

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1140

Introduced by: Representatives Olson (Betty), Brunner, Davis, DeVries, Dreyer, Gilson, Novstrup (Al), Novstrup (David), Pederson (Gordon), Pitts, and Turbiville and Senators Maher, Abdallah, Bartling, Greenfield, Hoerth, Hundstad, and McNenny

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for the issuance without charge of certain big  
2 game licenses to resident active duty military personnel.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 41-6 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 Any resident who is on active duty in the armed forces of the United States and who is  
7 stationed at a location outside the state may be issued licenses to hunt deer, antelope, and turkey  
8 during the applicable seasons without payment of a fee, without being subject to a lottery  
9 drawing, and in a unit selected by the resident. The resident, during any calendar year, may  
10 receive one license for each of the species specified in this section and may select the type of  
11 license to be issued for each species. While engaged in the permitted activity, the resident shall  
12 have in possession and display appropriate military orders indicating the resident is on active  
13 duty stationed outside of South Dakota and a valid South Dakota driver's license or South  
14 Dakota identification card. This section does not apply to any person who is serving on active



1 duty for training as a member of the armed forces reserve or national guard. The Game, Fish and  
2 Parks Commission shall promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 1-26 to provide for the timely  
3 issuance of licenses authorized under this section.