

Support Material for CGR 379 LCB R150-09 Junior Hunt Eligibility Changes

BACKGROUND

- At the September 2009 Commission meeting Commissioner Capurro's requested eligibility changes to the junior hunt.
- Currently a junior hunter can apply through the age of 16 as long as they do not turn 17 by the close of the seasons they are applying for. The requested change would allow the junior hunter to apply through the age of 17 as long as they do not turn 18 by the close of the seasons for which they are applying.
- Currently a junior hunter can only apply for the junior hunt 4 years. This regulation will expand the number of years they could apply to 5 years.

Language Explanations

Section 1- subsection 3. – Updates the language regarding the hunters age.

Language Update – 18th birthday.

Section 2 – Updates the language regarding the number of years the hunter is eligible

Language update - 5 years.

Section 3 – This language is regarding the transfer of bonus points by junior hunters and the eligibility year needs to be updated.

Language update - 5 years to be consistent with Section 2.

Section 4 - This section is the transition/revisor's note language for implementation. There could be junior hunters that became ineligible due to age or number of years of application that when this regulation change is implemented could become eligible again. This language provides direction on how to handle their bonus points that were transferred at the time that they became ineligible.

Language update requested – “If a person who is ineligible to participate in the junior hunt because of his age *or years of application* becomes eligible to participate”

Implementation

Implementation to occur in 2011.

Fiscal Note

Programming cost \$1,000.00