LEGISLATIVE BILL 270

Approved by the Governor March 20, 1975

Introduced by Syas, 13; Dickinson, 31

AN ACT to amend sections 37-215.03 and 37-215.08, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1974, relating to hunting permits; to provide limited permits for certain species; to provide for issuance of permits in subsequent seasons and years; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 37-215.03, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1974, be amended to read as follows:

37-215.03. (1) Whenever any bona fide farmer or rancher who owns or leases farm or ranch land, and who actually resides on such land, or is the owner-operator of such land, or a member of his immediate family also residing on such land, or in the same household as the owner-operator, makes application for a permit to kill deer during the predetermined period established by the commission pursuant to section 37-215, and is refused such permit for the reason that all available permits have been issued, such person may then apply for a limited deer permit. Upon receipt of an application in proper form as prescribed by the Game and Parks Commission, the commission shall issue a limited permit which shall be restricted to the killing of deer only on the home farm or ranch lands included in the application, and shall not apply to the land of other persons, or-on land-owned-by-the-farmer-or-rancher-if-located-more-than ten-miles-from the-land-upon-which-the-farmer-or-rancher actually-resides. For the purposes of this section, the term immediate family shall mean and be limited to husband and wife and their children, and all the conditions applicable to permits issued pursuant to section 37-215 shall apply to limited permits issued pursuant to this section. Only one such permits shall be issued for each farm or ranch.

(2) Receipt of a limited permit or a permit issued pursuant to section 37-215 for any one year or open season shall not bar receipt of a limited permit in any subsequent year or for any subsequent open season.

Sec. 2. That section 37-215.08, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1974, be amended to read as follows:

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37-215.08. The provisions of section 37-215.03 shall apply to the hunting of antelope and wild turkeys. ;-Provided;-that-the The issuance of limited antelope hunting permits in any management unit shall not exceed twenty per cent of the regular permits authorized for such antelope management unit.

Sec. 3. That original sections 37-215.03 and 37-215.08, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1974, are repealed.

Sec. 4. Since an emergency exists, this act shall be in full force and take effect, from and after its passage and approval, according to law.

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