

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Ward

Prior law provided that bowhunters may carry on their person, while hunting with a bow, a pistol no larger than a .22 caliber with snake shot or rat shot ammunition for the purposes of killing snakes and rats.

New law authorizes bowhunters to carry any caliber firearm on their person while hunting with a bow.

New law shall not limit the ability of the Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries to regulate hunting activities in a wildlife management area.

Effective upon signature of the governor (June 29, 2015).

(Amends R.S. 56:116.1(E))