

HOUSE BILL NO. 1218

Introduced by

Representatives Porter, D. Anderson, Damschen, Lefor, M. Ruby

Senators Patten, Bell

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-08-04.9 of the North Dakota Century
2 Code, relating to pheasant hunting by nonresidents who own land in North Dakota.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-08-04.9 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **20.1-08-04.9. Small game proclamation - Pheasants.**

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8 1. Except as provided in subsection 2, the governor, in the governor's proclamation, shall
9 prohibit a nonresident from hunting for the first seven days of the pheasant season on
10 land owned or private land enrolled by the department for the purposes of hunting or
11 on land for which the department pays in lieu of tax payments.

12 2. A nonresident with a valid small game hunting license may hunt pheasant during the
13 first seven days of the pheasant season if:

14 a. The nonresident is an individual who owns property enrolled in this state's private
15 land open to sportsmen program;

16 b. The nonresident is named as a party to the cooperative agreement with the
17 department enrolling the nonresident's property in the private land open to
18 sportsmen program; and

19 c. The nonresident hunts on the nonresident's property enrolled in the private land
20 open to sportsmen program.