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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and custodian of the official records of said Department, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. G-27-83 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on June 23, 1983. I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at General Executive Facility #2 in the City of Madison, this 9th day of September, 1983.


Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD
 REPEALING AND RECREATING RULES

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 IN THE MATTER OF repealing and .
 recreating ss. NR 10.01(3)(e)1. and .
 10.115 of the Wisconsin Administrative . G-27-83
 Code pertaining to antlerless deer .
 hunting permits. .

Analysis Prepared by the Department of Natural Resources

1. Antlerless Deer Hunting - A 3-year experimental season is proposed for certain Deer Management Units to harvest antlerless deer by permit. The reduced deer population will minimize the potential for severe crop damage. The permit system will enable the Department to maximize the harvest of antlerless deer with the fewest number of permits, an important consideration for landowners sensitive to excessive hunting pressure.
2. Deer Management Unit Selection - The permit will restrict the hunter to one antlerless deer per season in a specified Deer Management Unit. Only units 67, 70, 70A, 70B, 70E and 71 will utilize this special permit. These units are in agricultural areas subject to high deer densities.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board by ss. 29.107, 29.174(1), and 227.014(2)(a), Stats., the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board hereby repeals and recreates rules interpreting s. 29.107, Stats., as follows:

SECTION 1. NR 10.01(3)(e)1. is repealed and recreated to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
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(e) Deer gun season

1. ZONE "A"

In all portions of the state not otherwise listed in season zones "B" through "G".

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
<p>a. In the counties or parts of counties of Brown, Buffalo (north of U.S. highway 10), Calumet, Chippewa (south of state highway 64 and west of U.S. highway 53), Dodge (north of state highway 60), Door (Washington, Detroit, Plum and Rock islands), Dunn (south of state highway 64), Fond du Lac, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Outagamie, Ozaukee (north of state highway 60 and county highway Q), Pepin (north of U.S. highway 10), St. Croix (south of state highway 64), Sheboygan, Shawano (south of state highway 29), Washington (north of state highway 60), Waupaca, and Winnebago.</p>	<p>Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length or hunter's choice permit limit</p>
<p>b. All that part of Dane county west of state highway 78 and north of U.S. highway 18</p>	<p>Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>With an antlerless deer permit, one antlerless deer per season. Without an antlerless deer permit, one buck deer with an antler not less than 3 inches in length per season.</p>
<p>c. Deer management units 67, 70, 70A (except Dane county), 70B, 70E and 71 as described in s. NR 10.28</p>	<p>Firearm season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>With an antlerless deer permit, one antlerless deer per season. Without an antlerless deer permit, one buck deer with an antler not less than 3 inches in length per season.</p>
<p>d. All other parts of zone "A"</p>	<p>Firearm season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length or hunter's choice permit limit</p>

SECTION 2. NR 10.115 is repealed and recreated to read:

NR 10.115 ANTLERLESS DEER HUNTING PERMIT. (1) FINDING. The natural resources board finds that an additional harvest of deer in the amount established by s. NR 10.01(3)(e)9.e. is necessary to properly manage the deer herd in the state.

(2) APPLICATION AND PERMIT ISSUANCE. Permits may be issued only to persons applying on application blanks furnished by the department, who are in possession of a valid current Wisconsin deer hunting license. Applications shall be postmarked no later than the first Friday in October. Validation of applications shall be made by random selection from all eligible applications received for each open deer management unit. No person may submit more than one application.

(3) UNISSUED PERMITS. All permits remaining unissued for any designated quota area after all applications filed under sub. (2) have been processed may be issued by the department on a first-come, first-served basis.

(4) PERMIT VALIDATION. The department shall issue an antlerless deer hunting permit requiring validation before deer hunting is authorized to each successful applicant. Validation shall consist of affixing a department decal to the permit holder's valid Wisconsin deer hunting license, corresponding back tag and permit. Failure to follow the validation procedure by using one of the following methods invalidates the permit:

(a) Validation by Mail. The applicant may mail his or her valid current combination back tag - carcass tag and antlerless permit to the DNR, Box 7924, Madison, WI 53707 no later than the first Friday in November. The department shall validate and affix a validation decal on the back tag - carcass tag and permit and return the material to the applicant with an additional validation decal which the applicant shall affix to his or her valid current Wisconsin deer hunting license, or

(b) Validation in person. The applicant may present his or her valid current Wisconsin deer hunting license, combination back tag - carcass tag and antlerless permit in person to a department office during normal work hours. Prior to the opening of the deer gun season, the department shall validate and affix a validation decal to the hunting license, back tag and permit.

(5) PERMIT AUTHORITY. No person may hunt antlerless deer in deer management units 67, 70, 70A, 70B, 70E or 71 unless he or she is in possession of a current valid antlerless permit, hunting license, back tag and carcass tag.

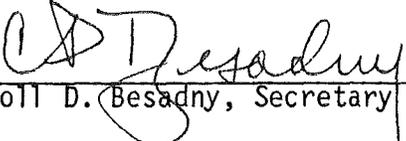
(6) BAG LIMIT. The permit shall authorize the use of the holder's current valid Wisconsin deer hunting license, back tag and carcass tag for the killing of one antlerless deer in the deer management unit designated on the permit or the limit specified for areas not requiring a permit.

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on June 23, 1983.

The rules contained herein shall take effect as provided in s. 227.026(1)(intro.), Stats.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin 9/9/83

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

By 
Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary

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