DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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The provisions of this draft may give rise to a constitutional challenge based on equal protection principles because the exception created in the draft applies only to hunters and not other persons who engage in recreational activities on DNR lands. Under equal protection principles, legislation may create a classification if the classification rationally relates to its objective. In order for the provisions of this amendment to survive a constitutional challenge, it must be demonstrated that there is a rational basis for treating hunters differently than other recreational users of DNR lands.

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