

## **Information Material Regarding Restricted Nonresident Guided Deer Draw**

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### **BACKGROUND**

- The Restricted Nonresident Guided Hunt was established in the 1993 Legislative Session.
- A master guide must sign the application of the client applying.
- The master guide or one of their licensed sub-guides must accompany the Restricted Nonresident Guided tag holder in the field.
- The tag fee for the Restricted Nonresident Guided Hunt deer tag is \$300. The regular nonresident deer tag \$240.
- As of January 2010 there are 79 licensed deer Master Guides in Nevada.
- The calculation for the quota for the Restricted Nonresident Guided Hunt is established in Nevada Revised Statute and is based on the previous year's nonresident any legal weapon deer quota.
- As part of the quota setting recommendations, pursuant to NRS, Restricted Nonresident Guided Hunt tags issued in a year are subtracted from the Department's nonresident 1331 (Any Legal Weapon) quota recommendations. The balance of the nonresident 1331 quota recommendation is what is presented at the May commission quota setting meeting.
- Nonresidents compete against nonresidents for tags in both the Restricted Nonresident Guided Hunt draw and the main draw.

### **NAC 502.4237.3 CHANGE**

- The NAC language change to 502.4237 that restricts applicants that applied in the Restricted Nonresident Guided Hunt Draw from applying in the main draw for deer occurred in 2006 and implemented in 2007. It has been in place 4 years.
- The NAC change was initiated by a Eureka county petition.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL NOTE**

See Attached Spreadsheet – Estimated figures attached.