

1971 Senate Bill 222

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AN ACT to amend 947.10 (1) (e); and to create 947.10 (1) (f) and (3) of the statutes, relating to cruelty to any live fowl or other birds when used for a target in marksmanship practice and providing for a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. 947.10 (1) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

947.10 (1) (e) Intentionally participates in the earnings of any place for baiting or fighting animals or intentionally maintains or allows any place to be used for such purpose; ~~or~~

SECTION 2. 947.10 (1) (f) and (3) of the statutes are created to read:

947.10 (1) (f) Conducts a shooting event at which any person uses a firearm or any deadly weapon to shoot, kill or wound a live bird, poultry or animal that is tied, staked out or caged and used as a target to be fired at either for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship, or rents any building, shed, room, yard, field or premises, or knowingly suffers the use of the same for any such purpose.

(3) Nothing in this section prohibits the shooting of any wild game in its wild state, the shooting of game birds and waterfowl at licensed game farms or licensed shooting preserves or the use of live birds when used in the training of hunting dogs.