

to have been observed and performed precedent to such consolidation or merger.

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CHAPTER 49.

AN ACT to amend 29.09 (1) of the statutes, relating to hunting and fishing licenses for members of the armed forces.

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

29.09 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

29.09 (1) Except as expressly provided, no person shall (a) hunt with a gun any wild animal, or (b) trap any game, or (c) take, catch or kill fish or fish for fish in inland water of this state unless a license therefor has been duly issued to him which shall be exhibited to the conservation commission or its deputies on demand. Such licenses shall be issued to and obtained by only natural persons, and in case of resident hunting, trapping or fishing licenses, shall be issued only to persons who shall present to the county clerk or issuing agent definite proof of his identity, and that he is a legal resident of this state. No more than one of the same series shall be issued to the same person in any year. No person shall transfer his license or deer tag to or permit the use thereof by any other person, nor shall any person while hunting, trapping or fishing use or carry any license, tag or badge, issued to another. No hunting or trapping license or deer tag shall be obtained by any person for another nor shall such a license or tag be issued or obtained by any person who is not a citizen of the United States. Any person between the ages of 12 and 16 years may hunt only when accompanied by a parent or guardian. Indians hunting, fishing or trapping off Indian reservation lands are subject to all provisions of this chapter.

* * * *For the duration of the present war (World War II) members of the armed forces of the United States when stationed in Wisconsin, or while on furlough or leave, shall be entitled to hunt or fish without a license.*

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