Session of 2019

HOUSE BILL No. 2167

By Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

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AN ACT concerning wildlife; relating to the transferability of deer permits.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. (a) The secretary of wildlife, parks and tourism shall establish a system to approve and administer the transfer of regular landowner or tenant hunt-on-your-own-land big game permits issued under K.S.A. 32-937(g), and amendments thereto, from the original recipient of the permit to a nonresident of the state of Kansas solely for the purpose of hunting white-tailed deer.

(b) The transfer system established under subsection (a) shall meet the following requirements:

13 (1) Any transfer shall not occur until all nonresident hunting permits issued under K.S.A. 32-937(1), and amendments thereto, have been filled in each management unit where the regular landowner or tenant hunt-on-your-own-land big game permit was issued for the applicable white-tailed deer season;

(2) any recipient of a nonresident hunting permit issued under K.S.A. 32-937(l), and amendments thereto, is not eligible for a transfer under this section during the applicable white-tailed deer season of the permit issued under K.S.A. 32-937(l), and amendments thereto;

(3) the secretary of wildlife, parks and tourism shall allow the transferee to designate whether the transferee will hunt both antiered and antierless white-tailed deer or only antierless white-tailed deer pursuant to the permit transferred under this section;

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(4) the secretary of wildlife, parks and tourism may charge a transfer fee, not to exceed half the cost of a nonresident hunting permit issued under K.S.A. 32-937(1), and amendments thereto, for transfers designated for antlered and antlerless white-tailed deer, and not to exceed the cost of the original permit for the regular landowner or tenant hunt-on-your-ownland big game permits under K.S.A. 32-937(g), and amendments thereto, for transfers designated for antlerless white-tailed deer.

(5) The secretary of wildlife, parks and tourism shall not prohibit nor restrict the sale of regular landowner or tenant hunt-on-your-own-land big game permits under K.S.A. 32-937(g), and amendments thereto, by the original permit holder to a nonresident, so long as the transfer is approved

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(5) The secretary of wildlife, parks and tourism may restrict the location and transferee may hunt white tailed deer to the same area the landowner or tenant was eligible to hunt.

(6) The secretary of wildlife, parks and tourism may restrict the number of landowner or tenant hunt-on-your-own-land big game permits transferred under the transfer system established under subsection (a), except that the number of such permists shall not be restricted to less than two per landowner or tenant

And by redesignating subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs and clauses accordingly

under the transfer system established by the secretary pursuant to this section.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

(c) The provisions of this section shall expire on

January 31, 2024