ENROLLED ACT NO. 97, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING 2017 GENERAL SESSION

AN ACT relating to game and fish; specifying determinations of allowable harvests for mountain lions; allowing regulation of use of dogs for residents and nonresidents; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 23-1-703(e) and 23-3-109(a) are amended to read:

- 23-1-703. Limitation of number of big or trophy game animal licenses; reservation of certain licenses; reservation of certain unused licenses.
- (e) The commission shall reserve eighty percent (80%) of the moose and seventy-five percent (75%) of the ram and ewe and lamb bighorn sheep, mountain goat and grizzly bear licenses to be issued in any one (1) year for resident hunters. The commission shall determine the allocation of resident and nonresident mountain lion harvest.
- 23-3-109. Use of dogs; dogs injuring big or trophy game animals may be killed; citation of owners of dogs harassing game animals; penalties.
- (a) No person shall use any dog to hunt, run or harass any big or trophy game animal, protected animal or furbearing animal except as otherwise provided by this act. The commission shall regulate the use of dogs to take mountain lions and bobcats by residents and nonresidents during hunting or trapping seasons.

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Section 2. This act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

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Speaker of the House		President	of.	the Senate
Governor				
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DATE APPR	OVED:			
I hereby certify that this	s act orio	ginated in	the	House.
Chief Clerk				