

House Amendment to
Senate File 654

S-5216

1 Amend Senate File 654, as passed by the Senate, as follows:

2 1. Page 1, line 15, by striking <2025> and inserting <2026>

3 2. Page 1, line 21, by striking <2025> and inserting <2026>

4 3. Page 2, line 2, by striking <2025> and inserting <2026>

5 4. Page 2, after line 7 by inserting:

6 <Sec. _____. Section 481C.2, subsections 1 and 2, Code 2026,
7 are amended to read as follows:

8 1. The director of the department of natural resources shall
9 enter into a memorandum of agreement with the United States
10 department of agriculture, animal damage control division.
11 The wild animal depredation unit shall serve and act as the
12 liaison to the department for the producers in the state who
13 ~~suffer crop, horticultural product, tree, or nursery damage~~ an
14 economic loss to agriculture, horticulture, or silviculture
15 operations due to wild animals.

16 2. The department shall issue depredation permits and
17 deer shooting permits to any landowner or tenant, as defined
18 under section 483A.24, subsection 2, upon receiving written
19 approval from the landowner, who incurs crop, horticultural
20 product, tree, or nursery damage suffers an economic loss of
21 one thousand dollars or more to agriculture, horticulture, or
22 silviculture operations due to wild animals. The department
23 shall allow any conservation officer to issue permits pursuant
24 to this chapter.

25 Sec. _____. Section 481C.2A, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code
26 2026, is amended to read as follows:

27 a. Deer shooting permits shall be available for issuance
28 to landowners or tenants, as defined under section 483A.24,
29 subsection 2, upon receiving written approval from the
30 landowner, who incur crop, horticultural product, tree,
31 or nursery damage suffer an economic loss to agriculture,
32 horticulture, or silviculture operations as provided in section
33 481C.2 and shall be available for issuance for use on areas
34 where public safety may be an issue.>

35 5. Page 2, line 9, by striking <2025> and inserting <2026>

- 1 6. Title page, line 3, by striking <and maximum fur dealer
2 license fees,> and inserting <maximum fur dealer license fees,
3 and deer depredation,>
- 4 7. By renumbering as necessary.