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**CHAPTER 426.**

AN ACT to amend 29.14 (1) and (2), and 29.145 (1) of the statutes, relating to fishing licenses.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. 29.14 (1) and (2) of the statutes are amended to read:

29.14 (1) Any nonresident under the age of \* \* \* 16 years, may without a license take, catch or kill with hook and line or rod and reel fish of any variety, subject to all other conditions, limitations and restrictions prescribed in this chapter.

(2) Any nonresident over the age of \* \* \* 16 years shall have the right to take, catch or kill fish, or fish for fish with hook and line or with rod and reel in the waters of this state, except in outlying waters, only if a license has been duly issued to him, subject

to the provisions of section 29.09, by the state conservation commission and by the county clerk. The fee for each such license entitling the holder to take, catch or kill fish, shall be \$4 and all such licenses shall be effective only from May 1 until the next succeeding April 30. Provided, a combination fishing license may be issued to a nonresident husband and wife, to be effective for a period of 10 days, for the sum of \$6. Upon payment of an additional fee of \$1 for each coupon, the original purchaser of such license shall be entitled to receive not more than 3 coupons entitling him to make not more than 3 separate shipments of game fish as provided in section 29.47. The issuing agent shall enter the serial number of each coupon issued in the space provided on the license. One coupon shall be attached to each shipment so made. The agent of any common carrier who shall accept any such shipment without a coupon attached shall be guilty of a violation of this chapter, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50. The commission may cause such licenses or coupons to be issued through agents for a compensation of 25 cents for each such license and 10 cents for each coupon so issued; but no such compensation shall be paid to any of its regular deputies or other employes.

SECTION 2. 29.145 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

29.145 (1) Any person under the age of \* \* \* 16 years or over the age of 65 years who has resided in this state for one year and any person who is totally blind may without license take, catch or kill fish subject to all other provisions of law; but no other person between the ages of \* \* \* 16 and 65 years who has resided in this state for a period of one year shall take, catch or kill fish, or fish for fish with hook and line or with rod and reel in any of the inland waters of this state unless a resident fishing license has been duly issued to him, subject to all other provisions of law, but no license shall be required of any person to set, place or use in any waters of this state any landing net, dip net, minnow seine or minnow dip net for fish other than game fish.

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