
DIGEST

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Henry

HB No. 169

Abstract: Authorizes the use of sound suppressors when taking nongame nuisance quadrupeds.

Present law authorizes the taking of outlaw quadrupeds, nutria, or beaver at any time of year.

Proposed law authorizes the use of a firearm fitted with a sound suppressor for such taking when the person taking the outlaw quadruped is authorized to possess such firearm fitted with a sound suppressor, as evidenced by possession of the federal tax stamp required by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives. Prohibits use of a sound suppressor by any person convicted of a hunting violation class four or greater for five years after the date of conviction.

(Adds R.S. 56:116.1(D)(3))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to the original bill.

1. Prohibits use of a sound suppressor by any person convicted of a hunting violation class four or greater for five years after the date of conviction.