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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY SENATOR DONLEY

Introduced: 3/28/95

Referred: RES, FIN

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act reducing certain resident sport fishing, hunting, and trapping license fees,
2 increasing certain nonresident sport fishing, hunting, and trapping license fees, and
3 relating to nonresident sport fishing, hunting, and trapping licenses; and providing
4 for an effective date."

5 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

6 * **Section 1.** AS 16.05.340(a)(3) is amended to read:

7 (3) Resident hunting and trapping license **35** [40]

8 * **Sec. 2.** AS 16.05.340(a)(5) is amended to read:

9 (5) Resident hunting and sport fishing license **35** [40]

10 * **Sec. 3.** AS 16.05.340(a)(6) is amended to read:

11 (6) Resident hunting, trapping, and sport fishing license . . . **50** [55];

12 (A) however, the fee is \$5 for an applicant who

13 (i) is receiving or has received assistance during the

14 preceding six months under any state or federal welfare program to aid

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the indigent; [,] or

(ii) has an annual family gross income of less than \$8,200 for the year preceding application;

(B) a person paying \$5 for a resident hunting, trapping, and sport fishing license must provide proof of eligibility under this paragraph when requested by the departments.

* Sec. 4. AS 16.05.340(a)(7) is amended to read:

(7) Nonresident [SPECIAL] sport fishing license - valid for the period inscribed on the license

- (A) For 14-day license **\$40** [\$ 30]
- (B) For three-day license **20** [15]
- (C) For one-day license 10

* Sec. 5. AS 16.05.340(a)(9) is amended to read:

(9) Nonresident hunting license - valid for the 30-day period inscribed on the license **100** [85]

A nonresident may not take a big game animal without previously purchasing a numbered, nontransferable, appropriate tag, issued under (15) of this subsection. The tag must be affixed to the animal immediately upon capture and must remain affixed until the animal is prepared for storage, consumed, or exported. A tag issued but not used for an animal may be used to satisfy the tagging requirement for an animal of any other species for which the tag fee is of equal or less value.

* Sec. 6. AS 16.05.340(a)(11) is amended to read:

(11) Nonresident [HUNTING AND] trapping license - valid for the 30-day period inscribed on the license **\$500** [\$250]

* Sec. 7. AS 16.05.340(a)(15) is amended to read:

- (15) Nonresident big game tags
- (A) Bear, black, each **250** [225]
 - (B) Bear, brown or grizzly, each **1,000** [500]
 - (C) Bison, each **750** [450]
 - (D) Caribou, each **500** [325]
 - (E) Deer, each **200** [150]

- 1 (F) Elk, each **500** [300]
- 2 (G) Goat, each **500** [300]
- 3 (H) Moose, each **750** [400]
- 4 (I) Sheep, each **1,000** [425]
- 5 (J) Wolf, each **250** [175]
- 6 (K) Wolverine, each **250** [175]
- 7 (L) Musk oxen, each **1,500** [1,100]

8 * **Sec. 8.** AS 16.05.340(a)(19) is amended to read:

9 (19) Nonresident small game hunting license - **valid for the 30-day**
 10 **period inscribed on the license** **25** [20]

11 * **Sec. 9.** AS 16.05.340(a)(20) is amended to read:

12 (20) Nonresident alien hunting license - **valid for the 30-day period**
 13 **inscribed on the license** **500** [300]

14 A nonresident alien may not take a big game animal without previously purchasing a
 15 numbered, nontransferable, appropriate tag, issued under (21) of this subsection. The
 16 tag must be affixed to the animal immediately upon capture and must remain affixed
 17 until the animal is prepared for storage, consumed, or exported. A tag issued but not
 18 used for an animal may be used to satisfy the tagging requirement for an animal of any
 19 other species for which the tag fee is of equal or less value.

20 * **Sec. 10.** AS 16.05.340(a)(21) is amended to read:

- 21 (21) Nonresident alien big game tags
- 22 (A) Bear, black, each **\$500** [\$300]
- 23 (B) Bear, brown or grizzly, each **1,500** [650]
- 24 (C) Bison, each **1,000** [650]
- 25 (D) Caribou, each **750** [425]
- 26 (E) Deer, each **300** [200]
- 27 (F) Elk, each **750** [400]
- 28 (G) Goat, each **750** [400]
- 29 (H) Moose, each **750** [500]
- 30 (I) Musk oxen, each **2,000** [1,500]
- 31 (J) Sheep, each **1,500** [550]

- 1 (K) Wolf, each **500** [250]
- 2 (L) Wolverine, each **500** [250]

3 * **Sec. 11.** AS 16.05.340(a)(24) is amended to read:

- 4 (24) Nonresident anadromous king salmon tag - valid for the period
- 5 inscribed on the tag
- 6 (A) for a one-day tag \$10
- 7 (B) for a three-day tag **20** [15]
- 8 (C) for a 14-day [OR ANNUAL] tag **40** [35].

9 A nonresident may not engage in sport fishing for anadromous king salmon without
 10 having a valid anadromous king salmon tag in the person's actual possession, unless
 11 that person is under the age of 16. However, members of the military service on
 12 active duty who are permanently stationed in the state, and their dependents, who do
 13 not qualify as residents under AS 16.05.940, may obtain an annual nonresident military
 14 anadromous king salmon tag for \$20.

15 * **Sec. 12.** AS 16.05.350 is amended to read:

16 Sec. 16.05.350. EXPIRATION OF LICENSES AND TAGS. **(a)** Licenses and
 17 tags required under AS 16.05.330 - 16.05.430, except biennial licenses, the nonresident
 18 [SPECIAL] sport fishing license, **the nonresident hunting license, the nonresident**
 19 **alien hunting license, the nonresident trapping license, the nonresident small game**
 20 **hunting license,** the resident trapping license, the one, three, or 14-day nonresident
 21 anadromous king salmon tag, and the waterfowl conservation tag, expire at the close
 22 of December 31 following issuance.

23 **(b)** Biennial licenses expire after December 31 of the year following the year
 24 of issuance.

25 **(c)** The resident trapping license expires at the close of September 30 of the
 26 year following the year in which the license is issued.

27 **(d)** The waterfowl conservation tag expires at the close of January 31 of the
 28 year following the year of issue of the tag.

29 * **Sec. 13.** AS 16.05.340(a)(8) and 16.05.340(a)(10) are repealed.

30 * **Sec. 14.** This Act takes effect January 1, 1996.