

**ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE BOARD
OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS**

LCB File No. R023-03

Effective October 30, 2003

EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §§ 1 and 3, NRS 501.105, 501.181 and 502.250; §2, NRS 501.105, 501.181, 502.130 and 502.140.

Section 1. NAC 502.334 is hereby amended to read as follows:

502.334 1. A resident must pay \$25 for a tag for a special season to hunt deer.

2. A nonresident must pay the following fees for tags:

(a) Antelope.....	\$250
(b) Bighorn sheep.....	1,000
(c) Deer (special seasons).....	200
(d) Mountain lion	100
(e) Elk.....	1,000
<i>(f) Mountain goat.....</i>	<i>1,000</i>

Sec. 2. NAC 502.364 is hereby amended to read as follows:

502.364 1. Before a person may hunt a mountain goat, he must obtain a tag from the ~~Division~~ *Department*. Except as otherwise provided by a regulation of the Commission or title 45 of NRS, a ~~resident of the State of Nevada~~ *person* may apply once for a mountain goat tag in any year. Except as otherwise provided by NRS 502.215 and NAC 502.321, a person who obtains a mountain goat tag or replacement tag for mountain goat may not apply for another mountain goat tag during his lifetime.

2. A person who harvests a mountain goat shall, within 5 days after harvesting it, personally present the skull, hide and any edible portion of the animal, or its carcass , to a representative of the ~~[Division]~~ *Department* for inspection.

3. A person who is unsuccessful in harvesting a mountain goat shall, within 5 days after the open season, present the unused tag to a representative of the ~~[Division]~~ *Department* for cancellation. It is unlawful to possess an unused tag that has not been cancelled within 5 days after the season.

Sec. 3. Section 1 of this regulation expires by limitation on February 29, 2004.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF PROPOSED REGULATION
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The Board of Wildlife Commissioners adopted regulations assigned LCB File No. R023-03 which pertain to chapter 502 of the Nevada Administrative Code on September 27, 2003.

Notice date: 8/15/2003
Hearing date: 9/26/2003

Date of adoption by agency: 9/27/2003
Filing date: 10/30/2003

INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT

- 1. Description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of public response, and explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.**
Public comment was solicited at the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners Workshop on regulations held Friday, September 26, 2003 at the Bristlecone Convention Center, Ely, Nevada. The regulation was dutifully agendized and the agenda posted pursuant to Nevada Open Meeting Law, NRS Chapter 241. Copies of the summary of public response are available in minute form from the secretary of the Commission.
- 2. The Number of Persons Who:**
 - (a) **Attended each hearing:** Approximately 20
 - (b) **Testified at each hearing:** 0
 - (c) **Submitted to the agency written statements:** 0
- 3. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response and an explanation how other interested parties may obtain a copy of the summary.** N/A
- 4. If the regulation was adopted with or without change to any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting.** Regulation was adopted without change based upon Board of Wildlife Commissioners' desire to establish a mountain goat season for nonresident hunters.
- 5. The estimated economic effect of the regulations on the businesses they are to regulate and on the public.**
 - (a) **Estimated economic effect on the businesses which they are to regulate.**
 - (1) **Adverse - N/A**
 - (2) **Beneficial - Allows mountain goat hunting for nonresident.**
 - (3) **Immediate - N/A**
 - (4) **Long term - N/A**
 - (b) **Estimated economic effect on the public which they are to regulate.**
 - (1) **Adverse - N/A**
 - (2) **Beneficial - N/A**
 - (3) **Immediate - N/A**
 - (4) **Long term - N/A**

- 6. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation: N/A**
- 7. A description of any regulations of other state or government agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement explaining why the duplication or overlapping is necessary. N/A**
- If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency:**
- 8. If the regulation includes provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation which regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions: N/A**
- 9. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used: \$1,000 per year (1 tag @ \$1,000) to be used to partially fund wildlife management programs.**