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HOUSE BILL NO. 1115

Introduced by: Representatives Qualm, Bartling, Craig, Heinemann (Leslie), Klumb, Stalzer,
and Verchio and Senators Van Gerpen, Jensen (Phil), and Olson

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise the number of special nonresident waterfowl
2 licenses that may be issued for certain open units.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That ARSD 41:06:16:11 be amended to read:

5 41:06:16:11. Maximum number of nonresident waterfowl licenses -- Open units -- Dates
6 -- License restrictions. The maximum number of nonresident waterfowl licenses to be issued
7 by lottery is 4,000 special nonresident waterfowl licenses, 2,000 early fall Canada goose
8 temporary nonresident licenses, 2,000 fall three-day temporary nonresident waterfowl licenses,
9 100 nonresident youth waterfowl licenses, and 10,000 spring snow goose temporary nonresident
10 licenses divided for administrative purposes as follows:

11 (1) Unit NRW-00A: the counties of Union, Clay, Yankton, Bon Homme, and Charles Mix.
12 No more than ~~250~~ 300 special nonresident waterfowl licenses may be issued;

13 (2) Unit NRW-00B: all open counties not in Units NRW-00A or NRW-11A. No more than
14 3,725 special nonresident waterfowl licenses may be issued;

15 (3) Unit NRW-00C: those counties as described in § 41:06:50:02. No more than 2,000 early



fall Canada goose temporary nonresident waterfowl licenses may be issued;

(4) Unit NRW-11A: Bennett County. No more than 25 special nonresident waterfowl licenses may be issued. The season in this unit is open for 65 consecutive days beginning on the third Saturday of October and during any period that Bennett County is open in January as described in subdivision 41:06:16:07(3);

(5) Unit NRW-00X: the counties of Potter, Stanley, Sully, Hughes, and Lyman. No more than ~~1,500~~ 1,450 fall three-day temporary nonresident waterfowl licenses may be issued. ~~These~~ The licenses issued pursuant to this subdivision are valid only on private property as provided by SDCL 41-6-18.4;

(6) Unit NRW-00Y: the counties of Brown, Marshall, Roberts, Day, Grant, Clark, Codington, Deuel, and Hamlin. No more than 500 three-day temporary nonresident waterfowl licenses may be issued;

(7) Unit NRW-ST1: statewide. No more than 10,000 spring snow goose temporary nonresident licenses may be issued. ~~These~~ The licenses issued pursuant to this subdivision are valid only during a Conservation Order;

(8) Unit NYW-YW1: statewide. No more than 100 nonresident youth waterfowl licenses may be issued for the youth waterfowl season established in Chapter 41:06:09. A nonresident youth may also hunt during the youth waterfowl season with a valid waterfowl hunting license as provided for in this section.

Licenses issued under this section are valid only in the unit for which they are issued. Licenses for Unit NRW-11A include two tags for Canada geese. Each tag is valid for taking one Canada goose consistent with the provisions of § 41:06:16:09. Each goose ~~must~~ shall be tagged immediately upon retrieval. The tag ~~must~~ shall be attached to the goose as instructed on each tag.