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2003 HOUSE NATURAL RESOURCES

HB 1501

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2003 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 1501

House Natural Resources Committee

Conference Committee

Hearing Date February 13, 2003

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Minutes:

**Chair Porter** called the meeting on HB 1501 relating to hunting near occupied buildings to order.

**Rep. Klein:** Introduced HB 1501 and proposed an amendment. This bill should be common sense. The amendment would allow landowners to hunt on their own land. This will straiten out game and fish and plots land.

**Rep. Drovdal:** Why is the 440 treated differently than private lands?

**Rep. Klein:** This would be an undue hardship on those departments.

**Rep. Drovdal:** This would be an undue hardship on those people as well.

**Rep. Klein:** This is a compromise.

**Lyle Peltz:** Homeowner, Landowner, and Hunter. Opposed to HB 1501.

**Harold Neameyer:** Cass County Wildlife Club. Testified in opposition to HB 1501. (See

**Attached Testimony)** The amendment helps however.

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**Rep. Hunsakor:** Why is the last part in there?

**Roger Rosvitt:** I am not sure we need the last part. It is for clarification only.

**Chair Porter** closes the hearing on HB 1501.

**Chair Nelson** reopens the hearing on HB 1501 during committee work.

**Rep. Nottestad** moves an amendment. **Rep. Klein** seconds.

Motion carries by voice vote.

**Rep. Clark** motioned a **Do Not Pass with amendment**. **Rep. Nottestad** Seconded.

Motion carries by a vote of 10-2-2

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Title.0300

Prepared by the Legislative Council staff for  
Representative F. Klein  
February 12, 2003

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2/13/03

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1501 NAT 2-13-03

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Date: 2/6/03  
Roll Call Vote #: 1

2003 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES  
BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 1501

House House Natural Resources Committee

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Legislative Council Amendment Number \_\_\_\_\_

Action Taken Do Not Pass w Amend

Motion Made By Clark Seconded By Nottestad

Representatives	Yes	No	Representatives	Yes	No
Chairman Jon O. Nelson	✓				
Vice-Chairman Todd Porter	✓				
Rep. Byron Clark	✓				
Rep. Duane DeKrey	✓				
Rep. David Drovdal	✓				
Rep. Lyle Hanson	✓				
Rep. Bob Hunskor	✓				
Rep. Dennis Johnson	✓				
Rep. George Keiser					
Rep. Scott Kelsh					
Rep. Frank Klein		✓			
Rep. Mike Norland	✓				
Rep. Darrell Nottestad	✓				
Rep. Dorvan Solberg		✓			

Total (Yes) 10 No 2

Absent 2

Floor Assignment Clark

If the vote is on an amendment, briefly indicate intent:

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)  
February 13, 2003 2:03 p.m.

Module No: HR-28-2609  
Carrier: Clark  
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**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**HB 1501: Natural Resources Committee (Rep. Nelson, Chairman) recommends AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends DO NOT PASS (10 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1501 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.**

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2003 TESTIMONY

HB 1501

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**TESTIMONY OF HAROLD NEAMEYER**  
**CASS COUNTY WILDLIFE CLUB**  
PRESENTED TO THE HOUSE NATURAL RESOURCE COMMITTEE  
ON HB 1501, FEBRUARY 13, 2003

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee:

I am Harold Neameyer speaking on behalf of the Cass County Wildlife Club. The Cass County Wildlife Club opposes HB 1501 basically because it denies a landowner the right to hunt his or her own property. It infringes on private property rights. As the bill is written, a landowner would have to ask a neighbor for permission to hunt one's own land.

Hunters need to exercise common sense and safety when near occupied buildings. There is a world of difference between bow hunting and rifle hunting for deer. This bill does allow hunters inside the restricted zone to hunt on public lands.

The club opposes this HB 1501.



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**TESTIMONY REFERENCING HB 1501**  
**By Mike Donahue, Lobbyist #215**  
**February 13, 2003**

**House Natural Resources Committee**

The United Sportsmen of North Dakota and the N.D. Wildlife Federation are opposed to this bill unless it is amended.

The changes suggested in line 7 would not allow property owners to hunt on all of their property if the occupant of a dwelling near a property line objected.

We ask for the following amendment:

1. Line 7 delete: not
2. Line 7 Delete: the strikeover of "upon the premises of another,"

Assuming line 7 is amended, then line 9 after the period should remove "This section does" and replace that with "Permission and consent do....."

