Dear Senators BURTENSHAW, Adams, Semmelroth, and Representatives MENDIVE, Shepherd, Burns:

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

IDAPA 13.00.00 - Establishing Seasons and Limits for Hunting, Fishing, and Trapping in Idaho (P7) - Notice of Adopted / Amended Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0000-2400P).

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 12/23/2024. 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 01/20/2025.

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.



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MEMORANDUM

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

- FROM: Legislative Drafting Attorney Alli Olson
- **DATE:** December 05, 2024
- SUBJECT: Department of Fish and Game
- IDAPA 13.00.00 Establishing Seasons and Limits for Hunting, Fishing, and Trapping in Idaho (P7) Notice of Adopted / Amended Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0000-2400P)

Summary and Stated Reasons for the Rule

The Department of Fish and Game submits notice that at the November 7, 2024 quarterly meeting, the Fish and Game Commission adopted a proclamation amending its 2024 big game proclamation by creating a Chronic Wasting Disease Management Zone and requiring the mandatory check of all deer harvested in the Zone. The Department states that this amendment to the proclamation is a continuation of a previous order issued by Idaho Fish and Game's Director under the authority of IDAPA 13.01.10.150.

Negotiated Rulemaking / Fiscal Impact

Not applicable.

Statutory Authority

Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, provides that the Department of Fish and Game shall be excepted from rulemaking requirements when adopting, repealing, or amending any proclamation related to the setting of various seasons and limits, provided it publishes notice of such proposed proclamation in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, provides notice to Legislative Services for review by the germane joint subcommittee as soon as possible after adoption by the commission, and provides the text of the proclamation to the public, without charge.

cc: Department of Fish and Game Amber Worthington

*** 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.

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IDAPA 13 – IDAHO FISH AND GAME COMMISSION

ESTABLISHING SEASONS AND LIMITS FOR HUNTING, FISHING, AND TRAPPING IN IDAHO

DOCKET NO. 13-0000-2400P7

NOTICE OF ADOPTED / AMENDED PROCLAMATIONS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024

AUTHORITY: As authorized by Section 36-104, Idaho Code, and in compliance with Sections 36-105(3), Idaho Code, the Commission adopts proclamations establishing seasons and limits for hunting, fishing, and trapping in Idaho.

AVAILABILITY OF OFFICIAL PROCLAMATIONS: Hunters, anglers, and trappers are advised to consult the text of the Commission's official proclamation before hunting, fishing, or trapping. All proclamations are available on-line at https://idfg.idaho.gov/rules, with print versions available at Idaho Department of Fish and Game offices and license vendors.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY AND PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULE: The Commission meeting schedule and meeting agendas are available on-line at Commission Meeting Schedule, with opportunities for public comment generally scheduled at its January, March, May, July, and November meetings.

Information for Commission proclamations for calendar year 2024 was initially published in the Administrative Bulletin, February 7, 2024, Bulletin Volume 24-2, pages 10-11.

At a November 7, 2024 quarterly meeting the Commission took the following proclamation action:

1. Amended its 2024 big game proclamation by creating a Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Management Zone comprised of that portion of Game Management Unit 1 within Boundary County and east of the Selkirk Mountains crest and requiring the mandatory check of all deer harvested in the GMU 1 CWD Management Zone. This amendment to proclamation is a continuation of a previous order issued by Idaho Fish and Game's Director under the authority of IDAPA 13.01.10.150.

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