

SENATE BILL NO. 167

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT PROVIDING A FREE SENIOR COMBINATION SPORTS LICENSE TO RESIDENTS 70 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AMENDING SECTIONS 87-2-711 AND 87-2-809, MCA; AND PROVIDING A DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 87-2-711, MCA, is amended to read:

"87-2-711. Class AAA--combination sports license. (1) ~~A~~ Except as provided in 87-2-809, a resident, as defined by 87-2-102, who is 12 years of age or older or who will turn 12 years old before or during the season for which the license is issued is entitled to:

(a) a combination sports license that permits a holder who is 12 years of age or older to exercise all rights granted to holders of Class A, A-1, A-3, and A-5 licenses and resident wildlife conservation licenses as prescribed in 87-2-202 upon payment of the sum of \$70, plus the resident hunting access enhancement fee provided for in 87-2-202(3)(c), or, if the resident is a service member eligible for a combination sports license pursuant to 87-2-803(12), upon payment of the resident hunting access enhancement fee provided for in 87-2-202(3)(c); or

(b) a combination sports license that permits a holder who is 12 years of age or older to exercise all rights granted in subsection (1)(a) and the additional rights granted to holders of a Class A-6 license upon payment of the sum of \$85, plus the resident hunting access enhancement fee provided for in 87-2-202(3)(c).

(2) The department may furnish each holder of a combination sports license an appropriate decal."

Section 2. Section 87-2-809, MCA, is amended to read:

"87-2-809. Resident senior combination sports license. (1) A resident, as defined in 87-2-102, who is 62 years of age or older or who will turn 62 years old before or during the season for which the license is issued and who is under 70 years of age may purchase a resident senior combination sports license for \$55.

(2) A resident, as defined in 87-2-102, who is 70 years of age or older or who will turn 70 years old before or during the season for which the license is issued may purchase a resident senior combination sports license



1 at no cost.

2 (3) The resident senior combination sports license entitles the holder to exercise all rights granted to
3 holders of Class A, ~~Class A-1, and Class A-3,~~ and A-5 licenses and includes ~~an elk tag~~ and a resident wildlife
4 conservation license."

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6 NEW SECTION. Section 3. Effective date. [This act] is effective March 1, 2014.

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