

2015 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 212

BY SENATOR WARD

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

HUNTERS/HUNTING. Repeals provision allowing the carrying of certain firearms while hunting with a bow. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To repeal R.S. 56:116.1(E), relative to the times and methods of taking of wild birds and

3 wild quadrupeds; to repeal provision allowing the carrying of certain firearms while

4 hunting with a bow; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 56:116.1(E) is hereby repealed.

7 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not

8 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature

9 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

10 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become

11 effective on the day following such approval.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by McHenry Lee.

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DIGEST

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Present law provides 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.

Proposed law repeals present law.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

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