

CHAPTER 176.

[Sub. H. B. 178.]

GAME AND GAME FISH—LICENSES.

AN ACT relating to game and game fish; amending sections 77.32-.020, 77.32.060, 77.32.100, 77.32.103, 77.32.105, 77.32.110, 77.32-.113, 77.32.130, 77.32.150, 77.32.160 and 77.32.190, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.020, 77.32.060, 77.32.100, 77.32-.103, 77.32.105, 77.32.110, 77.32.113, 77.32.130, 77.32.150, 77.32-.160, and 77.32.190; repealing section 77.32.140, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.140; adding two new sections to chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and to chapter 77.32 RCW; and providing an effective date.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. Section 77.32.020, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.020 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.020
amended.

It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or kill deer without first having procured from the director a tag to be known as a supplemental deer seal, which tag shall be procured, in addition to any other license, to hunt game animals required by law. The fee for issuing and procuring such tag shall be two dollars and shall be paid in addition to all other license fees prescribed by law. It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or kill elk without first having procured from the director a tag to be known as a supplemental elk seal, which tag shall be procured in addition to any other license to hunt game animals required by law. The fee for issuing and procuring such tag shall be seven dollars and fifty cents and shall be paid in addition to all other license fees prescribed by law.

Supplemental
seals—Deer,
elk, mountain
goat—Penalty.

It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or kill mountain goat without first having procured from the director a tag to be known as a supplemental goat seal, which tag shall be procured in addition to any other license to hunt game animals required by law. The fee for issuing and procuring

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such tag shall be seven dollars and fifty cents and shall be paid in addition to all other license fees prescribed by law.

It shall be unlawful for any nonresident or alien to hunt or kill deer without first having procured from the director a tag to be known as a supplemental nonresident deer seal which tag shall be procured, at no extra charge, in addition to any other license to hunt game animals required by law.

It shall be unlawful for any nonresident or alien to hunt or kill elk without first having procured from the director a tag to be known as a supplemental nonresident elk seal which tag shall be procured in addition to any other license to hunt game animals required by law. The fee for issuing and procuring such tag shall be twenty-five dollars and shall be paid in addition to all other license fees provided by law.

It shall be unlawful for any nonresident or alien to hunt or kill mountain goat without first having procured from the director a tag to be known as a supplemental nonresident goat seal which tag shall be procured in addition to any other license to hunt game animals required by law. The fee for issuing and procuring such tag shall be twenty-five dollars and shall be paid in addition to all other license fees prescribed by law.

Such tags shall be in the possession of all persons while engaged in hunting deer, elk, or mountain goat. Such tags shall be prepared by and under the supervision of the director and shall bear the name "department of game of the state of Washington" and the year for which it is issued, and any other distinguishing marks deemed necessary by the director, and shall be void on the first day of April next following the date of issuance. Any person who kills any deer, elk, or mountain goat shall immediately attach his own tag to the carcass of any such animal

and properly seal the same. All moneys received from the issuance or sale of tags as provided herein shall be paid into the state game fund. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than two hundred fifty dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten days and not more than thirty days or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 2. Section 77.32.060, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.060 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.060 amended.

Any person deputized by the director to issue combination county hunting and fishing licenses, state resident fishing licenses, state resident hunting licenses, nonresident state fishing licenses, nonresident state hunting licenses, and nonresident state transient licenses shall charge the sum of fifteen cents in addition to collecting the fee prescribed by law, for issuing each such license, which sum shall be retained by him for his services.

Issuer's compensation—
Licenses, state,
county.

SEC. 3. Section 77.32.100, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.100 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.100 amended.

Any resident may by paying the sum of eight dollars obtain a state hunting and fishing license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to hunt and fish in any county of the state until the first day of January next following the date of its issuance, when it is lawful to hunt or fish therein.

Resident state
hunting and
fishing license.

SEC. 4. Section 77.32.103, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.103 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.103 amended.

Any resident may by paying the sum of four dollars and fifty cents obtain a state hunting license which shall entitle the holder thereof to hunt in any

Resident state
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county of the state until the first day of January next following the date of its issuance, when it is lawful to hunt therein.

RCW 77.32.105 amended.

SEC. 5. Section 77.32.105, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.105 are each amended to read as follows:

Resident state fishing license.

Any resident may by paying the sum of four dollars and fifty cents obtain a state fishing license which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish in any county of the state until the first day of January next following the date of its issuance, when it is lawful to fish therein.

RCW 77.32.110 amended.

SEC. 6. Section 77.32.110, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.110 are each amended to read as follows:

Resident county hunting and fishing license.

Any resident may by paying the sum of four dollars and twenty-five cents obtain a hunting and fishing license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to hunt and fish within the county in which he resides and for which the license is issued until the first day of January next following the date of issuance, when it is lawful to hunt or fish therein.

RCW 77.32.113 amended.

SEC. 7. Section 77.32.113, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.113 are each amended to read as follows:

Resident county fishing license

Any resident may by paying the sum of three dollars obtain a fishing license which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish within the county in which he resides and for which the license is issued until the first day of January next following the date of issuance, when it is lawful to fish therein.

RCW 77.32.130 amended.

SEC. 8. Section 77.32.130, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.130 are each amended to read as follows:

Nonresident state hunting license.

Any nonresident or alien may by paying the sum of thirty-five dollars obtain a hunting license which shall entitle the holder thereof to hunt in any county

of the state until the first day of January next following the date of issuance, when it is lawful to hunt therein.

SEC. 9. Section 77.32.150, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.150 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.150 amended.

Any nonresident or alien may by paying the sum of fifteen dollars obtain a state fishing license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish in any county of the state until the first day of January next following the date of issuance, when it is lawful to fish therein.

Nonresident state fishing license.

SEC. 10. Section 77.32.160, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.160 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.160 amended.

Any nonresident or alien who is temporarily sojourning in the state may by paying the sum of four dollars obtain a state fishing license, which shall entitle the holder thereof to fish in any county of the state for a period of seven days following the date of its issuance, when it is lawful to fish therein: *Provided*, That the license under this section shall not entitle the holder thereof to fish for steelhead during the winter steelhead seasons as established by rule or regulation of the commission.

Transient's limited state fishing license.

SEC. 11. Section 77.32.190, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.190 are each amended to read as follows:

RCW 77.32.190 amended.

Any resident may by paying the sum of five dollars obtain a state trapping license which shall entitle the holder thereof to trap furbearing animals, except beaver, for their hides or their pelts only, within any county of the state until the first day of April next following the date of its issuance, at any time when it is lawful to trap such animals.

Trapper's license.

SEC. 12. Section 77.32.140, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.32.140 are each repealed.

Repeal.

New section.

SEC. 13. There is added to chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and to chapter 77.32 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Fishing guide license.

A fishing guide license shall be obtained by every person who offers services or who performs the services of a professional guide for others in the taking of game fish.

Fees—Resident, non-resident.

The fee for such license is ten dollars for a resident and one hundred dollars for a nonresident or alien which shall entitle the holder thereof to act as a fishing guide in any county of the state until the first day of January next following the date of its issuance.

Rules and regulations authorized.

The commission may adopt rules and regulations requiring records to be kept and reports to be made by fishing guides concerning the activities of their clients with respect to the time, manner, and place of taking any game fish by such clients, the quantities taken by them, and such other information as may be helpful in enforcing the provisions of the game code or the rules and regulations of the commission. Such rules and regulations may prescribe the form of such records and reports and may require fishing guides to keep such records current while performing their services, and to display the same, and may authorize the director to prepare and distribute to fishing guides the forms for such records and reports.

New section.

SEC. 14. There is added to chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and to chapter 77.32 RCW a new section to read as follows:

Definitions, "Resident."

For the purposes of this chapter: A "resident" means any citizen of the United States or person who has in good faith declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, and who for at least six months immediately preceding any application for a license has maintained a permanent

place of abode within this state with the intent to permanently reside within this state. Definitions.

An "alien" means any person who is not a citizen of the United States and has not in good faith declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States. "Alien."

A "nonresident" means any person who is neither a "resident" nor an "alien" as defined in this section. "Nonresident."

SEC. 15. Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 and 13 above shall become effective on January 1, 1958. Effective date.

Passed the House February 21, 1957.

Passed the Senate March 13, 1957.

Approved by the Governor March 21, 1957.

CHAPTER 177.

[Sub. H. B. 395.]

STATE GAME COMMISSION—POWERS AND DUTIES.

AN ACT relating to game and game fish; amending sections 77.12.280, 77.12.290 and 77.12.300, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.12.280 through 77.12.300.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. Section 77.12.280, chapter 36, Laws of 1955 and RCW 77.12.280 are each amended to read as follows: RCW 77.12.280 amended.

No payment of any such claim shall be made in excess of one thousand dollars, and in the event any claim is not adjusted, compromised, or settled and paid by the commission for a sum up to such amount, and within one year from the filing of such claim the same may be filed with the state auditor and referred to the legislature for settlement. The payment of any claim by the commission shall be full and final payment upon such claim. Damages caused by game—Maximum payment—Settlement final—Arbitration of award.

In the event that any valid claim for damages as provided for in RCW 77.12.270 has been refused or