

**Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 9, 2001**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
(Representatives Hanson, S. Kelsh, Kroeber)
(Senators Nething, Stenehjem, Wanzek)

AN ACT to provide for a legislative council study of issues relating to resident and nonresident hunting in this state.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY OF RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT HUNTING. During the 2001-2002 interim, the legislative council shall study issues relating to resident and nonresident hunting in this state. The study must include the number of licenses issued to residents and nonresidents and the fees for those licenses, the time period for which a license is valid, whether zones should be established, effects on landowners, effects on guides and outfitters, the economic impact of nonresident hunters on the state of North Dakota, and how states bordering North Dakota are addressing issues relating to nonresident and resident hunting. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the fifty-eighth legislative assembly.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1269.

House Vote: Yeas 82 Nays 9 Absent 7

Senate Vote: Yeas 37 Nays 12 Absent 0

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2001.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2001.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2001,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State