HOUSE BILL NO. HB0258

Game & fish-pioneer licenses.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Barbuto

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for

- 1 AN ACT relating to game and fish; providing for issuance of
- 2 pioneer licenses based on collective years of residency;
- 3 and providing for an effective date.

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5 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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- 7 **Section 1.** W.S. 23-1-705(d), (e)(i) and (ii) is
- 8 amended to read:

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- 10 23-1-705. Complimentary licenses; one-shot antelope
- 11 hunt licenses; gunpowder and buckskin hunt licenses;
- 12 gratuitous licenses.

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- 14 (d) The department shall issue without charge
- 15 lifetime bird, small game and fish licenses to any resident
- or honorably discharged veteran who is over sixty-five (65)
- 17 years and who has continuously resided in Wyoming for at

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1 least the thirty (30) years, immediately preceding

application for the license, or to any disabled veteran who 2

is one hundred percent (100%) disabled as determined by the 3

United States department of veteran affairs. The license 4

5 is valid so long as the licensee remains a Wyoming

resident. 6

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(e) The department shall issue: 8

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(i) For a fee of two dollars (\$2.00) a resident 10 11 deer or antelope license and for a fee of five dollars (\$5.00) an elk license to any resident who was born on or 12 before January 1, 1930, and who has continuously resided in 13 14 Wyoming for at least the forty (40) years; immediately

preceding application for the license; and

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17 (ii) For a fee established by rule of the commission a resident deer, antelope or elk license to any resident who was born after January 1, 1930, is at least seventy (70) years of age prior to the issuance of the license and has continuously resided in Wyoming for at least fifty (50) years. immediately preceding application for the license. The fee established for a license under 24 this paragraph shall be not more than sixty-five percent

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1 (65%) nor less than sixty percent (60%) of the resident fee

2 specified in W.S. 23-2-101 for the particular species;

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4 Section 2. This act is effective January 1, 2011.

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6 (END)

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