

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0153

Special nonresident hunting license draw.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Krone

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to game and fish; increasing percentage of
2 nonresident elk, deer and antelope licenses available
3 through a special drawing; and providing for an effective
4 date.

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

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 23-2-101(f)(intro) is amended to
9 read:

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11 **23-2-101. Fees; restrictions; nonresident application**
12 **fee; nonresident licenses; verification of residency**
13 **required.**

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15 (f) ~~Forty percent (40%)~~ Sixty percent (60%) of
16 available nonresident elk licenses, ~~forty percent (40%)~~
17 sixty percent (60%) of available nonresident deer licenses

1 and ~~forty percent (40%)~~ sixty percent (60%) of available
2 nonresident antelope licenses for any one (1) calendar year
3 shall as established by the commission, be offered to
4 nonresident applicants upon receipt of the fee prescribed
5 by this subsection. Seventy-five (75) of the nonresident
6 deer licenses set aside pursuant to this subsection shall
7 be used for a national bow hunt for deer. The licenses
8 authorized by this subsection shall be offered by drawing
9 to nonresident applicants prior to the drawing for the
10 remaining nonresident licenses issued. The licenses
11 offered under this subsection shall be issued in a manner
12 prescribed by rules and regulations promulgated by the
13 commission. Nothing in this subsection shall prohibit any
14 unsuccessful applicant for a nonresident license pursuant
15 to this subsection from submitting an application for any
16 licenses remaining after the drawing during the calendar
17 year in which the application under this subsection was
18 submitted. The following fees shall be collected by the
19 department and are in addition to the nonresident license
20 fee for the appropriate big game species imposed under
21 subsection (j) of this section and the application fee
22 imposed under subsection (e) of this section:

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1 **Section 2.** This act is effective January 1, 2015.

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