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BY CHAPMAN

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to youth deer hunting license seasonal use
2 restrictions.

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

1 Section 1. Section 483A.8, subsection 7, Code 2018, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 7. A person who is issued a youth deer hunting license
4 ~~and does not take a deer during the youth deer hunting season~~
5 may use the deer hunting license and ~~unused~~ tag during any
6 ~~other firearm~~ deer hunting season ~~that is established by the~~
7 ~~commission to take a deer of either sex.~~

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EXPLANATION

9 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
10 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

11 Currently, residents of Iowa who are at least 12 but no older
12 than 16 years of age may obtain youth deer hunting licenses and
13 accompanying tags. A youth hunter who fails to take a deer
14 during the youth deer season may use the youth deer license and
15 unused tag during the early or late muzzleloader and one of the
16 two shotgun seasons, but not during any other seasons.

17 This bill removes the seasonal limitations for hunting while
18 using a youth deer license. The bill provides that a youth
19 hunter may use a youth deer license and tag during any deer
20 hunting season, regardless of weapon requirements or other
21 restrictions.