



State of Wisconsin
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2017 SENATE BILL 401

September 14, 2017 - Introduced by Senators TESTIN and OLSEN, cosponsored by Representatives SKOWRONSKI, KULP, R. BROOKS, MURSAU, TUSLER, MILROY, PRONSCHINSKE and EDMING. Referred to Committee on Sporting Heritage, Mining and Forestry.

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber* 29.563 (2g) (a) to (d); *to renumber and amend* 29.563 (2g)
2 (intro.); *to amend* 29.563 (2) (intro.), 29.563 (12m) and 29.563 (14) (c) 1.; and
3 **to create** 29.563 (2g) (bm) and 59.563 (6r) of the statutes; **relating to:** resident
4 deer hunting license, archer hunting license, and crossbow hunting license fees
5 imposed for a veteran who is 70 years of age or older.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill reduces from \$21.25 to \$14.25 the fee imposed for a resident deer hunting license, archer hunting license, or crossbow hunting license issued to a veteran who is 70 years of age or older.

This bill also prohibits a fee from being charged to a veteran who is 70 years of age or older when issued a resident archer hunting license if the person holds a resident crossbow hunting license, or when issued a resident crossbow hunting license if the person holds a resident archer hunting license. Under current law, this fee is \$2.25.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

SENATE BILL 401**SECTION 1**

1 **SECTION 1.** 29.563 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 29.563 **(2)** HUNTING APPROVALS. (intro.) Except as provided in sub. (2m), (2r),
3 ~~and (6m), and (6r)~~, the fees for hunting approvals are as follows:

4 **SECTION 2.** 29.563 (2g) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 29.563 (2g) (am)
5 (intro.) and amended to read:

6 29.563 **(2g)** (am) (intro.) Notwithstanding the fees under sub. (2) (a) 8. and 8r.
7 and (b) 6. and 6m. and except as provided in par. (bm), the fee is \$2.25 for any of the
8 following licenses:

9 **SECTION 3.** 29.563 (2g) (a) to (d) of the statutes are renumbered 29.563 (2g) (am)
10 1. to 4.

11 **SECTION 4.** 29.563 (2g) (bm) of the statutes is created to read:

12 29.563 **(2g)** (bm) Notwithstanding the fees under sub. (2) (a) 8. and 8r. and (b)
13 6. and 6m., there is no fee for any license under par. (am) 1. or 3. issued to a veteran
14 who is 70 years of age or older.

15 **SECTION 5.** 29.563 (12m) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 29.563 **(12m)** DUPLICATES OF REDUCED FEE APPROVALS. Notwithstanding the fees
17 specified under sub. (12) (a) and (b), a person who was issued an approval and
18 charged the reduced fee specified under sub. (2g) ~~or~~, (6m), or (6r) may not be charged
19 a fee for a duplicate of that approval that exceeds the fee specified for the approval
20 under sub. (2g) ~~or~~, (6m), or (6r).

21 **SECTION 6.** 29.563 (14) (c) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

22 29.563 **(14)** (c) 1. Each license issued under subs. (2), (2g) (am), (2m) to (10),
23 (12), and (12m) and each reprint of an approval issued by the department or an agent:
24 75 cents.

25 **SECTION 7.** 59.563 (6r) of the statutes is created to read:

