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HOUSE BILL NO.

Landowner hunting licenses-limitation.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Winter

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to game and fish; authorizing the game and fish commission to limit the number of landowner hunting 2 3 licenses issued in any limited quota hunt area; providing for an effective date. 4 5 6 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming: 7 **Section 1**. W.S. 23-1-302(h) is amended to read: 8 9 ******************* 10 ****** 11 12 STAFF COMMENT 13
- For the Committee's information, this bill draft has not been through any sort of LSO review. The LSO would suggest using this bill draft for discussion during the 8/28-29

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meeting and holding it over until the October meeting so 1 2 that it can be reviewed before possible sponsorship. 3 ****************** 4 ******* 5 6 7 23-1-302. Powers and duties. 8 9 For purposes of promoting the maintenance of (h) 10 wildlife habitat and attaining wildlife management objectives pursuant to W.S. 23-1-103 and in addition to 11 duties prescribed under paragraph (a)(xiv) of this section, 12 13 the commission shall promulgate rules and regulations 14 governing the issuance of elk, deer, antelope and turkey 15 hunting licenses to Wyoming landowners without subjection 16 to prescribed means of competitive public issuance. The 17 commission may limit the number of landowner hunting 18 licenses issued pursuant to this subsection in any limited 19 quota hunt area. Fees assessed for licenses authorized under this subsection shall be equal to fees prescribed 20 under W.S. 23-2-101(j) for each species for which the 21 license is issued. 22 23 24 Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2026.

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