

HOUSE BILL NO. 1386

Introduced by

Representative DeKrey

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 20.1-03-12 of the North
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to the fee for a special nonresident waterfowl hunting license;
3 and to amend and reenact section 20.1-03-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to
4 waterfowl hunting by nonresidents.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 20.1-03-07.1 of the 1997 Supplement to the
7 North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

8 **20.1-03-07.1. Nonresident waterfowl hunting license required.** Except as otherwise
9 provided in this section or section 20.1-03-07.2, a nonresident may not hunt waterfowl unless
10 that person first obtains a nonresident waterfowl hunting license, in addition to a nonresident
11 small game hunting license. The nonresident waterfowl hunting license entitles the nonresident
12 to hunt waterfowl for any period of fourteen consecutive days or any two periods of seven
13 consecutive days each and in specified waterfowl hunting zones. However, upon payment of
14 the fee requirement for a nonresident waterfowl hunting license and a nonresident small game
15 hunting license, a nonresident who holds title to at least forty acres [16.19 hectares] of land in
16 this state is not subject to the hunting period or hunting zone restrictions provided in this section
17 and may hunt throughout the entire waterfowl hunting season. A nonresident who purchases a
18 special season-long nonresident waterfowl hunting license is not subject to the hunting period
19 or hunting zone restrictions provided in this section and may hunt throughout the entire
20 waterfowl hunting season. A license authorizing two 7-day hunting periods may allow hunting
21 in a different zone during each period. The governor, in the governor's proclamation, shall
22 specify various waterfowl hunting zones for which nonresident waterfowl hunting licenses will
23 be available, and may specify the number of licenses which may be issued in each zone and

1 the manner in which they are to be issued. A nonresident is entitled to purchase only one
2 nonresident waterfowl hunting license per year.

3 **SECTION 2.** A new subsection to section 20.1-03-12 of the 1997 Supplement to the
4 North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

5 For a nonresident season-long nonresident waterfowl hunting license, one
6 thousand dollars.