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HOUSE BILL NO. 260

Offered January 11, 2006 Prefiled January 4, 2006

A BILL to amend and reenact § 10.1-1152 of the Code of Virginia, relating to permit fees for hunting or trapping in a state forest.

Patron—Abbitt

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 10.1-1152 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 10.1-1152. State Forester may require permits and fees.

The State Forester is authorized, with the approval of the Board, to require any person who hunts or traps on any of the lands described in § 10.1-1151 to obtain a special use permit or special use permits. Permits to hunt on any such lands shall be issued for a fee, not to exceed ten dollars \$15 annually for each permit, as fixed by the State Forester. Permits to trap on such lands may be issued in combination with the hunting permits, or separately, at a fee not to exceed ten dollars \$15 annually for each such permit, to be fixed by the State Forester.