollars.
- 28 ~~42.~~ 41. For a resident commercial clam license, one hundred dollars.
- 29 ~~43.~~ 42. For a nonresident commercial clam license, one thousand dollars.

- 1 ~~44.~~ 43. For a commercial clam dealer's permit, two thousand dollars. In addition, the
2 applicant shall submit to the director a surety bond in the sum of two thousand
3 dollars.
- 4 ~~45.~~ 44. For an annual nonresident license to sell minnows or other live bait at wholesale,
5 two hundred dollars.
- 6 ~~46.~~ 45. For a bighorn sheep license issued to a nonresident, five hundred dollars.
- 7 ~~47.~~ 46. For a nonresident reciprocal trapping license, two hundred fifty dollars.
- 8 ~~48.~~ 47. For a nonresident spring white goose license, fifty dollars.
- 9 ~~49.~~ 48. For a resident certificate fee, one dollar, and for a nonresident certificate fee, two
10 dollars. An agent may not charge a service fee for issuing a resident or
11 nonresident certificate fee.
- 12 The fees for these licenses and permits, except for motorboat license fees, must be deposited
13 with the state treasurer and credited to the game and fish fund. Forty-five dollars of each
14 nonresident big game hunting license fee must be used for the private land initiative.
- 15 **SECTION 3. REPEAL.** Section 20.1-08-04.9 of the North Dakota Century Code is
16 repealed.