DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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- 1. In drafting the definition of "farm-raised game bird" I needed to use the word "captive" (not "in captivity"), and "native" because they are defined terms in ch. 22. Please review the interrelationship of the definitions of game birds found in ss. 22.01 (12m), 29.001 (25m) and (39), and 95.001 (1) (ai). If you have any concerns or suggested changes to the definition of "farm-raised game bird" or "game birds" in chapter 29, please call me to discuss them.
- 2. I think "farm-raised game birds" was omitted by error from s. 29.354 (5) so I added the phrase. OK?
- 3. I have returned s. 95.45 (1) to current law. However, as I have stated before, I feel uncomfortable with there being two definitions or interpretations of "veterinarian" for purposes of ch. 22.
- 4. I have made the change you requested in s. 22.14 (3). I also made a corresponding change in s. 22.18 (2). Please review ss. 29.351 (2m) and 29.501 (9m) to determine whether you want any changes in light of the changes already made in ss. 22.14 (3) and 22.18 (2).
- 5. I have merged the inspection authority under s. 90.21 with the inspection authority under s. 95.59 and have moved it all to s. 22.38. Please review ss. 22.37 and 22.38 very carefully to ensure they achieve your intent. Note that there is no authority to review records under s. 90.21 since there is nothing in s. 90.21 that authorizes DNR to require records. Note s. 22.37 (3) now covers inspections under both ss. 22.37 and 22.38 and has been expanded to cover anyone, as opposed to just a license holder, who is asked to submit to an inspection under either of those sections.
- 6. Regarding the exemptions for persons holding a license under s. 95.68, 95.69, or 95.71, please review the changes in all of the three following provisions to make sure they achieve your intent: ss. 22.04 (5) (a), 22.07 (3), and 22.10 (4).
- 7. Regarding the definition of "animal" in s. 22.01 (1): Ruth Heike and Becky Tradewell are working on this and the placement of s. 22.015. This definition is not final.

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