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09400SB2810sam001 LRB094 18529 RSP 56470 a AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2810 1 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend Senate Bill 2810 by replacing 3 everything after the enacting clause with the following: "Section 5. The Wildlife Code is amended by adding Section 4 5 2.26a as follows: (520 ILCS 5/2.26a new) 6 7 Sec. 2.26a. Bonus Deer Permit. (a) Beginning 30 days after the effective date of this 8 amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly, the Department 9

shall establish a Bonus Deer Permit program authorizing a 10 resident applicant for a Deer Hunting Permit to apply for a 11 Bonus Deer Permit when that resident applicant applies for a 12 Deer Hunting Permit under Section 2.26. In order to be eligible 13 for this permit an applicant must be a resident of Illinois, 14 meet the requirements for obtaining a Deer Hunting Permit, 15 16 request the Bonus Deer Permit on a form designated and made available by the Department, and submit a \$5 fee, which is 17 separate from and additional to any other stamp, permit, tag, 18 or license fee required under this Code. For eligible 19 applicants, the Department may issue a Bonus Deer Permit 20 21 authorizing the taking of a bonus deer to be harvested in specific counties within the State designated by the Department 22 as having an overpopulation of deer. The Department must refund 23

fees submitted for Bonus Deer Permits that are not issued. The

- Department shall adopt suitable administrative rules 1
- pertaining to: (i) any additional eligibility requirements 2
- 3 that are reasonable and necessary for the administration of the
- program and (ii) management restrictions applicable to the 4
- 5 taking of bonus deer that may include, without limitation,
- numeric, qeographic, or sex specific regulations pertaining to 6
- 7 bonus deer.
- 8 (b) Of the fees received by the Department for Bonus Deer
- Permits under this Section, after refunding fees received for 9
- permits that are not issued, 60% of the remaining moneys, 10
- subject to appropriation, shall be used by the Department for 11
- administrative costs of the Program and 40% shall be deposited 12
- into the Firearm Owner's Notification Fund to be used by the 13
- Department of State Police, subject to appropriation, to ensure 14
- 15 the prompt and efficient processing of applications received
- under Section 4 of Firearm Owners Identification Card Act. 16
- 17 Section 10. The Firearm Owners Identification Card Act is
- amended by changing Sections 5 and 7 as follows: 18
- 19 (430 ILCS 65/5) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-5)
- Sec. 5. The Department of State Police shall either approve 20
- or deny all applications within 30 days from the date they are 21
- 22 received, and every applicant found qualified pursuant to
- 23 Section 8 of this Act by the Department shall be entitled to a
- 24 Firearm Owner's Identification Card upon the payment of a fee
- 25 not to exceed \$5 as set by the Department of State Police \$5
- 26 fee. Sixty percent \$3 of each fee derived from the issuance of
- 27 Firearm Owner's Identification Cards, or renewals thereof,
- 28 shall be deposited in the Wildlife and Fish Fund in the State
- 29 Treasury; 20% \$1 of such fee shall be deposited in the State
- 30 Police Services Fund and 20% \$1 of such fee shall be deposited
- in the Firearm Owner's Notification Fund. Monies in the Firearm 31
- Owner's Notification Fund shall be used exclusively to pay for 32

- the cost of sending notices of expiration of Firearm Owner's 1
- 2 Identification Cards under Section 13.2 of this Act. Excess
- 3 monies in the Firearm Owner's Notification Fund and moneys
- deposited into that Fund by the Department of Natural Resources 4
- 5 under Section 2.26a of the Wildlife Code shall be used to
- ensure the prompt and efficient processing of applications 6
- received under Section 4 of this Act. 7
- (Source: P.A. 94-353, eff. 7-29-05.) 8
- 9 (430 ILCS 65/7) (from Ch. 38, par. 83-7)
- Sec. 7. Except as provided in Section 8 of this Act, a 10
- Firearm Owner's Identification Card issued under the 11
- provisions of this Act shall be valid for the person to whom it 12
- is issued for a period of $\underline{10}$ $\underline{5}$ years from the date of issuance. 13
- (Source: Laws 1967, p. 2600.) 14
- 15 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 16 becoming law.".