

SENATE BILL NO. 2049

Introduced by

Legislative Council

(Judiciary B Committee)

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 limitations on nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses and reduced fee
3 incentives.

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

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

7 **20.1-03-07.1. Nonresident waterfowl hunting license required.** Except as provided
8 in sections 20.1-03-07.2 and 20.1-03-07.3, a nonresident may not hunt waterfowl unless that
9 person first obtains a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, in addition to a nonresident small
10 game hunting license. The nonresident waterfowl hunting license entitles the nonresident to
11 hunt waterfowl for ~~any period of fourteen consecutive days, any period of seven~~ one of two
12 ~~consecutive days, or any two periods of seven consecutive days each.~~ A license authorizing
13 ~~the fourteen day hunting period allows hunting in a specified waterfowl hunting zone.~~ A license
14 ~~authorizing one 7 day hunting period allows hunting~~ ten-day periods in the first twenty days of
15 the season or a period anytime after the twentieth day of the season. The license is valid
16 statewide. ~~A license authorizing two 7 day hunting periods allows hunting in a specified zone~~
17 ~~during each period.~~ The governor, in the governor's proclamation, shall specify ~~various~~
18 ~~waterfowl hunting zones for which nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses will be available, and~~
19 ~~may specify the number of licenses which may be issued in each zone and the manner in which~~
20 ~~they are to be issued; however, no more than ten thousand nonresident waterfowl hunting~~
21 licenses may be issued for either of the two 10-day periods in the first twenty days of the
22 season and the number of licenses for the period after the twentieth day may not be limited.
23 The governor shall specify that licenses are to be issued to nonresidents in the order the

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- 1 applications are received by the department. A nonresident is entitled to purchase only one
- 2 nonresident waterfowl hunting license per year.