A-Engrossed Senate Bill 517

Ordered by the Senate April 20 Including Senate Amendments dated April 20

Sponsored by Senator KNOPP, Representatives BUEHLER, WHISNANT

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.

Establishes [free] half-priced resident uniformed services appreciation hunting [and angling licenses] license for persons who are [residents of state and who are] resident members of uniformed services.

[Declares emergency, effective on passage.]

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT

2 Relating to resident uniformed services appreciation licenses; creating new provisions; and amending ORS 497.102.

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

- **SECTION 1.** ORS 497.102 is amended to read:
- 497.102. (1) The State Fish and Wildlife Commission is authorized to issue, upon application, to persons desiring to hunt wildlife the following licenses and permits and shall charge therefor the following fees:
 - (a) Resident annual hunting license to hunt wildlife, \$23.50.
 - (b) Nonresident annual hunting license to hunt wildlife, \$134.50.
 - (c) Resident annual juvenile hunting license for persons 12 through 17 years of age to hunt wildlife, \$11.50.
 - (d) Nonresident annual juvenile hunting license for persons 12 through 17 years of age to hunt wildlife, \$17.50.
 - (e) Resident pioneer hunting license to hunt wildlife for persons 65 years of age or older who have resided in the state for not less than 50 years prior to the date of application, free.
 - (f) Resident annual senior citizen hunting license to hunt wildlife for persons 70 years of age or older who have resided in the state for not less than five years prior to the date of application, one-half the fee imposed under paragraph (a) of this subsection for a resident annual hunting license to hunt wildlife.
 - (g) Resident uniformed services appreciation hunting license to hunt wildlife for a person who is a resident member of the uniformed services, as defined in ORS 497.006, who files with the commission written proof that the person is a resident member of the uniformed services, one-half the fee imposed under paragraph (a) of this subsection for a resident annual hunting license to hunt wildlife.
 - [g] (h) Resident disabled veteran hunting license to hunt wildlife for a person who files with the commission written proof that the last official certification of record by the United States De-

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- partment of Veterans Affairs or any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States shows the person to be at least 25 percent disabled, free.
 - [(h)] (i) Annual resident private hunting preserve permit to hunt privately owned hunting preserve game birds, \$4.
 - [(i)] (j) Annual nonresident private hunting preserve permit to hunt privately owned hunting preserve game birds, \$10.
 - [(j)] (k) Nonresident hunting license to hunt migratory waterfowl and upland birds for three consecutive days, \$24.50.
 - (2) The hunting preserve permits referred to in subsection [(1)(h) and (i)] (1)(i) and (j) of this section are in lieu of the hunting licenses required by the wildlife laws.
 - SECTION 2. The amendments to ORS 497.102 by section 1 of this 2015 Act apply to licenses applied for on or after the effective date of this 2015 Act for activities occurring on or after January 1, 2016.

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