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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the issuance of a family hunting license,  
2 imposing a family hunting license fee, providing for other  
3 properly related matters, and subjecting violators to an  
4 existing penalty.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 483A.1, subsection 2, Code 1997, is  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. g. Family hunting license:  
4 Owner-applicant ..... \$ 25.50  
5 Each family member within the third  
6 degree of consanguinity ..... \$ 12.50

7 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 483A.8A FAMILY HUNTING LICENSE.

8 1. As used in this section, unless the context otherwise  
9 requires:

10 a. "Family member" means any resident or nonresident who  
11 is related within the third degree of consanguinity to an  
12 owner.

13 b. "Farm unit" means a farm unit as defined in section  
14 483A.24.

15 c. "Owner" means an owner as defined in section 483A.24.

16 2. Upon application and payment of the appropriate fees,  
17 including the wildlife habitat stamp fee, an owner shall be  
18 issued a family hunting license. Each family member named in  
19 the application shall also receive a family hunting license  
20 upon payment of the appropriate fees, including the wildlife  
21 habitat stamp fee.

22 3. The family hunting license authorizes the licensee to  
23 hunt deer, wild turkey, or other game and wildlife during the  
24 open season for each species. The family hunting license is  
25 valid only for hunting on the farm unit of the owner.

26 4. The department shall adopt rules, pursuant to chapter  
27 17A, as necessary to administer this section.

28 EXPLANATION

29 This bill provides for a family hunting license for the  
30 owner of a farm unit and for family members who are related  
31 within the third degree of consanguinity to the owner. A  
32 license fee of \$25.50 is provided for the owner and an  
33 additional fee of \$12.50 is provided for each family member  
34 who wishes to be included. The license provides for hunting  
35 on the owner's farm unit only, and permits the hunting of

1 deer, wild turkey, or other game or wildlife during the open  
2 season for that species. Persons related within the third  
3 degree of consanguinity to the owner include children,  
4 grandchildren, great-grandchildren, uncles, aunts, brothers,  
5 sisters, nephews, nieces, parents, grandparents, and great-  
6 grandparents.

7 A violator is guilty of a simple misdemeanor which is  
8 punishable by a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$100,  
9 or imprisonment for not more than 30 days.

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