

**SENATE BILL NO. 2352**

Introduced by

Senators Oehlke, Cook, Nelson

Representatives Delzer, D. Johnson

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 20.1-01-01 and a new section  
2 to chapter 20.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hunting through the internet;  
3 and to provide a penalty.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** A new subsection to section 20.1-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
6 created and enacted as follows:

7 "Hunt through the internet" means to hunt wildlife in real time using internet services to  
8 remotely control actual firearms and to remotely discharge live ammunition allowing a  
9 person who is not physically present to take wildlife. The term includes using any  
10 remotely controlled device to hunt the animal such as a hand-held communication  
11 device, cellular telephone, or global-positioning device.

12 **SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 20.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
13 and enacted as follows:

14 **Hunting through the internet prohibited - Penalty.**

15 1. A person may not:

16 a. Hunt through the internet;

17 b. Host a hunt through the internet;

18 c. Import, export, or possess wildlife or any part thereof which has been taken by a  
19 hunt through the internet; or

20 d. Otherwise enable another person to hunt through the internet.

21 2. A person who violates this section is guilty of a class C felony.