

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 20.1-03-01.6 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to hunter education requirements for veterans; and to amend and reenact
3 section 20.1-03-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to hunter education
4 requirements for veterans.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-01.2 of the North Dakota Century Code is
7 amended and reenacted as follows:

8 **20.1-03-01.2. Instruction required before issuance of hunting license - Age limits -**
9 **Penalty.**

10 No person born after December 31, 1961, except as provided in section 20.1-03-01.3, may
11 be issued any hunting license in this state unless that person submits or exhibits the certificate
12 of completion earned by that person for successful completion of the course of instruction
13 required by sections 20.1-03-01.1 through 20.1-03-01.3 or section 20.1-03-01.6, or the person
14 submits or exhibits a prior North Dakota hunting license issued to that person with that person's
15 hunter education certificate number on the license. A certificate of completion issued by any
16 other state or province of Canada is valid for all purposes. Any person who purchases a hunting
17 license without successfully completing the course of instruction required by sections
18 20.1-03-01.1 through 20.1-03-01.3 is guilty of a class 2 noncriminal offense.

19 **SECTION 2.** Section 20.1-03-01.6 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and
20 enacted as follows:

21 **Veteran hunter education.**

22 An honorably discharged veteran who must obtain a certificate of completion for a hunter
23 education course under this chapter may obtain the certificate by completing four hours of
24 online instruction on hunter safety approved by the director.