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 13.01.07 - Rules Governing the Taking of Upland Game Animals - Notice of Proposed Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0107-1601);

IDAPA 13.01.13 - Rules Governing the Taking of American Crow in the State of Idaho - Notice of Proposed Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0113-1601);


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 10/24/2016. 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 11/22/2016.

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.
MEMORANDUM

TO:       Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Resources & Environment Committee and the House Resources & Conservation Committee
FROM:    Deputy Division Manager - Katharine Gerrity
DATE:       October 04, 2016
SUBJECT:  Department of Fish and Game

1. IDAPA 13.01.07 - Rules Governing the Taking of Upland Game Animals - Notice of Proposed Proclamation

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 is proposing to adopt by proclamation the 2016 - 2017 Upland Game Seasons, establishing seasons and limits for hunting rabbits and hares in Idaho. The department notes that a number of public hearings and open houses have already occurred and that the next hearing before the commission will be in Lewiston, Idaho on November 16.

2. IDAPA 13.01.13 - Rules Governing the Taking of American Crow in the State of Idaho - Notice of Proposed Proclamation

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3. IDAPA 13.01.16 - The Trapping of Predatory and Unprotected Wildlife and the Taking of Furbearing Animals - Notice of Proposed Proclamation

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cc: Department of Fish and Game
    Dallas Burkhalter
AUTHORITY: In compliance with Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency is proposing to adopt by proclamation the 2016-2017 Upland Game Seasons establishing seasons and limits for hunting rabbits and hares in Idaho.

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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.

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DATED this 23rd day of August, 2016.

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Deputy Attorney General
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