

Sixty-first
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

REENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2189

Introduced by

Senator Hogue

Representatives DeKrey, Hofstad, Porter, Ruby

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to game and fish license fees for residents under eighteen years of age;
3 to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 3 of section 20.1-03-12 and section 20.1-03-12.1 of
4 the North Dakota Century Code, relating to game and fish license fees; and to provide an
5 effective date.

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

7 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsections 1 and 3 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North
8 Dakota Century Code are amended and reenacted as follows:

- 9 1. For a resident, age ~~sixteen~~ eighteen and over, small game hunting license, six
10 dollars.
- 11 3. For a resident big game hunting license, twenty dollars, ~~except the fee for a~~
12 ~~licensee under age sixteen is ten dollars~~, except as provided in a gubernatorial
13 proclamation issued pursuant to section 20.1-08-04.1.

14 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code
15 is amended and reenacted as follows:

16 **20.1-03-12.1. Habitat restoration stamp required - Use of revenue - Land**
17 **purchases not allowed.** Except for licenses issued under section 20.1-03-07.3, a habitat
18 restoration stamp is required for every resident and nonresident general game license for which
19 a stamp fee of ~~ten~~ thirteen dollars must be charged. The habitat restoration stamp fee is in
20 addition to the annual general game license fee charged under section 20.1-03-12. Land may
21 not be purchased with habitat restoration stamp moneys. All moneys generated by habitat
22 restoration stamp fees must be placed in the game and fish private land habitat and access
23 improvement fund with five dollars of the fee allocated to the private land open to sportsmen
24 program.

1 **SECTION 3.** A new section to chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is
2 created and enacted as follows:

3 **No license fee for residents under age eighteen.** Notwithstanding any other
4 provision of law, the director may not charge a game or fish license fee for a license issued to a
5 resident under eighteen years of age.

6 **SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Act becomes effective on April 1, 2010.