

# House Bill 2222

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## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Increases fees on specified angling and hunting licenses.

Requires certain amount from sale of sportsperson's license to be credited to State Wildlife Fund. Increases other amounts credited from sale of sportsperson's license to specified subaccounts.

Extends and increases surcharges on certain hunting and angling licenses. Extends surcharges on Ocean Troll Salmon Fishery permits and Columbia River Gillnet Fishery permits. Extends poundage fees for certain fish species.

Takes effect December 30, 2009.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to State Department of Fish and Wildlife; amending ORS 497.132 and sections 4, 6 and 8,  
3 chapter 512, Oregon Laws 1989; and prescribing an effective date.

4 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 4, chapter 512, Oregon Laws 1989, as amended by section 1, chapter 184,  
6 Oregon Laws 1991, section 3, chapter 619, Oregon Laws 1993, section 9, chapter 8, Oregon Laws  
7 1997, section 11, chapter 1006, Oregon Laws 1999, and section 1, chapter 643, Oregon Laws 2003, is  
8 amended to read:

9 **Sec. 4.** In addition to the fees otherwise prescribed by law, the issuer of each of the following  
10 licenses shall charge and collect each time the license is issued, during the period beginning Janu-  
11 ary 1, 1998, and ending December 31, [2009] **2019**, the following surcharges:

12 (1) Resident combination license issued under ORS 497.132, [~~\$2~~] **\$4**.

13 (2) Resident annual angling license issued under ORS 497.121 (1)(a), [~~\$2~~] **\$3**.

14 (3) Resident juvenile angling license issued under ORS 497.121 (1)(e), [~~\$1~~] **\$2**.

15 (4) Angling license to angle for one day issued under ORS 497.121 (1)(d), [~~\$1~~] **\$2**.

16 (5) Nonresident annual angling license issued under ORS 497.121 (1)(b), [~~\$5~~] **\$6**.

17 (6) Nonresident angling license to angle for seven consecutive days issued under ORS 497.121  
18 (1)(c), [~~\$2.50~~] **\$3.50**.

19 **SECTION 2.** ORS 497.132 is amended to read:

20 497.132. (1) In lieu of issuing to resident persons separate licenses for angling and hunting, the  
21 State Fish and Wildlife Commission is authorized to issue resident annual combination angling and  
22 hunting licenses, and charge therefor a fee of [~~\$38~~] **\$47**.

23 (2)(a) In lieu of issuing to resident persons separate licenses and tags for various hunting and  
24 angling activities, the commission is authorized to issue resident annual sportsperson's licenses and  
25 shall charge therefor a fee of [~~\$125~~] **\$155**. The purchaser of each such license is authorized to engage  
26 in those hunting and angling activities for which the following licenses and tags are required:

27 (A) Combination license;

28 (B) Black bear tag;

**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

- 1 (C) Cougar tag;
- 2 (D) General season elk tag;
- 3 (E) General season deer tag;
- 4 (F) Upland bird stamp;
- 5 (G) Oregon migratory waterfowl stamp;
- 6 (H) Turkey tag; and
- 7 (I) Annual tag to angle for salmon, steelhead trout, sturgeon and halibut.

8 (b) The holder of each sportsperson’s license who wishes to engage in hunting or angling ac-  
 9 tivities for which permits are required that are limited by quota must participate in the process for  
 10 allocation of the permits in the same manner as all other permit applicants. However, if the holder  
 11 of a sportsperson’s license is unsuccessful in obtaining a permit limited by quota for a particular  
 12 activity, the holder will be issued a tag valid for any general season for that species.

13 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of the wildlife laws, of the moneys received from the  
 14 sale of sportsperson’s licenses:

15 (A) *[Two]* **Four** dollars from each such license shall be credited to the subaccount referred to  
 16 in ORS 496.242.

17 (B) *[Two]* **Four** dollars from each such license shall be credited to the subaccount referred to  
 18 in ORS 496.283.

19 (C) *[Twenty-five]* **Seventy-five** cents from each such license shall be credited to the Fish  
 20 Screening Subaccount established under ORS 496.303.

21 **(D) Twenty-five cents from each such license shall be credited to the State Wildlife Fund**  
 22 **established under ORS 496.300.**

23 **SECTION 3.** Section 6, chapter 512, Oregon Laws 1989, as amended by section 2, chapter 184,  
 24 Oregon Laws 1991, section 10, chapter 8, Oregon Laws 1997, and section 2, chapter 643, Oregon  
 25 Laws 2003, is amended to read:

26 **Sec. 6.** In addition to the fees otherwise prescribed by law, the issuer of each of the following  
 27 permits shall charge and collect each time the permit is issued, during the period beginning January  
 28 1, 1998, and ending December 31, *[2009]* **2019**, the following surcharges:

- 29 (1) Ocean Troll Salmon Fishery permit issued under ORS 508.816, \$65.
- 30 (2) Columbia River Gillnet Fishery permit issued under ORS 508.790, \$74.

31 **SECTION 4.** Section 8, chapter 512, Oregon Laws 1989, as amended by section 3, chapter 184,  
 32 Oregon Laws 1991, section 11, chapter 8, Oregon Laws 1997, and section 3, chapter 643, Oregon  
 33 Laws 2003, is amended to read:

34 **Sec. 8.** In addition to the ad valorem fee prescribed by law, during the period beginning January  
 35 1, 1998, and ending December 31, *[2009]* **2019**, there shall be paid for each fish species referred to  
 36 in ORS 508.505 (1)(a), an additional fee of five cents per pound. The ad valorem fee referred to in  
 37 this section is subject to ORS 508.505 to 508.540.

38 **SECTION 5. This 2009 Act takes effect on December 30, 2009.**

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