

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 and subsection 31 of  
2 section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to nonresident waterfowl hunting  
3 licenses.

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

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
6 amended and reenacted as follows:

7 **20.1-03-07.1. Nonresident waterfowl hunting license required.**

- 8 1. Except as provided in sections 20.1-02-05, 20.1-03-07.2, and 20.1-03-07.3, a  
9 nonresident may not hunt waterfowl unless that individual first obtains a nonresident  
10 waterfowl hunting license. However, a nonresident may hunt cranes after first  
11 obtaining a nonresident waterfowl hunting license or a nonresident small game hunting  
12 license.
- 13 2. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the nonresident waterfowl hunting license  
14 entitles the nonresident to hunt waterfowl for any period of fourteen consecutive days  
15 or any two periods of seven consecutive days each. A license authorizing the  
16 fourteen-day hunting period allows hunting in a specified waterfowl hunting zone. A  
17 license authorizing two 7-day hunting periods allows hunting in a specified zone during  
18 each period.
- 19 3. Upon payment of the fee for a statewide nonresident waterfowl hunting license, a  
20 nonresident may hunt waterfowl in any zone. ~~Forty~~Except as provided under  
21 subsection 5, forty dollars of the fee for a statewide nonresident waterfowl license  
22 must be used for the private land open to sportsmen program.
- 23 4. The governor, in the governor's proclamation, shall specify various waterfowl hunting  
24 zones for which nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses will be available, and may

1 specify the number of licenses which may be issued in each zone and the manner in  
2 which they are to be issued.

3 5. A nonresident under age sixty-five is entitled to purchase only one nonresident  
4 waterfowl hunting license per year. A nonresident age sixty-five or older is entitled to  
5 purchase up to two nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses per year. One hundred  
6 dollars of the fee for the nonresident's second license must be used for the private  
7 land open to sportsmen program.

8 6. The fourteen-day and two 7-day hunting period restrictions do not apply to  
9 nonresidents hunting during the early Canada goose season.

10 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 31 of section 20.1-03-12 of the North Dakota  
11 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

12 31. For a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, one hundred dollars, except the fee for  
13 an eligible nonresident's second nonresident waterfowl hunting license in any year is  
14 one hundred fifty dollars.