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HOUSE FILE 292

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BY COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

House File 292  
Winkelman, Chairman  
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Vote: Ayes 82 Nays 5 Vote: Ayes 44 Nays 5  
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### A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the taking of wild turkey and providing  
2 for a special license fee.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section one hundred nine point thirty-eight  
2 (109.38), subsections one (1) and two (2), Code 1973, are  
3 amended to read as follows:

4 1. The commission may upon its own motion and after an  
5 investigation, alter, limit, or restrict the methods or means  
6 employed and the instruments or equipment used in taking deer,  
7 raccoon, wild turkey, trout or rough fish, if the investi-  
8 gation reveals that such action would be desirable or bene-  
9 ficial in promoting the interests of conservation, or the  
10 commission may, after an investigation when it is found there  
11 is imminent danger of loss of fish through natural causes,  
12 authorize the taking of fish by such means as they may deem  
13 advisable to salvage such imperiled fish populations.

14 2. If following an investigation the commission finds  
15 that the number of hunters licensed to take deer or wild tur-  
16 key should be limited or further regulated, the commission  
17 shall conduct a drawing to determine which applicants shall  
18 receive a license. Applications for licenses shall be re-  
19 ceived and accepted during a fifteen-day period established  
20 by the commission. At the end of such period the drawing  
21 shall be conducted. If the quota has not been filled, li-  
22 censes shall then be issued in the order in which such ap-  
23 plications are received and shall continue to be issued until  
24 such quota has been met or until a date fifteen days prior  
25 to the opening day of the season, whichever first occurs.  
26 If an applicant fails to receive a deer license by either  
27 of the methods provided herein, such applicant shall receive  
28 a certificate at the time his application and monetary re-  
29 mittance is returned to him which shall entitle him to a li-  
30 cense the following year before the drawing is conducted by  
31 the commission.

32 Sec. 2. Section one hundred ten point one (110.1), Code  
33 1973, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

34 NEW PARAGRAPH. Special Wild Turkey License:

35 All persons legal residents of the state ..... \$10.00

1 Sec. 3. Section one hundred ten point seventeen (110.17),  
2 unnumbered paragraph one (1), Code 1973, is amended to read  
3 as follows:

4 Owners or tenants of land, and their children, may hunt,  
5 fish or trap upon such lands and may shoot ground squirrels,  
6 gophers or woodchucks upon adjacent roads without securing  
7 a license so to do; except, special licenses to hunt deer  
8 and wild turkey shall be required by owners and tenants.

9 EXPLANATION

10 This bill authorizes the state conservation commission  
11 to limit the number of special wild turkey licenses issued  
12 and the methods and means of taking wild turkey.

13 This bill also provides for a special wild turkey license to  
14 a legal resident of this state at a fee of ten dollars.

15 Landowners are prohibited from hunting wild turkey on their  
16 own land without a special license.

17 H-191

18 1 Amend House File 292 as follows:

19 2 1. Page 2, line 31, by inserting after the period  
20 3 the following new sentence:

21 4 "This subsection shall not apply to the hunting of  
22 5 wild turkey on game breeding and shooting preserves  
23 6 licensed under chapter one hundred ten A (110A) of  
24 7 the Code."

25 8 2. Page 3, line 8, by inserting after the word  
26 9 "tenants" the words "but they shall not be required  
27 10 to have a special wild turkey license to hunt wild  
28 11 turkey on a game breeding and shooting preserve  
29 12 licensed under chapter one hundred ten A (110A) of  
30 13 the Code".

31 14 3. Page 3, by inserting after line 8 the following  
32 15 new section:

33 16 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ Section one hundred ten point seventeen  
34 17 (110.17), Code 1973, is amended by adding the follow-  
35 18 ing new paragraph:

19 NEW PARAGRAPH. No person shall be required to have  
20 a special wild turkey license to hunt wild turkey on  
21 a game breeding and shooting preserve licensed under  
22 chapter one hundred ten A (110A) of the Code."

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