STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS19436

This bill amends nonresident game tag provisions to allow the Fish and Game Commission to promulgate rules to allow a nonresident deer or elk tag to be used to hunt and kill a bear, wolf, or mountain lion instead of deer or elk during open seasons for deer or elk as specified by the Commission.

FISCAL NOTE

There will be no effect to the General Fund of the State of Idaho. Addition of alternative hunting opportunity using nonresident deer or elk tags for other species is estimated to increase adult, nonresident general and control hunt deer and elk tag sales by at least five percent for an estimated increase of $336,900 in revenue to the Fish and Game account.

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