Dear Senators HEIDER, Brackett, Stennett, and Representatives GIBBS, Gestrin, Rubel:

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 [Amended] [Amended] Amended Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0108-1902P).

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 04/24/2020. 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 05/22/2020.

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 334-4854, 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: April 07, 2020

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 [Amended] [Amended] Amended Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0108-1902P)

Summary and Stated Reasons for the 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's proclamations relate to the establishment of the taking of big game animals in the State of Idaho. The department notes that it amended its 2019 and 2020 Idaho Big Game Seasons at a meeting that occurred on February 20, 2020. The Commission adopted modifications extending wolf hunting and trapping for the 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons.

cc: Department of Fish and Game

Paul Kline

*** PLEASE NOTE ***

Per the Idaho Constitution, all administrative rules may be reviewed by the Legislature during the next legislative session. The Legislature has 3 options with this rulemaking docket: 1) Approve the docket in its entirety; 2) Reject the docket in its entirety; or 3) Reject the docket in part.
AUTHORITY: In compliance with Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that the Commission has amended its 2019 and 2020 Idaho Big Game Seasons at a meeting that occurred on February 20, 2020. The Commission adopted modifications extending wolf hunting and trapping for the 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons.

Hunter and trappers are advised that they must consult the text of the Commission’s official proclamation before hunting and trapping as this notice is merely meant to advise that changes have been made. This notice is not an exhaustive list of those changes.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the amended proclamation, contact Owen Moroney at (208) 334-3715.