## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HUNTING LICENSES.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	SECT	ION 1. Section 183D-22, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by	y amending subsection (b) to read as follows:
3	"(b)	The hunting license fee shall be:
4	(1)	\$10 for any person who has resided in the State for
5		one year or longer, [or who] is a member of the armed
6		forces of the United States on active duty [and] or
7		the spouse [and children] or child thereof, or [who]
8		elects to forgo the exemption provided in paragraph
9		[ <del>(4);</del> ] <u>(3);</u>
10	[ <del>(2)</del>	\$95 for all other persons;
11	<del>(3)</del> ]	(2) \$50 for a three-day period and \$95 for a seven-
12		day period for hunting on a private and commercial
13		shooting preserve for persons who do not meet the
14		requirements of paragraph (1) [or (4); and], (3), or
15		(4);
16	[ <del>-(4)-</del> ]	(3) Free to [all] any Hawaii [residents] resident
17		sixty-five years of age or older and to [all persons]

1	any person with Hansen's disease who [are residents]
2	is a resident of Kalaupapa, Molokai[-];
3	(4) \$3 for any qualified disabled veteran who is a
4	resident of the State. For purposes of this
5	paragraph, "qualified disabled veteran" means an
6	honorably discharged veteran who:
7	(A) Upon submitting an initial application for a
8	hunting license, has at least a sixty per cent
9	service-connected disability, as defined by the
10	Veterans Benefits Administration, consisting of:
11	(i) The loss of the use of a lower extremity; or
12	(ii) A disability rating of sixty per cent or
13	more,
14	and who is receiving compensation from the United
15	States for the disability; or
16	(B) Is the recipient of a purple heart from the
17	United States Department of Defense; and
18	(5) \$95 for all other persons."
19	SECTION 2. Section 183D-23, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
20	amended to read as follows:
21	"§183D-23 Licenses expire when. All licenses shall expire
22	on June 30 next following the date of issuance, except for
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- 1 licenses obtained pursuant to section [183D 22(b)(3).] 183D-
- 2 22(b)(2) and (4). A license issued pursuant to section 183D-
- 3 22(b)(4) shall expire upon the death of the licensee. Nothing
- 4 in this section shall be construed to prohibit the department
- 5 from suspending or revoking any hunting license."
- 6 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 7 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 8 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

## Report Title:

Hunting License; Disabled Veterans

## Description:

Establishes a lifetime hunting license for qualified disabled veterans and veterans who have received a purple heart. (HB1907 HD1)

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