

**SENATE BILL NO. 2227**

Introduced by

Senators Every, Andrist, Fischer

Representative Nelson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.2 of the North Dakota Century  
2 Code, relating to hunting by nonresident youths.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-07.2 of the North Dakota Century Code  
5 is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **20.1-03-07.2. Nonresident youth hunting licenses.** A nonresident youth who is less  
7 than sixteen years of age may purchase a resident small game hunting license and may hunt  
8 small game and waterfowl except swans and wild turkeys; ~~provided, that the nonresident~~  
9 ~~youth's state, or province or territory of Canada, of residence provides a reciprocal licensing~~  
10 ~~agreement for North Dakota residents who are less than sixteen years of age.~~ To be eligible to  
11 purchase a license under this section, a nonresident youth may not have arrived at the age of  
12 sixteen before September first of the year for which the license is issued and must possess a  
13 certificate of completion for a certified hunter education course. The nonresident youth may  
14 only hunt under the supervision of an adult family member or legal guardian who is licensed to  
15 hunt small game or waterfowl in this state and is subject to the same regulations as that youth's  
16 adult family member or legal guardian. This section does not apply to the hunting of big game  
17 or to a license issued by lottery.