

2015 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 167

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURFORD

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

HUNTING: Allows year-round night hunting of hogs on private property

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 56:116.1(D)(2), relative to taking of outlaw quadrupeds, nutria,  
3 and beaver; to allow the night taking of feral hogs and coyotes at any time  
4 throughout the year; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 56:116.1(D)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §116.1. Wild birds and wild quadrupeds; times and methods of taking; penalties

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11 (2) On private property, the landowner, or his lessee or agent with written  
12 permission and the landowner's contact information in his possession, may take  
13 outlaw quadrupeds, nutria, or beaver during nighttime hours from one-half hour after  
14 official sunset on the ~~last~~ first day of February to one-half hour after official sunset  
15 the ~~last~~ first day of ~~August~~ November of that same year. Such taking may be with  
16 or without the aid of artificial light, infrared or laser sighting devices, or night vision  
17 devices. Any person attempting to take outlaw quadrupeds under the provisions of  
18 this Paragraph, within twenty-four hours prior to the attempted taking, shall notify  
19 the sheriff of the parish in which the property is located of his intention to attempt  
20 to take outlaw quadrupeds under the provisions of this Paragraph. However, no

