

SENATE PROPOSAL OF AMENDMENT

H. 101

An act relating to hunting, fishing, and trapping

The Senate proposes to the House to amend the bill as follows:

First: In Sec. 6, 10 V.S.A. § 4252, by striking subdivisions (a)(9) and (10) in their entirety

and in the first sentence of subdivision (a)(12), after “archery, muzzle loader,” and before the period, by striking “turkey, second archery, and second muzzle loader” and inserting in lieu thereof: and turkey

and in the first sentence of subsection (b), by striking “, second archery license, or” where it appears and inserting in lieu thereof: or a

Second: in Sec. 8, 10 V.S.A. § 4254b, by striking subdivision (a)(4) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(4) “Long-term care facility” means any facility required to be licensed under 33 V.S.A. chapter 71 or a mental hospital required to be licensed under 18 V.S.A. chapter 43.

Third: By striking Sec. 9 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 9. 10 V.S.A. § 4255 is amended to read:

§ 4255. LICENSE FEES

(a) Vermont residents may apply for licenses on forms provided by the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner. Fees for each license shall be:

(1) Fishing license	\$25.00
(2) Hunting license	\$22.00
(3) Combination hunting and fishing license	\$38.00
(4) Big game licenses (all require a hunting license)	
(A) archery license	\$20.00
(B) muzzle loader license	\$20.00
(C) turkey license	\$23.00
(D) second muzzle loader license [Deleted.]	\$17.00
(E) second archery license [Deleted.]	\$17.00
(F) moose license	\$100.00
(G) additional <u>early season</u> bear tag	\$5.00

(5) Trapping license	\$20.00
(6) Hunting license for persons aged 17 or under	\$8.00
(7) Trapping license for persons aged 17 or under	\$10.00
(8) Fishing license for persons aged 15 through 17	\$8.00
(9) Super sport license	\$150.00
(10) Three-day fishing license	\$10.00
(11) Combination hunting and fishing license for persons aged 17 or under	\$12.00
(12) Mentored hunting license	\$10.00

(b) Nonresidents may apply for licenses on forms provided by the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner. Fees for each license shall be:

(1) Fishing license	\$50.00
(2) One-day fishing license	\$20.00
(3) [Deleted.]	
(4) Hunting license	\$100.00
(5) Combination hunting and fishing license	\$135.00
(6) Big game licenses (all require a hunting license)	
(A) archery license	\$38.00
(B) muzzle loader license	\$40.00
(C) turkey license	\$38.00
(D) second muzzle loader license [Deleted]	\$25.00
(E) second archery license [Deleted.]	\$25.00
(F) moose license	\$350.00
(G) additional <u>early season</u> bear tag	\$15.00

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(j) If the ~~board~~ Board determines that a moose season will be held in accordance with the rules adopted under sections 4082 and 4084 of this title, the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner annually may issue three no-cost moose licenses to a ~~child or young adult age 21 years or under~~ person who has a life threatening life-threatening disease or illness and who is sponsored by a qualified charitable organization, provided that at least one of the no-cost annual moose licenses awarded each year shall be awarded to a child or young adult age 21 years of age or under who has a life-threatening illness. The child or young adult ~~must~~ shall comply with all other requirements of this chapter

and the rules of the ~~board~~ Board. Under this subsection, a person may receive only one no-cost moose license in his or her lifetime. The ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner shall adopt rules in accordance with 3 V.S.A. chapter 25 of Title 3 to implement this subsection. The rules shall define the child or young adult qualified to receive the no-cost license, shall define a qualified sponsoring charitable organization, and shall provide the application process and criteria for issuing the no-cost moose license.

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(m) The fee for a therapeutic group fishing license issued under section 4254b of this title shall be \$50.00 per year, provided that the Commissioner may waive the fee under this section if the applicant for a therapeutic group fishing license completes instructor certification under the Department's Let's Go Fishing Program. The Commissioner may, at his or her discretion, issue a free therapeutic fishing license to an applicant.

Fourth: In Sec. 20, 10 V.S.A. § 5201, in subdivision (a)(2), after “owner's name and a” and before “method by which to” by striking “legitimate” where it appears

Fifth: In Sec. 21 (Effective Dates), in subsection (b), by striking “Fish and Wildlife Board” where it appears and inserting in lieu thereof: Commissioner of Fish and Wildlife