

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0111

Game and fish-conservation stamps.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Hallinan

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to game and fish; creating a special
2 conservation stamp for nonresident sportsmen hunting or
3 fishing on state owned lands; modifying conservation stamp
4 fees as specified; providing for rulemaking; and providing
5 for an effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 23-2-306(a)(intro) and by creating a
10 new subsection (d) is amended to read:

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12 **23-2-306. Conservation stamp; exemptions.**

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14 (a) Subject to ~~subsections (b) and (c) of~~ this
15 section and the applicable fee under W.S. 23-1-701, each
16 sportsman licensed under W.S. 23-2-101, 23-2-107 or

1 23-2-201 shall purchase a ~~single~~general conservation stamp
2 for twelve dollars (\$12.00). ~~which~~In lieu of purchasing a
3 general conservation stamp, any nonresident sportsman
4 subject to this subsection who exercises fishing or hunting
5 privileges on state owned lands only or in addition to
6 other lands shall purchase a special conservation stamp for
7 twenty dollars (\$20.00). Stamps issued under this
8 subsection shall be valid for one (1) calendar year and the
9 stamp or an authorization signifying purchase of the stamp
10 shall be in the possession of any person exercising rights
11 under any fishing or hunting license issued pursuant to
12 W.S. 23-2-101, 23-2-107 or 23-2-201. Holders of special
13 limited fishing permits issued under W.S. 23-2-207 and
14 holders of licenses only under W.S. 23-2-101(j)(v) and
15 (vi), 23-2-201(d)(vi), (vii) and (ix), 23-2-201(f) and
16 23-2-201(g) are exempt from the provisions of this section
17 when exercising hunting or fishing privileges provided
18 under those specific licenses. Revenues collected from the
19 sale of each stamp under this subsection shall be deposited
20 as follows:

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22 (d) The department shall differentiate between
23 special conservation stamps and general conservation stamps

1 issued under subsection (a) of this section and shall
2 establish by rule a procedure under which a sportsman who
3 purchases a general conservation stamp may be reissued a
4 special conservation stamp upon payment of the difference
5 in fees.

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7 **Section 2.** This act is effective January 1, 2019.

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