

State of Wisconsin \ DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Modifications From Agency

March 17, 2010

Honorable Ann Hraychuck, Chair Assembly Committee on Fish and Wildlife Room 6 North State Capitol

Honorable Jim Holperin, Chair Senate Committee on Transportation, Tourism, Forestry and Natural Resources Room 409 South State Capitol

Subject: Clearinghouse Rule No. 09-053 relating to deer management unit population goals

Dear Representative Hraychuck and Senator Holperin:

In response to the Assembly Committee on Fish and Wildlife motion on January 5, 2010 requesting modifications to Clearinghouse Rule No. 09-053, the Natural Resources Board adopted modifications at its March 16, 2010 meeting. These overwinter population goal increases are in addition to modifications in the department's initial proposal which was adopted by the Natural Resources Board on October 19, 2009.

Deer Management Unit	Current over-winter goal density	Proposed increase of over- winter density
2	18	20
3	16	18
12	17	20
13	15	17
14	14	20
15	22	25
17	15	17
18	20	22
19	20	22
20	18	20
22	20	25
22A	20	25
23	20	25
24	20	25
25	20	23
26	20	23
27	20	25



Deer Management Unit	Current over-winter goal density	Proposed increase of over- winter density
29B	12	15
30	15	19
33	20	25
34	17	20
43	15	17
57A	25	30
59A	20	25
59B	15	25
59D	20	25
61	20	25
62A	25	30
62B	25	30
63A	25	30
66	25	30
74A	20	25

Attached is a copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. WM-16-09 (Clearinghouse Rule No. 09-053) incorporating these modifications.

Under s. 227.19(5)(b), Stats., the Department of Natural Resources refers this action to your committees for an additional 10 working day review. If the Department does not hear from you within 10 working days of receipt of this letter, the Department will continue processing this rule.

Sincerely,

Matthew J. Frank Secretary

cc: Scott Loomans – WM/6 Tim Andryk – LS/8 Linda Haddix – LS/8

Attach.