

Sixty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1204

Introduced by

Representatives Heinert, Magrum, Oliver, Porter, Zubke

Senators D. Larson, Oban

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-01.5, and subdivision a of subsection 1
2 of section 20.1-03-11, ~~and section 20.1-04-05~~ of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to
3 youth hunting; and to repeal section 20.1-04-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to
4 the protection of bald eagles.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-01.5 of the North Dakota Century Code is
7 amended and reenacted as follows:

8 **20.1-03-01.5. Apprentice hunter validation.**

9 An individual born after December 31, 1961, who is ~~sixteen~~twelve years of age or older and
10 who does not possess a hunter safety education course certificate of completion may be issued
11 an apprentice hunter validation. An apprentice hunter validation is valid for only one license year
12 in a lifetime. An individual in possession of an apprentice hunter validation may hunt small game
13 and deer only when accompanied by an adult licensed to hunt in this state whose license was
14 not obtained using an apprentice hunter validation. An apprentice hunter validation holder must
15 obtain all required licenses and stamps. For purposes of this section, "accompanied" means to
16 stay within a distance of another individual that permits uninterrupted visual contact in unaided
17 verbal communication.

18 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Subdivision a of subsection 1 of section 20.1-03-11 of the
19 North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

20 a. An individual ~~who has completed the hunter education course and~~ whose
21 eleventh, twelfth, or thirteenth birthday occurs in the same year as a youth deer
22 hunting season is entitled to receive a statewide white-tailed antlerless deer
23 permit but may hunt only in that youth deer hunting season.

1 ~~— **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-04-05 of the North Dakota Century Code is~~
2 ~~amended and reenacted as follows:~~

3 ~~— **20.1-04-05. Golden eagle, bald eagle protected.**~~

4 ~~— No person, without a permit issued by the director, may take, kill, hunt, possess, sell,~~
5 ~~purchase, pursue, shoot at, disturb, capture, or destroy any golden eagle, bald eagle, or any~~
6 ~~nest or egg thereof, within North Dakota.~~

7 **SECTION 3. REPEAL.** Section 20.1-04-05 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed.