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## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO

## **SENATE BILL NO. 2216**

Introduced by

**Senator Cleary** 

Representatives Bosch, Porter

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 20.1-02 and a new section to
- 2 chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to waterfowl habitat restoration
- 3 stamp fees and the waterfowl habitat improvement fund.

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

- 5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 20.1-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:
- 7 <u>Waterfowl habitat improvement fund.</u>
- There is created in the state treasury a special fund known as the waterfowl habitat
- 9 improvement fund. The fund consists of transfers and deposits made in accordance with
- section 2 of this Act and interest earned on moneys in the fund. Moneys in the fund may be
- 11 spent, subject to legislative appropriations, for improving or restoring waterfowl habitat and
- 12 <u>supporting youth hunting programs.</u>
- SECTION 2. A new section to chapter 20.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:
- 15 <u>Waterfowl habitat restoration stamp required Use of revenue.</u>
- A waterfowl habitat restoration stamp is required for every resident small game license and nonresident intending to hunt waterfowl within the state for which a stamp fee of ten dollars
- 18 must be charged. The waterfowl habitat restoration stamp fee is in addition to the annual small
- 19 game license fee charged under section 20.1-03-12. All money generated by waterfowl habitat
- 20 <u>restoration stamp fees must be placed in the waterfowl habitat improvement fund.</u>