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2021 Assembly Bill 165 repeals the authority of the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to issue resident and nonresident crossbow hunting licenses and provides that resident and nonresident archer licenses authorize hunting with either a bow and arrow or a crossbow. In addition, the bill repeals the provision in current law which allows a hunter who has purchased a resident or nonresident archer or crossbow hunting license to upgrade to a license that includes both privileges.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1

Assembly Amendment 1 increases the fees for both the resident and nonresident archer hunting licenses created in the bill by \$1 each, from \$21.25 to \$22.25 for a resident and from \$157.25 to \$158.25 for a nonresident. The amendment also changes the effective date of the bill from the day after publication to March 1, 2022.

BILL HISTORY

Representative Tittl offered Assembly Amendment 1 on June 23, 2021. On January 12, 2022, the Assembly Committee on Sporting Heritage recommended adoption of the amendment on a vote of Ayes, 10; Noes, 0, and recommended passage of the bill, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 8; Noes, 3.

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