

House File 2334 - Introduced

HOUSE FILE 2334
BY COMMITTEE ON NATURAL
RESOURCES

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 617)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the issuance of hunting and fishing
2 licenses, providing for fees, and including effective date
3 provisions.

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

1 Section 1. Section 461C.8, subsection 3, Code 2011, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 3. A hunter who participates in urban deer control pursuant
4 to this section shall be otherwise qualified to hunt deer
5 in this state, ~~have purchase a hunting license and pay that~~
6 includes the wildlife habitat fee, and obtain a special deer
7 hunting license valid only for the dates, locations, and
8 type of deer specified on the license. Special deer hunting
9 licenses issued pursuant to this section shall be available
10 only to residents and shall cost the same as deer hunting
11 licenses issued during general deer seasons. The commission
12 may establish procedures for issuing more than one license
13 per person as necessary to achieve the purposes of urban deer
14 control, and the cost of each additional license shall be ten
15 dollars.

16 Sec. 2. Section 481A.72, Code 2011, is amended to read as
17 follows:

18 **481A.72 Hooks and lines.**

19 1. A person shall not at any time take from the waters
20 of the state any fish, except as otherwise provided in this
21 chapter, except with hook, line, and bait, nor shall a person
22 use more than ~~two~~ three lines nor more than two hooks on each
23 line in still fishing or trolling, and in fly fishing not more
24 than two flies may be used on one line, and in trolling and bait
25 casting not more than two trolling spoons or artificial bait
26 may be used on one line.

27 2. A person shall not leave fish line or lines and hooks in
28 the water unattended by being out of visual sight of the lines
29 and hooks.

30 3. One hook means a single, double, or treble pointed hook,
31 and all hooks attached as a part of an artificial bait or lure
32 shall be counted as one hook.

33 Sec. 3. Section 481A.93, subsection 2, paragraph b,
34 subparagraph (2), Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

35 (2) The totally blind person is accompanied and aided by a

1 person who is at least eighteen years of age and whose vision
2 is not seriously impaired. The accompanying person must ~~have~~
3 purchase a hunting license and pay that includes the wildlife
4 habitat fee as provided in section 483A.1 if applicable. If
5 the accompanying person is not required to have a hunting
6 license the person is not required to pay the wildlife habitat
7 fee. During the hunt, the accompanying adult must be within
8 arm's reach of the totally blind person, and must be able to
9 identify the target and the location of the laser sight beam on
10 the target. A person other than the totally blind person shall
11 not shoot the laser sight-equipped gun or bow.

12 Sec. 4. Section 481C.2A, subsection 1, paragraph d, Code
13 Supplement 2011, is amended to read as follows:

14 *d.* A producer who enters into a depredation agreement with
15 the department of natural resources shall be issued a set of
16 authorization numbers. Each authorization number authorizes
17 a resident hunter to obtain a depredation license that is
18 valid only for taking antlerless deer on the land designated
19 in the producer's depredation plan. A producer may transfer
20 an authorization number issued to that producer to a resident
21 hunter who has permission to hunt on the land for which the
22 authorization number is valid. An authorization number shall
23 be valid to obtain a depredation license in any season. The
24 provisions of this paragraph shall be implemented by August
25 15, 2008. A transferee who receives an authorization number
26 pursuant to this paragraph "d" shall be otherwise qualified to
27 hunt deer in this state, ~~have purchase~~ purchase a hunting license, ~~pay~~
28 that includes the wildlife habitat fee, and pay the one dollar
29 fee for the purpose of the deer herd population management
30 program.

31 Sec. 5. Section 483A.1, Code 2011, is amended to read as
32 follows:

33 **483A.1 Licenses — fees.**

34 Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, a person
35 shall not fish, trap, hunt, pursue, catch, kill, take in any

1 manner, use, have possession of, sell, or transport all or a
 2 part of any wild animal, bird, game, or fish, the protection
 3 and regulation of which is desirable for the conservation of
 4 resources of the state, without first obtaining a license for
 5 that purpose and the payment of a fee as follows:

- 6 1. Residents:
- 7 a. Fishing license, annual\$ 17.00
 - 8 b. Fishing license, three-year\$ 51.00
 - 9 c. Fishing license, seven-day\$ 11.50
 - 10 d. Fishing license, one-day\$ 7.50
 - 11 e. Third line fishing permit, annual\$ 10.00
 - 12 ~~b.~~ f. Fishing license, lifetime, sixty-five
 13 years or older\$ 50.50
 - 14 ~~e.~~ g. Hunting license, annual, not including the
 15 wildlife habitat fee\$ 17.00
 - 16 oh. Hunting license, annual, including the
 17 wildlife habitat fee\$ 28.00
 - 18 h. Hunting license, three-year, including
 19 the wildlife habitat fees\$ 84.00
 - 20 ~~d.~~ i. Hunting license, lifetime, sixty-five
 21 years or older\$ 50.50
 - 22 j. Combination hunting and fishing license,
 23 annual, including the wildlife habitat fee\$ 45.00
 - 24 ~~e.~~ k. Deer hunting license\$ 25.50
 - 25 ~~f.~~ l. Wild turkey hunting license\$ 22.50
 - 26 ~~g.~~ m. Fur harvester license, annual, not including the
 27 wildlife habitat fee, sixteen years
 28 or older\$ 20.50
 - 29 on. Fur harvester license, annual, including
 30 the wildlife habitat fee, sixteen years
 31 or older\$ 31.50
 - 32 ~~h.~~ n. Fur harvester license, annual, not including the
 33 wildlife habitat fee, under sixteen
 34 years of age\$ 5.50
 - 35 ~~i.~~ o. Fur dealer license\$225.50

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| 1 | j. <u>p.</u> | Aquaculture unit license | \$ 25.50 |
| 2 | k. <u>q.</u> | Retail bait dealer license | \$ 30.50 |
| 3 | l. | Fishing license, seven-day | \$ 11.50 |
| 4 | m. <u>r.</u> | Trout fishing fee | \$ 10.50 |
| 5 | n. <u>s.</u> | Game breeder license | \$ 15.50 |
| 6 | o. <u>t.</u> | Taxidermy license | \$ 15.50 |
| 7 | p. <u>u.</u> | Falconry license | \$ 20.50 |
| 8 | q. <u>v.</u> | Wildlife habitat fee | \$ 11.00 |
| 9 | r. <u>w.</u> | Migratory game bird fee | \$ 8.00 |
| 10 | s. | Fishing license, one-day | \$ 7.50 |
| 11 | t. <u>x.</u> | Wholesale bait dealer license | \$125.00 |
| 12 | u. <u>y.</u> | Boundary waters sport trotline | |
| 13 | | license, annual | \$ 20.50 |
| 14 | 2. | Nonresidents: | |
| 15 | <u>a.</u> | Fishing license, annual | \$ 39.00 |
| 16 | <u>b.</u> | Fishing license, seven-day | \$ 30.00 |
| 17 | <u>c.</u> | Fishing license, three-day | \$ 15.50 |
| 18 | <u>d.</u> | Fishing license, one-day | \$ 8.50 |
| 19 | <u>e.</u> | Third line fishing permit, annual | \$ 10.00 |
| 20 | e. <u>f.</u> | Hunting license, annual, including the wildlife | |
| 21 | | habitat fee, eighteen years of | |
| 22 | | age or older | \$110.00 |
| 23 | | | <u>121.00</u> |
| 24 | d. <u>g.</u> | Hunting license, annual, including the wildlife | |
| 25 | | habitat fee, under eighteen | |
| 26 | | years of age | \$ 30.00 |
| 27 | | | <u>41.00</u> |
| 28 | e. <u>h.</u> | Deer hunting license, antlered or | |
| 29 | | any sex deer | \$295.00 |
| 30 | f. <u>i.</u> | Preference point issued under | |
| 31 | | section 483A.7, subsection 3, | |
| 32 | | paragraph "b", or section 483A.8, | |
| 33 | | subsection 3, paragraph "e" | \$ 50.00 |
| 34 | g. <u>j.</u> | Deer hunting license, antlerless | |
| 35 | | deer only, required with the purchase | |

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| 1 | of an antlered or any sex deer hunting | |
| 2 | license | \$125.00 |
| 3 | h. <u>k.</u> Deer hunting license, antlerless | |
| 4 | deer only | \$225.00 |
| 5 | i. <u>l.</u> Holiday deer hunting license | |
| 6 | issued under section 483A.8, subsection 6, | |
| 7 | antlerless deer only | \$ 75.00 |
| 8 | j. <u>m.</u> Wild turkey hunting license | \$100.00 |
| 9 | k. <u>n.</u> Fur harvester license, <u>including the wildlife</u> | |
| 10 | <u>habitat fee</u> | \$200.00 |
| 11 | | <u>211.00</u> |
| 12 | l. <u>o.</u> Fur dealer license, <u>annual</u> | \$501.00 |
| 13 | <u>op.</u> Fur dealer license, <u>one day,</u> | |
| 14 | <u>one location</u> | <u>\$250.00</u> |
| 15 | m. <u>p.</u> Location permit for fur dealers..... | \$ 56.00 |
| 16 | n. <u>q.</u> Aquaculture unit license | \$ 56.00 |
| 17 | o. <u>r.</u> Retail bait dealer license or the | \$125.00 |
| 18 | <u>or the</u> amount for the same type of license | |
| 19 | in the nonresident's state, <u>whichever</u> | |
| 20 | is greater | |
| 21 | <u>s.</u> Wholesale bait dealer license | <u>\$250.00</u> |
| 22 | <u>or the amount for the same type of</u> | |
| 23 | <u>license in the nonresident's state,</u> | |
| 24 | <u>whichever is greater</u> | |
| 25 | p. <u>t.</u> Trout fishing fee | \$ 13.00 |
| 26 | q. <u>u.</u> Game breeder license | \$ 26.00 |
| 27 | r. <u>v.</u> Taxidermy license | \$ 26.00 |
| 28 | s. <u>w.</u> Falconry license | \$ 26.00 |
| 29 | t. <u>x.</u> Wildlife habitat fee | \$ 11.00 |
| 30 | u. <u>y.</u> Migratory game bird fee | \$ 8.00 |
| 31 | v. Fishing license, three day | \$ 15.50 |
| 32 | w. Wholesale bait dealer license | \$250.00 |
| 33 | or the amount for the same type of | |
| 34 | license in the nonresident's state, | |
| 35 | whichever is greater | |

1 ~~x. Fishing license, one-day\$ 8.50~~

2 ~~y. z. Boundary waters sport trotline~~
3 license, annual\$ 40.50

4 Sec. 6. Section 483A.3, Code 2011, is amended to read as
5 follows:

6 **483A.3 Wildlife habitat fee.**

7 1. a. A resident or nonresident person required to have
8 a hunting or fur harvester license shall not hunt or trap
9 unless the person ~~has paid~~ purchases a hunting or fur harvester
10 license that includes the wildlife habitat fee. ~~This section~~
11 ~~shall not apply to residents~~

12 b. Residents who have permanent disabilities or who are
13 younger than sixteen or older than sixty-five years of age
14 may purchase a hunting or fur harvester license that does not
15 include the wildlife habitat fee. ~~Wildlife~~

16 c. Eleven dollars of the fee paid for each resident or
17 nonresident hunting or fur harvester license that includes the
18 wildlife habitat fee shall be designated as a wildlife habitat
19 fee.

20 d. All wildlife habitat fees shall be administered in
21 the same manner as hunting and fur harvester licenses except
22 all revenue derived from wildlife habitat fees shall be used
23 within the state of Iowa for habitat development and shall be
24 deposited in the state fish and game protection fund, except
25 as provided in subsection 2. The revenue may be used for
26 the matching of federal funds. The revenues and any matched
27 federal funds shall be used for acquisition of land, leasing of
28 land, or obtaining of easements from willing sellers for use as
29 wildlife habitats. Notwithstanding the exemption provided by
30 section 427.1, any land acquired with the revenues and matched
31 federal funds shall be subject to the full consolidated levy
32 of property taxes which shall be paid from those revenues.
33 In addition the revenue may be used for the development and
34 enhancement of wildlife lands and habitat areas.

35 e. Not less than fifty percent of all revenue from wildlife

1 habitat fees shall be used by the commission to enter into
2 agreements with county conservation boards or other public
3 agencies in order to carry out the purposes of this section.
4 The state share of funding of those agreements provided
5 by the revenue from wildlife habitat fees shall not exceed
6 seventy-five percent.

7 2. Up to sixty percent of the revenues from wildlife
8 habitat fees which are not required under subsection 1 to be
9 used by the commission to enter into agreements with county
10 conservation boards or other public agencies may be credited to
11 the wildlife habitat bond fund as provided in section 483A.53.

12 3. Notwithstanding subsections 1 and 2, any increase in
13 wildlife habitat fee revenues received on or after July 1,
14 2007, pursuant to this section as a result of wildlife habitat
15 fee increases pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, ch. 194, shall be
16 used by the commission only for the purpose of the game bird
17 habitat development program as provided in section 483A.3B.
18 The commission shall not reduce on an annual basis for these
19 purposes the amount of other funds being expended as of July
20 1, 2007.

21 4. A three-year hunting license purchased pursuant to
22 section 483A.1, subsection 1, paragraph "h", includes the
23 payment of a wildlife habitat fee for each of the three years
24 for which the license is valid and those fees shall be used as
25 provided in this section.

26 Sec. 7. Section 483A.3A, Code 2011, is amended to read as
27 follows:

28 **483A.3A Fish habitat development funding.**

29 Three dollars from each resident and nonresident annual and
30 seven-day fishing license and nine dollars from each resident
31 three-year fishing license sold shall be deposited in the
32 state fish and game protection fund and shall be used within
33 this state for fish habitat development. Not less than fifty
34 percent of this amount shall be used by the commission to enter
35 into agreements with county conservation boards to carry out

1 the purposes of this section.

2 Sec. 8. Section 483A.7, subsection 1, Code 2011, is amended
3 to read as follows:

4 1. A resident hunting wild turkey who is required to have
5 a license must ~~have~~ purchase a resident hunting license that
6 includes the wildlife habitat fee in addition to the wild
7 turkey hunting license ~~and must pay the wildlife habitat~~
8 ~~fee~~. Upon application and payment of the required fees for
9 archery-only licenses, a resident archer shall be issued two
10 wild turkey licenses for the spring season.

11 Sec. 9. Section 483A.7, subsection 3, Code 2011, is amended
12 to read as follows:

13 3. *a.* A nonresident wild turkey hunter is required to
14 ~~have~~ purchase a nonresident hunting license that includes the
15 wildlife habitat fee and a nonresident wild turkey hunting
16 license ~~and pay the wildlife habitat fee~~. The commission
17 shall annually limit to two thousand three hundred licenses
18 the number of nonresidents allowed to have wild turkey hunting
19 licenses. Of the two thousand three hundred licenses, one
20 hundred fifty licenses shall be valid for hunting with muzzle
21 loading shotguns only. The commission shall allocate the
22 nonresident wild turkey hunting licenses issued among the
23 zones based on the populations of wild turkey. A nonresident
24 applying for a wild turkey hunting license must exhibit proof
25 of having successfully completed a hunter safety and ethics
26 education program as provided in section 483A.27 or its
27 equivalent as determined by the department before the license
28 is issued.

29 *b.* The commission shall assign one preference point to a
30 nonresident whose application for a nonresident wild turkey
31 hunting license is denied due to limitations on the number
32 of nonresident wild turkey hunting licenses available for
33 issuance that year. An additional preference point shall be
34 assigned to that person each subsequent year the person's
35 license application is denied for that reason. A nonresident

1 may purchase additional preference points pursuant to section
2 483A.1, subsection 2, paragraph ~~"f"~~ "i". The first nonresident
3 wild turkey hunting license drawing each year shall be made
4 from the pool of applicants with the most preference points
5 and continue to pools of applicants with successively fewer
6 preference points until all available nonresident wild turkey
7 hunting licenses have been issued. If a nonresident applicant
8 receives a wild turkey hunting license, all of the applicant's
9 assigned preference points at that time shall be removed.

10 Sec. 10. Section 483A.8, subsection 1, Code Supplement
11 2011, is amended to read as follows:

12 1. A resident hunting deer who is required to have a hunting
13 license must ~~have~~ purchase a resident hunting license that
14 includes the wildlife habitat fee, in addition to the deer
15 hunting license ~~and must pay the wildlife habitat fee~~. In
16 addition, a resident who purchases a deer hunting license shall
17 pay a one dollar fee that shall be used and is appropriated
18 for the purpose of deer herd population management, including
19 assisting with the cost of processing deer donated to the help
20 us stop hunger program administered by the commission.

21 Sec. 11. Section 483A.8, subsection 3, paragraphs a, b, and
22 e, Code Supplement 2011, are amended to read as follows:

23 a. A nonresident hunting deer is required to ~~have~~ purchase
24 a nonresident hunting license that includes the wildlife
25 habitat fee and a nonresident deer hunting license ~~and must~~
26 ~~pay the wildlife habitat fee~~. In addition, a nonresident who
27 purchases a deer hunting license shall pay a one dollar fee
28 that shall be used and is appropriated for the purpose of deer
29 herd population management, including assisting with the cost
30 of processing deer donated to the help us stop hunger program
31 administered by the commission.

32 b. A nonresident who purchases an antlered or any sex deer
33 hunting license pursuant to section 483A.1, subsection 2,
34 paragraph ~~"e"~~ "h", is required to purchase an antlerless deer
35 only deer hunting license at the same time, pursuant to section

1 483A.1, subsection 2, paragraph ~~"g"~~ "j".

2 e. The commission shall assign one preference point to a
3 nonresident whose application for a nonresident antlered or any
4 sex deer hunting license is denied due to limitations on the
5 number of nonresident antlered or any sex deer hunting licenses
6 available for issuance that year. An additional preference
7 point shall be assigned to that person each subsequent year
8 the person's license application is denied for that reason. A
9 nonresident may purchase additional preference points pursuant
10 to section 483A.1, subsection 2, paragraph ~~"f"~~ "i". The first
11 nonresident antlered or any sex deer hunting license drawing
12 each year shall be made from the pool of applicants with the
13 most preference points and continue to pools of applicants
14 with successively fewer preference points until all available
15 nonresident antlered or any sex deer hunting licenses have been
16 issued. If a nonresident applicant receives an antlered or
17 any sex deer hunting license, all of the applicant's assigned
18 preference points at that time shall be removed.

19 Sec. 12. Section 483A.8, subsection 6, Code Supplement
20 2011, is amended to read as follows:

21 6. The commission shall provide by rule for the annual
22 issuance to a nonresident of a nonresident antlerless deer
23 hunting license that is valid for use only during the period
24 beginning on December 24 and ending at sunset on January 2
25 of the following year and costs seventy-five dollars. A
26 nonresident hunting deer with a license issued under this
27 subsection shall be otherwise qualified to hunt deer in this
28 state and shall ~~have~~ purchase a nonresident hunting license,
29 pay that includes the wildlife habitat fee, and pay the one
30 dollar fee for the purpose of deer herd population management
31 as provided in subsection 3. Pursuant to this subsection, the
32 commission shall make available for issuance only the remaining
33 nonresident antlerless deer hunting licenses allocated under
34 subsection 3 that have not yet been issued for the current
35 year's nonresident antlerless deer hunting seasons.

1 Sec. 13. Section 483A.8B, Code 2011, is amended to read as
2 follows:

3 **483A.8B Senior crossbow deer hunting licenses.**

4 1. A person who is a resident and who is seventy years
5 of age or older may be issued one special senior statewide
6 antlerless deer only crossbow deer hunting license to hunt deer
7 during bow season as established by rule by the commission. A
8 person who obtains a license to hunt deer under this section
9 is not required to pay the wildlife habitat fee but shall be
10 otherwise qualified to hunt deer in this state and shall ~~have~~
11 purchase a resident hunting license that does not include the
12 wildlife habitat fee.

13 2. A person may obtain a license under this section in
14 addition to a statewide antlered or any sex deer hunting bow
15 season license. Season dates, shooting hours, limits, license
16 quotas, and other regulations for this license shall be the
17 same as set forth by the commission by rule for bow season deer
18 hunts.

19 Sec. 14. Section 483A.8C, subsection 2, Code 2011, is
20 amended to read as follows:

21 2. A person who obtains a deer hunting license under this
22 section is not required to pay the wildlife habitat fee but
23 shall purchase a deer hunting license and hunting license
24 that does not include the wildlife habitat fee, be otherwise
25 qualified to hunt, and pay a one dollar fee that shall be used
26 and is appropriated for the purpose of deer herd population
27 management, including assisting with the cost of processing
28 deer donated to the help us stop hunger program administered
29 by the commission.

30 Sec. 15. Section 483A.9A, Code 2011, is amended by adding
31 the following new subsection:

32 NEW SUBSECTION. 3. The commission shall offer to residents
33 a combination package of an annual fishing license and an
34 annual hunting license, as provided in section 483A.1,
35 subsection 1, the cost of which includes the wildlife habitat

1 fee.

2 Sec. 16. Section 483A.17, Code 2011, is amended to read as
3 follows:

4 **483A.17 Tenure of license.**

5 Every license, except as otherwise provided in this chapter,
6 is valid from the date issued to January 10 of the succeeding
7 calendar year for which it is issued. A license shall not be
8 issued prior to December 15 for the subsequent calendar year
9 except for a three-year fishing license or a three-year hunting
10 license issued to a resident pursuant to section 483A.1,
11 subsection 1.

12 Sec. 17. Section 483A.24, subsections 3 and 4, Code
13 Supplement 2011, are amended to read as follows:

14 3. The director shall provide up to seventy-five
15 nonresident deer hunting licenses for allocation as requested
16 by a majority of a committee consisting of the majority leader
17 of the senate, speaker of the house of representatives, and
18 director of the economic development authority, or their
19 designees. The licenses provided pursuant to this subsection
20 shall be in addition to the number of nonresident licenses
21 authorized pursuant to section 483A.8. The purpose of the
22 special nonresident licenses is to allow state officials and
23 local development groups to promote the state and its natural
24 resources to nonresident guests and dignitaries. Photographs,
25 videotapes, or any other form of media resulting from the
26 hunting visitation shall not be used for political campaign
27 purposes. The nonresident licenses shall be issued without
28 application upon ~~payment of~~ purchase of a nonresident hunting
29 license that includes the wildlife habitat fee and the purchase
30 of a nonresident deer hunting license fee and the wildlife
31 ~~habitat fee~~. The licenses are valid in all zones open to deer
32 hunting. The hunter safety and ethics education certificate
33 requirement pursuant to section 483A.27 is waived for a
34 nonresident issued a license pursuant to this subsection.

35 4. The director shall provide up to twenty-five nonresident

1 wild turkey hunting licenses for allocation as requested by
 2 a majority of a committee consisting of the majority leader
 3 of the senate, speaker of the house of representatives, and
 4 director of the economic development authority, or their
 5 designees. The licenses provided pursuant to this subsection
 6 shall be in addition to the number of nonresident licenses
 7 authorized pursuant to section 483A.7. The purpose of the
 8 special nonresident licenses is to allow state officials and
 9 local development groups to promote the state and its natural
 10 resources to nonresident guests and dignitaries. Photographs,
 11 videotapes, or any other form of media resulting from the
 12 hunting visitation shall not be used for political campaign
 13 purposes. The nonresident licenses shall be issued without
 14 application upon ~~payment of~~ purchase of a nonresident hunting
 15 license that includes the wildlife habitat fee and the purchase
 16 of a nonresident wild turkey hunting license fee and the
 17 ~~wildlife habitat fee.~~ The licenses are valid in all zones open
 18 to wild turkey hunting. The hunter safety and ethics education
 19 certificate requirement pursuant to section 483A.27 is waived
 20 for a nonresident issued a license pursuant to this subsection.

21 Sec. 18. Section 483A.24, subsection 10, paragraph d, Code
 22 Supplement 2011, is amended to read as follows:

23 *d.* A nonresident who receives a special license pursuant to
 24 this subsection shall purchase a hunting license that includes
 25 the wildlife habitat fee and the applicable nonresident turkey
 26 or deer hunting license, ~~and pay the wildlife habitat fee,~~
 27 but is not required to complete the hunter safety and ethics
 28 education course if the person is accompanied and aided by a
 29 person who is at least eighteen years of age. The accompanying
 30 person must be qualified to hunt and have a hunting license
 31 that includes the wildlife habitat fee. During the hunt,
 32 the accompanying adult must be within arm's reach of the
 33 nonresident licensee.

34 Sec. 19. Section 483A.24B, subsection 6, Code 2011, is
 35 amended to read as follows:

1 6. A person who receives a license pursuant to this section
2 shall be otherwise qualified to hunt deer in this state and
3 shall ~~have purchase~~ purchase a hunting license ~~and pay~~ that includes the
4 wildlife habitat fee.

5 Sec. 20. Section 483A.28, Code 2011, is amended by adding
6 the following new subsection:

7 NEW SUBSECTION. 4. Any person who is issued a valid fishing
8 license pursuant to this chapter may fish with a third line as
9 provided in section 481A.72 only upon the annual purchase of a
10 third line fishing permit as provided in section 483A.1.

11 Sec. 21. Section 484B.10, subsections 2 and 3, Code 2011,
12 are amended to read as follows:

13 2. Waterfowl shall not be shot over any area where
14 pen-reared mallards may serve as live decoys for wild
15 waterfowl. All persons hunting game birds or ungulates upon a
16 licensed hunting preserve shall secure a hunting license ~~to do~~
17 ~~so~~ that includes the wildlife habitat fee in accordance with
18 the game laws of Iowa, with the exception that an unlicensed
19 person may secure an annual hunting preserve license restricted
20 to hunting preserves only for a license fee of five dollars.
21 All persons who hunt on hunting preserves shall pay the
22 wildlife habitat fee.

23 3. A nonresident youth under sixteen years of age may hunt
24 game birds on a licensed hunting preserve upon securing an
25 annual hunting preserve license restricted to hunting preserves
26 only for a license fee of five dollars and payment of the
27 wildlife habitat fee. A nonresident youth is not required
28 to complete the hunter safety and ethics education course to
29 obtain a hunting preserve license pursuant to this subsection
30 if the youth is accompanied by a person who is at least
31 eighteen years of age, is qualified to hunt, and possesses a
32 valid hunting license that includes the wildlife habitat fee.
33 During the hunt, the accompanying adult must be within arm's
34 reach of the nonresident youth.

35 Sec. 22. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect January 1,

1 2013.

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EXPLANATION

3 This bill relates to the issuance of hunting and fishing
4 licenses.

5 Code section 481A.72 is amended to allow a person to use
6 three instead of two lines while fishing. Code section 483A.1
7 is amended to provide for the annual purchase of a third line
8 fishing permit costing \$10 by a resident or nonresident fisher.
9 Code section 483A.28 is amended to provide that a person who
10 fishes with a third line must annually purchase a third line
11 fishing permit.

12 Code section 483A.1 is also amended to provide for three
13 new license options for residents. A new three-year fishing
14 license is available for residents at a cost of \$51. Code
15 section 483A.3A is amended to specify that \$9 from each
16 three-year fishing license must be used for fish habitat
17 development.

18 A new three-year hunting license, including the wildlife
19 habitat fees, is available for \$84. Code section 483A.3 is
20 amended to specify that of the \$84 for this license, \$33 is
21 allocated to wildlife habitat fees.

22 A new annual combination hunting and fishing license,
23 including the wildlife habitat fee, is available for \$45. Code
24 section 483A.9A specifies that the package includes an annual
25 fishing license, an annual hunting license, and payment of the
26 wildlife habitat fee.

27 Changes are made to Code section 483A.1(1) to include
28 payment of the wildlife habitat fee in resident hunting and fur
29 harvester license fees. However, such licenses are available
30 without inclusion of the wildlife habitat fee for purchase by
31 residents who are permanently disabled, or are younger than 16
32 or older than 65 years of age and are not required to pay the
33 wildlife habitat fee. Code section 483A.1(2) is also amended
34 to include payment of the wildlife habitat fee in nonresident
35 hunting and fur harvester license fees. Also, a new one day,

1 one location, nonresident fur dealer license is available for
2 \$250.

3 Code section 483A.3 is amended to specify that \$11 of the fee
4 paid for each resident or nonresident hunting or fur harvester
5 license that includes the wildlife habitat fee is designated as
6 a wildlife habitat fee and shall be administered as a wildlife
7 habitat fee.

8 Code section 483A.17 is amended to specify that a three-year
9 fishing license or a three-year hunting license is not subject
10 to the requirement that a license cannot be issued prior to
11 December 15 for the subsequent year.

12 Conforming changes regarding inclusion of the wildlife
13 habitat fee in hunting and fur harvester license fees are made
14 in other Code sections.

15 Technical changes are also made to Code section 483A.1 to
16 group similar types of licenses together and to insert a word
17 that was inadvertently deleted. Conforming changes were made
18 in Code sections 483A.7 and 483A.8.