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HOUSE AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1085** -

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Introduced by: Representatives Hundstad, Elliott, Frost, Garnos, Kroger, Novstrup, and Sebert and Senators Dennert, Koetzle, and Sutton (Duane)

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for certain reduced hunting and fishing license  
2 fees for certain disabled residents who served in the armed forces reserve or national guard.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That § 41-6-10.2 be amended to read as follows:

5 41-6-10.2. Any resident, who ~~receives a veterans allotment for a total disability which is~~  
6 ~~deemed a service connected injury or has received the United States Veterans' Administration~~  
7 ~~K Award, any resident who has served on active duty in the armed forces of the United States,~~  
8 ~~except active duty for training as a member of the reserve or national guard, and who is totally~~  
9 ~~disabled for the purposes of receiving social security benefits, any resident who was held as a~~  
10 ~~prisoner of war, or any resident who has a total disability as defined by rules promulgated by the~~  
11 ~~Game, Fish and Parks Commission may apply to the licensing office of the Department of~~  
12 ~~Game, Fish and Parks in Pierre and receive a resident small game license and a resident fishing~~  
13 ~~license upon payment of a reduced fee to be established by the Game, Fish and Parks~~  
14 ~~Commission pursuant to chapter 1-26~~ meets the requirements of this section may apply to the



1 licensing office of the Department of Game, Fish and Parks in Pierre and receive a resident  
2 small game license and a resident fishing license upon payment of a reduced fee to be  
3 established by the Game, Fish and Parks Commission in rules promulgated pursuant to chapter  
4 1-26. A resident is eligible for the reduced fee if the resident:

5 (1) Receives a veterans allotment for a total disability which is deemed a service-  
6 connected injury or has received the United States Veterans' Administration K  
7 Award;

8 (2) Has served on active duty in the armed forces of the United States or has served as  
9 a member of the armed forces reserve or national guard, and the resident is totally  
10 disabled for the purposes of receiving social security benefits;

11 (3) Was held as a prisoner of war; or

12 (4) Has a total disability as defined by rules promulgated by the Game, Fish and Parks  
13 Commission.

14 The resident small game license and the resident fishing license ~~is~~ are valid for a period of  
15 four calendar years if the licensee remains a resident of the state. A veteran may provide proof  
16 at the time of application of receipt of such an allotment, social security disability benefits, or  
17 award. Any other applicant shall provide proof of total disability on a form provided by the  
18 Department of Game, Fish and Parks.