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**2007 Assembly Bill 130**

**Assembly Substitute  
Amendment 1 (and Assembly  
Amendment 1 to Assembly  
Substitute Amendment 1)**

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*Assembly Bill 130* requires the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to treat a nonresident as a Wisconsin resident for the purpose of issuing a hunting approval if the nonresident exhibits proof that he or she is a member of the Wisconsin National Guard.

The effect of the bill is that a person who is a member of the Wisconsin National Guard but is not a resident of Wisconsin will be able to obtain a hunting approval upon payment of the fee for a resident hunting approval.

*Assembly Substitute Amendment 1* expands the bill so that it applies to all hunting, fishing, and trapping approvals. Also, the substitute amendment modifies the proposed changed statutory language so that the DNR can commence issuing hunting, fishing, and trapping approvals immediately to nonresident members of the Wisconsin National Guard, instead of after a delayed effective date of three months, as provided in the bill.

*Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment 1* further expands the bill so that it applies not only to members of the Wisconsin National Guard, but also to nonresident members of a reserve unit of the U.S. Armed Forces if the reserve unit is located in this state.

**Legislative History**

Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 was offered by Representative Hubler. The Assembly Committee on Natural Resources recommended adoption of Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 on April 13, 2007 by a vote of Ayes, 13; Noes, 0.

Assembly Amendment 1 to Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 was offered by Representative Gundrum and adopted by a voice vote of the Assembly on April 24, 2007. Assembly Substitute Amendment 1, as amended, was passed by the Assembly on a vote of Ayes, 96; Noes, 0.

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