

HOUSE BILL NO. 1224

Introduced by

Representatives Laning, Brandenburg, Delzer, Louser

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 nonresident waterfowl hunting.

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

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

6 **20.1-03-07.1. Nonresident waterfowl hunting license required.**

- 7 1. Except as provided in sections 20.1-02-05, 20.1-03-07.2, and 20.1-03-07.3, a
8 nonresident may not hunt waterfowl unless that individual first obtains a nonresident
9 waterfowl hunting license. However, a nonresident may hunt cranes after first
10 obtaining a nonresident waterfowl hunting license or a nonresident small game hunting
11 license.
- 12 2. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the nonresident waterfowl hunting license
13 entitles the nonresident to hunt waterfowl for any period of fourteen consecutive days
14 or any ~~two~~three periods of seven consecutive days each. A license authorizing the
15 fourteen-day hunting period allows hunting in a specified waterfowl hunting zone. A
16 license authorizing ~~two~~three 7-day hunting periods allows hunting in a specified zone
17 during each period.
- 18 3. Upon payment of the fee for a statewide nonresident waterfowl hunting license, a
19 nonresident may hunt waterfowl in any zone. Forty dollars of the fee for a statewide
20 nonresident waterfowl license must be used for the private land open to sportsmen
21 program.
- 22 4. The governor, in the governor's proclamation, shall specify various waterfowl hunting
23 zones for which nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses will be available, and may

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- 1 specify the number of licenses which may be issued in each zone and the manner in
2 which they are to be issued.
- 3 5. A nonresident is entitled to purchase only one nonresident waterfowl hunting license
4 per year.
- 5 6. The fourteen-day and ~~two~~three 7-day hunting period restrictions do not apply to
6 nonresidents hunting during the early Canada goose season.