

HOUSE BILL No. 2817

By Committee on Appropriations

Requested by Representative W. Carpenter

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1 AN ACT concerning wildlife; relating to controlled shooting areas;
2 removing the maximum fee amount for controlled shooting area
3 operator licenses; allowing the secretary of wildlife and parks to adjust
4 such license fee amount on an annual basis to cover any projected loss
5 of revenue caused by an enactment concerning wildlife fees by the
6 legislature during the current or previous fiscal year; amending K.S.A.
7 2023 Supp. 32-988 and repealing the existing section.
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9 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

10 Section 1. K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 32-988 is hereby amended to read as
11 follows: 32-988. (a) The secretary is authorized to adopt, in accordance
12 with K.S.A. 32-805, and amendments thereto, rules and regulations fixing
13 the amount of fees for the following items, subject to the following
14 limitations and subject to the requirement that no such rules and
15 regulations shall be adopted as temporary rules and regulations:

16 Big game permits

17 Resident (other than elk permit): maximum \$100

18 Nonresident (other than elk permit): maximum \$400

19 Elk permit: maximum \$350

20 Nonresident mule deer stamp: maximum \$150

21 Nonresident applications: maximum \$25

22 Combination hunting and fishing licenses

23 Resident: maximum \$50

24 Lifetime: maximum \$1,000; or 8 quarterly payments, each maximum
25 \$150

26 Nonresident: maximum \$200

27 Commercial dog training permits: maximum \$25

28 Commercial guide permit or associate guide permit

29 Resident: maximum \$250

30 Nonresident: maximum \$1,000

31 Commercial harvest or dealer permits: maximum \$200

32 Commercial prairie rattlesnake harvesting permits

33 Resident or nonresident with valid hunting license: maximum \$5

34 Resident or nonresident nonfirearm without valid hunting license:
35 maximum \$20

- 1 Controlled shooting area operator license: *no* maximum \$400
- 2 Duplicate licenses, permits, stamps and other issues of the department:
- 3 maximum \$10
- 4 Falconry
- 5 Permits: maximum \$300
- 6 Examinations: maximum \$100
- 7 Field trial permits: maximum \$25
- 8 Fishing licenses
- 9 Resident: maximum \$25
- 10 Lifetime: maximum \$500; or 8 quarterly payments, each maximum
- 11 \$75
- 12 Nonresident: maximum \$75
- 13 Five-day nonresident: maximum \$25
- 14 Institutional group: maximum \$200
- 15 Special nonprofit group: maximum \$200
- 16 Twenty-four-hour: maximum \$10
- 17 Fur dealer licenses
- 18 Resident: maximum \$200
- 19 Nonresident: maximum \$400
- 20 Furharvester licenses
- 21 Resident: maximum \$25
- 22 Lifetime: maximum \$500; or 8 quarterly payments, each maximum
- 23 \$75
- 24 Nonresident: maximum \$400
- 25 Game breeder permits: maximum \$15
- 26 Persons with a physical or developmental disability hunting and fishing
- 27 permits: maximum \$5
- 28 Hound trainer-breeder running permits: maximum \$25
- 29 Hunting licenses
- 30 Resident: maximum \$25
- 31 Lifetime: maximum \$500; or 8 quarterly payments, each maximum
- 32 \$75
- 33 Nonresident 16 or more years of age: maximum \$125
- 34 Nonresident under 16 years of age: maximum \$75
- 35 Controlled shooting area: maximum \$25
- 36 Forty-eight-hour waterfowl permits: maximum \$25
- 37 Migratory waterfowl habitat stamps: maximum \$8
- 38 Mussel fishing licenses
- 39 Resident: maximum \$200
- 40 Nonresident: maximum \$1,500
- 41 Rabbit permits
- 42 Live trapping: maximum \$200
- 43 Shipping: maximum \$400

1 Raptor propagation permits: maximum \$100
2 Rehabilitation permits: maximum \$50
3 Scientific, educational or exhibition permits: maximum \$10
4 Wildlife damage control permits: maximum \$10
5 Wildlife importation permits: maximum \$10
6 Wild turkey permits
7 Resident: maximum \$100
8 Nonresident: maximum \$400
9 Resident turkey tag: maximum \$20
10 Nonresident turkey tag: maximum \$30
11 Special permits under K.S.A. 32-961, and amendments thereto:
12 maximum \$100
13 Miscellaneous fees
14 Special events on department land or water: maximum \$200
15 Special departmental services, materials or supplies: no maximum
16 Other issues of department: no maximum
17 Vendor bond: no maximum

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19 (b) The fee for a landowner-tenant resident big game or wild turkey
20 hunting permit shall be an amount equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ the fee for a general resident
21 big game or wild turkey hunting permit.

22 (c) The fee for a big game or wild turkey hunting permit for a resident
23 under 16 years of age shall be an amount not to exceed $\frac{1}{2}$ the fee for a
24 general resident big game or wild turkey hunting permit.

25 (d) The fee for a furharvester license for a resident under 16 years of
26 age shall be an amount equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ the fee for a resident furharvester
27 license.

28 (e) For a resident who is at least 65 years of age; but less than 75
29 years of age:

30 (1) The fee for an annual hunting license shall be an amount equal to
31 $\frac{1}{2}$ the fee for a general annual hunting license;

32 (2) the fee for an annual fishing license shall be an amount equal to $\frac{1}{2}$
33 the fee for a general annual fishing license; and

34 (3) the fee for an annual combination hunting and fishing license
35 shall be an amount equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ the fee for a general annual combination
36 hunting and fishing license.

37 (f) Any person who is a resident of this state and satisfies the
38 requirements to be considered a disabled veteran under K.S.A. 2023 Supp.
39 32-934, and amendments thereto, shall be exempt from the hunting and
40 fishing license fees listed in subsection (a).

41 (g) (1) *Except as provided by paragraph (2), the fee for an annual*
42 *controlled shooting area operator license shall be \$400.*

43 (2) *Subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 32-805, and amendments*

1 *thereto, the secretary of wildlife and parks may annually adjust the fee for*
2 *an annual controlled shooting area operator license to account for any*
3 *projected loss of revenue of the department caused by an enactment*
4 *concerning wildlife fees by the legislature during the current or previous*
5 *fiscal year:*

6 (h) The secretary may establish, by rules and regulations adopted in
7 accordance with K.S.A. 32-805, and amendments thereto, different fees for
8 various classes and types of licenses, permits, stamps and other issuances
9 of the department—~~which~~ *that* may occur within each item as described
10 under subsection (a).

11 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 32-988 is hereby repealed.

12 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
13 publication in the statute book.