

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO

### HOUSE BILL NO. 1147

Introduced by

Representatives D. Johnston, Brandenburg, Kasper, Marschall, Nehring, M. Ruby, Tveit  
Senators Clemens, Paulson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to fees for game and fish licenses and permits.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **20.1-03-12. Schedule of fees for licenses and permits.**

7 The fees collected under this section for licenses and permits must be deposited with the  
8 state treasurer and credited to the game and fish fund, except aquatic nuisance species fees  
9 must be deposited with the state treasurer and credited to the aquatic nuisance species  
10 program fund. Forty-five dollars of each nonresident big game hunting license fee must be used  
11 for the private land initiative. The various license and permit fees are as follows:

- 12 1. For a resident, age sixteen and over, small game hunting license, ten dollars.
- 13 2. For a nonresident small game hunting license, one hundred dollars.
- 14 3. For a resident big game hunting license, thirty dollars, except the fee for a licensee  
15 under age sixteen is ten dollars, except as provided in a gubernatorial proclamation  
16 issued pursuant to section 20.1-08-04.1.
- 17 4. Except for a nonresident who participates on the same basis as a resident in a lottery  
18 for deer licenses remaining after the second lottery for residents under subsection 4 of  
19 section 20.1-03-11, for a nonresident big game hunting license, two hundred fifty  
20 dollars, and for a nonresident bow license, two hundred fifty dollars, and a

- 1 nonrefundable five dollar application fee must accompany any lottery license fee under  
2 this subsection, except as provided in a gubernatorial proclamation issued pursuant to  
3 section 20.1-08-04.1. For a nonresident who participates on the same basis as a  
4 resident in a lottery for deer licenses remaining after the second lottery for residents,  
5 fifty dollars.
- 6 5. For a resident fur-bearer license, fifteen dollars.
- 7 6. For a resident fishing license, sixteen dollars, except that for a resident sixty-five years  
8 or over, a resident totally or permanently disabled, or a resident disabled veteran who  
9 has at least a fifty percent service-connected disability as determined by the  
10 department of veterans' affairs or has an extra-schedular rating to include individual  
11 unemployability that brings the veteran's total disability ratio to at least fifty percent,  
12 the license fee is five dollars.
- 13 7. For a nonresident fishing license, forty-five dollars.
- 14 8. For a resident husband and wife fishing license, twenty-two dollars.
- 15 9. For a nonresident nongame hunting license, fifteen dollars.
- 16 10. For a resident wild turkey permit, fifteen dollars.
- 17 11. For an annual general game license, three dollars.
- 18 12. For a license to a nonresident buyer or shipper of green furs, or that person's agent,  
19 the amount that the nonresident buyer or shipper of green furs would pay for a  
20 nonresident buyer or shipper of green furs license or comparable license in that  
21 person's state of residence, or fifty dollars, whichever is greater.
- 22 13. For a license to a resident buyer or shipper of green furs, eight dollars for each place  
23 of business maintained by that person within this state.
- 24 14. For a license to a resident traveling agent, buyer, or shipper of green furs, twenty  
25 dollars.
- 26 15. For an annual license to practice taxidermy, twenty-five dollars.
- 27 16. For a permit to ship, by a person having a resident hunting license, during the  
28 respective open seasons, not to exceed in any one season twenty-five game birds, to  
29 points within this state other than that person's home or to points outside this state,  
30 three dollars.

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- 1        17. For a permit to make collections of protected birds and animals for scientific purposes,  
2        ten dollars.
- 3        18. For a motorboat certificate of number and license: ~~Each, each~~ motorboat under:  
4        a. Under sixteen feet [4.88 meters] in length, and all canoes, regardless of length,  
5        powered by a motor, eighteen dollars. ~~Each motorboat sixteen~~  
6        b. Sixteen feet [4.88 meters] in length and over but shorter than twenty feet  
7        [6.1 meters] in length, excluding canoes, thirty-six dollars. ~~Each motorboat twenty~~  
8        c. Twenty feet [6.1 meters] in length or over excluding canoes, forty-five dollars.
- 9        19. For the taking of undesirable fish from the waters of this state pursuant to section  
10        20.1-06-05, fifteen dollars for each hoop-net or trap, and fifteen dollars for each seine  
11        of fifty feet [15.24 meters] or any fraction thereof.
- 12        20. For a resident paddlefish tag annual license, ten dollars per tag.
- 13        21. For a nonresident paddlefish tag annual license, twenty-five dollars and fifty cents per  
14        tag.
- 15        22. For an annual resident license to sell minnows or other live bait at wholesale, fifty  
16        dollars.
- 17        23. For an annual license to sell minnows or other live bait at retail, fifteen dollars, except  
18        the fee is seventy-five dollars if white suckers are sold.
- 19        24. For an annual license to operate a private fish hatchery, seventy-five dollars.
- 20        25. For a resident commercial frog license, fifty dollars.
- 21        26. For a nonresident commercial frog license, two hundred dollars.
- 22        27. For a resident frog license, three dollars.
- 23        28. For a resident husband and wife frog license, five dollars.
- 24        29. For a shooting preserve operating permit, one hundred dollars, plus thirty cents per  
25        acre [.40 hectare] for each acre [.40 hectare].
- 26        30. For a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, one hundred dollars.
- 27        31. For a nonresident husband and wife fishing license, sixty dollars.
- 28        32. For a nonresident short-term three-day fishing license, twenty-five dollars.
- 29        33. For a nonresident fur-bearer and nongame hunting license, forty dollars.
- 30        34. For a combination license, fifty dollars.

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- 1        35. For a white-tailed deer license sold to certified guides or outfitters and provided by
- 2            them to nonresidents, two hundred fifty dollars.
- 3        36. For a resident swan license, ten dollars.
- 4        37. For a nonresident swan license, thirty dollars.
- 5        38. For a resident sandhill crane license, ten dollars.
- 6        39. For a nonresident sandhill crane license, thirty dollars.
- 7        40. For a resident commercial clam license, one hundred dollars.
- 8        41. For a nonresident commercial clam license, one thousand dollars.
- 9        42. For a commercial clam dealer's permit, two thousand dollars. In addition, the applicant
- 10           shall submit to the director a surety bond in the sum of two thousand dollars.
- 11        43. For an annual class B nonresident license to sell minnows or other live bait at
- 12            wholesale, two hundred fifty dollars.
- 13        44. For a bighorn sheep license issued to a nonresident, five hundred dollars.
- 14        45. For a nonresident reciprocal trapping license, three hundred fifty dollars.
- 15        46. For a nonresident spring white goose license, fifty dollars.
- 16        47. For a resident certificate fee, one dollar, and for a nonresident certificate fee, two
- 17            dollars. An agent may not charge a service fee for issuing a resident or nonresident
- 18            certificate fee.
- 19        48. For a nonresident short-term ten-day fishing license, thirty-five dollars.
- 20        49. For a nonresident wild turkey permit, eighty dollars.
- 21        50. For a statewide nonresident waterfowl hunting license, one hundred fifty dollars.
- 22        51. For an annual class A nonresident license to sell minnows or other live bait at
- 23            wholesale, five hundred dollars.
- 24        52. For a resident early Canada goose season license, five dollars.
- 25        53. For a nonresident early Canada goose season license, fifty dollars.
- 26        54. For a ~~resident disabled veteran~~ combined general game, habitat stamp, small game,
- 27            and fur-bearer license; for a resident disabled veteran who has at least a fifty percent
- 28            service-connected disability as determined by the department of veterans' affairs,
- 29            three dollars.
- 30        55. For each motorboat licensed in this state, an aquatic nuisance species fee of fifteen
- 31            dollars valid concurrent with motorboat licensure.

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- 1       56.   For each motorboat operated on waters of this state and not licensed in this state, an  
2           aquatic nuisance species fee of fifteen dollars for the calendar year in which it is paid.