

HOUSE BILL NO. 107

INTRODUCED BY J. JOHNSON, GROSFIELD,
MCCULLOCH, BIANCHI, J. RICE

IN THE HOUSE

JANUARY 5, 1991 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON FISH & GAME.

JANUARY 7, 1991 FIRST READING.

JANUARY 10, 1991 ON MOTION, ADDITIONAL SPONSORS ADDED.

JANUARY 18, 1991 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL
DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.

JANUARY 19, 1991 PRINTING REPORT.

JANUARY 22, 1991 CONSIDERATION PASSED FOR THE DAY.

JANUARY 23, 1991 CONSIDERATION PASSED FOR THE DAY.

ON MOTION, TAKEN FROM SECOND READING
AND REREFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON FISH
AND GAME.

FEBRUARY 2, 1991 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL
DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.

FEBRUARY 4, 1991 PRINTING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 5, 1991 SECOND READING, DO PASS.

FEBRUARY 6, 1991 ENGROSSING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 7, 1991 THIRD READING, PASSED.
AYES, 82; NOES, 18.

TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

FEBRUARY 8, 1991 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON FISH & GAME.

FIRST READING.

MARCH 15, 1991 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE
CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.

MARCH 16, 1991

SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.

MARCH 18, 1991

THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.
AYES, 40; NOES, 9.

RETURNED TO HOUSE.

IN THE HOUSE

MARCH 19, 1991

RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 87-2-105, MCA, is amended to read:

*87-2-105. Safety instruction required. (1) No A hunting license may not be issued to any a resident person under the age of 18 years unless he presents to the person authorized to issue such the license a certificate of competency as provided by this section.

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(3) No A bow and arrow license may not be issued to any a resident or nonresident person-under-the-age-of-18-years unless he presents to the person authorized to issue such

the license a an archery license issued for a prior hunting season or a certificate of competency-in-the--safe--handling of--bow--hunting--tackle,--in-addition-to-the-certificate-of competency-in-the-safe-handling-of-firearms completion from the national bowhunter education foundation. The person authorized to issue the license may not recognize a certificate of completion issued to a person who was under 11 years of age at the time of issuance.

(4) The department shall provide for a course of instruction in the safe handling of firearms and for that purpose may cooperate with any reputable organization having as one of its objectives the promotion of safety in the handling of firearms. The department may designate as an instructor any person it finds to be competent to give instructions in the handling of firearms. A person so appointed shall give such the course of instruction and shall issue a certificate of competency in the safe handling of firearms to any a person successfully completing the course.

(5) The department shall provide for a course of instruction in-the-safe-handling-of-bow-hunting-tackle from the national bowhunter education foundation and for that purpose may cooperate with any reputable organization having as one of its objectives the promotion of safety in the handling of bow hunting tackle. The department may designate



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8 years of age or older successfully completing the course."

9 NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date. [This act] is
10 effective July 1, 1992.

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APPROVED BY COMM.
ON FISH AND GAME

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RE-REFERRED AND
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ON FISH AND GAME
AS AMENDED

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14 EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS. AS PART OF THOSE PUBLIC INFORMATION
15 EFFORTS, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOTIFY BY MAIL ALL INDIVIDUALS
16 WHO PURCHASED A CLASS A-2 SPECIAL BOW AND ARROW LICENSE
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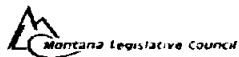
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