Dear Senators BAIR, VICK, Stennett, and Representatives RAYBOULD, Gestrin, Pence:

The Legislative Services Office, Research and Legislation, has received the enclosed rules of the Department of Fish and Game:

IDAPA 13.01.08 - Rules Governing the Taking of Big Game Animals in the State of Idaho - Notice of Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0108-1602).

Pursuant to Section 67-454, Idaho Code, a meeting on the enclosed rules may be called by the cochairmen or by two (2) or more members of the subcommittee giving oral or written notice to Research and Legislation no later than fourteen (14) days after receipt of the rules' analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to call a meeting on the enclosed rules is no later than 09/01/2016. If a meeting is called, the subcommittee must hold the meeting within forty-two (42) days of receipt of the rules' analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to hold a meeting on the enclosed rules is 09/30/2016.

The germane joint subcommittee may request a statement of economic impact with respect to a proposed rule by notifying Research and Legislation. There is no time limit on requesting this statement, and it may be requested whether or not a meeting on the proposed rule is called or after a meeting has been held.

To notify Research and Legislation, call 334-4834, or send a written request to the address on the memorandum attached below



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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Resources & Environment Committee and the

House Resources & Conservation Committee

**FROM:** Deputy Division Manager - Katharine Gerrity

**DATE:** August 15, 2016

**SUBJECT:** Department of Fish and Game

IDAPA 13.01.08 - Rules Governing the Taking of Big Game Animals in the State of Idaho - Notice of Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0108-1602)

Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, provides that the Department of Fish and Game shall be excepted from the requirements of rulemaking when adopting, repealing, or amending any proclamations relating to the setting of various seasons and limits, provided it publishes notice of such proposed proclamations in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin and provides notice to Legislative Services for review by the germane joint subcommittees as soon as possible after adoption by the commission. The department's proclamation relates to limits on the take of grizzly bear in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem in Idaho and, according to the department, would not open public take seasons for grizzly bear. The department's proclamation may be viewed at the following website: https://idfg.idaho.gov/conservation/grizzly-bear. The department states that the commission was scheduled to consider the proclamation at its August 8, 2016 meeting in Boise and that the commission has previously considered the components of the proclamation in its action of May 17, 2016 to approve a Memorandum of Agreement. This action followed a public hearing on May 16, 2016.

cc: Department of Fish and Game Dallas Burkhalter

Boise, Idaho 83720-0054

## **IDAPA 13 - IDAHO FISH AND GAME COMISSION**

## 13.01.08 - RULES GOVERNING THE TAKING OF BIG GAME ANIMALS IN THE STATE OF IDAHO DOCKET NO. 13-0108-1602 NOTICE OF PROCLAMATION

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency is proposing to adopt by proclamation limits on the take of grizzly bear in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem in Idaho. The proposed proclamation would not open public take seasons for grizzly bear.

**PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE:** The Commission is expected to consider the proposed proclamation at its August 8, 2016 meeting in Boise, Idaho. The Commission previously considered the components of this proposed proclamation in its action of May 17, 2016 to approve a Memorandum of Agreement. This action followed a public hearing on May 16, 2016.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed proclamation, contact W. Dallas Burkhalter at 208-334-3715.

**REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS:** Individuals with disabilities may request meeting accommodations by contacting the Director's office at the Idaho Department of Fish and Game directly at 208-334-5159 or through the Idaho Relay Service at 1-800-377-2529 (TDD).