

**SENATE BILL NO. 2262**

Introduced by

Senators Christmann, B. Stenehjem

Representatives Brusegaard, Gerntholz, Koppelman

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 62.1-04 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to reciprocity for concealed weapons licenses.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 62.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 created and enacted as follows:

6 **Reciprocity.**

- 7 1. A person who has a valid license issued by another state to carry a concealed  
8 firearm or dangerous weapon in that state and whose state grants to residents of  
9 this state the right to carry a concealed firearm or dangerous weapon without  
10 requiring a separate license to carry a concealed firearm or dangerous weapon  
11 issued by that state may carry, subject to the provisions of this state's law, a  
12 concealed firearm or dangerous weapon in this state, and the other state's license  
13 is valid in this state.
- 14 2. A person who holds a valid license issued by another state whose home state  
15 permits a resident of this state to obtain a license to carry a concealed firearm or  
16 dangerous weapon in that same state may apply directly to the bureau of criminal  
17 investigation for a license to carry a concealed firearm or dangerous weapon in this  
18 state. The bureau of criminal investigation shall issue a license to carry a  
19 concealed firearm or dangerous weapon after verifying that the person applying  
20 has a valid license to carry a concealed firearm or dangerous weapon issued by  
21 that person's home state. If the other state requires testing, the bureau must test  
22 under this state's laws accordingly.