

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1208**

Introduced by

Representatives Grueneich, Brandenburg, Dockter, Hagert, Weisz

Senators Erbele, Wanzek

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to individuals who are exempt from having an operator's license.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-06-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-06-02. Individuals who are exempt from having an operator's license - Resident**  
7 **defined.**

- 8 1. The following individuals are exempt from having an operator's license:
- 9 a. An employee of the United States government while operating a motor vehicle  
10 owned by or leased to that government and being operated on official business.
  - 11 b. A nonresident who is at least sixteen years of age, who has in that individual's  
12 immediate possession a valid operator's license issued to that individual in that  
13 individual's home state or country.
  - 14 c. A member of the armed forces of the United States while that individual is  
15 stationed in North Dakota, if that individual has a valid current operator's license  
16 from another state.
  - 17 d. An individual over sixteen years of age who becomes a resident of this state and  
18 who has in possession a valid operator's license issued to that individual under  
19 the laws of some other state or country or by military authorities of the United  
20 States for a period of not more than sixty days after becoming a resident of this  
21 state.
  - 22 e. A member of the North Dakota national guard operating any military vehicles as  
23 authorized by a national guard operator's license while on duty.

- 1           2. For purposes of this chapter, an individual is deemed a resident of this state when the  
2           individual has lived in the state for ninety consecutive days, unless the individual is a  
3           nonresident student, a tourist, ~~or~~ a member of the armed forces, or in the state to  
4           perform agricultural labor on a H-2A visa pursuant to 8 U.S.C. 1188.