

SENATE BILL No. 412

June 7, 2011, Introduced by Senators BOOHER, HANSEN, GREEN, PROOS, MARLEAU and CASPERSON and referred to the Committee on Outdoor Recreation and Tourism.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"
by amending section 43524 (MCL 324.43524), as amended by 2002 PA
81.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 43524. (1) ~~A person~~ **AN INDIVIDUAL** shall not hunt wild
2 turkey without a wild turkey hunting license. The fee for a
3 resident wild turkey hunting license is \$15.00. The fee for a
4 nonresident wild turkey hunting license is \$69.00. Subject to the
5 requirements of section 40113a, the commission may issue an order
6 requiring that all applications for wild turkey hunting licenses,
7 or applications for wild turkey hunting licenses for certain
8 geographic areas, be entered into a lottery designed and run by
9 the department. ~~A person~~ **AN INDIVIDUAL** selected in a lottery,

upon meeting the requirements of this part, is authorized to purchase a wild turkey hunting license. The license shall be issued for a specified hunting period and shall confer upon the holder of the license the right to hunt wild turkeys.

(2) The department may charge a nonrefundable application fee not to exceed \$4.00 for each application for a wild turkey hunting license that is entered into a lottery ~~pursuant to~~ **UNDER** subsection (1).

(3) From fees collected under subsection (1) or (2), the following amounts shall be used for scientific research, biological survey work on wild turkeys, **CREATION AND MANAGEMENT OF WILD TURKEY HABITAT ON STATE LAND, ANNUAL WILD TURKEY POPULATION SURVEYS, ANNUAL RANDOM DISEASE TESTING ACROSS THE WILD TURKEY RANGE IN THIS STATE**, and **OTHER** wild turkey management in this state:

(a) Resident wild turkey hunting license.....	\$ 9.50
(b) Nonresident wild turkey hunting license.....	\$50.00
(c) Senior wild turkey hunting license.....	\$ 1.00
(d) Wild turkey hunting application.....	amount of
	application fee,
	if any, but not
	more than \$ 3.00.

(4) **THE DEPARTMENT SHALL, TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, USE THE MONEY FROM SUBSECTION (3) ACROSS ALL STATE LAND ON A PER-ACRE BASIS. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL, PRIOR TO JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR, PROVIDE TO THE STANDING COMMITTEES IN THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THAT PRIMARILY CONSIDER ISSUES RELATING TO**

1 NATURAL RESOURCES A REPORT DETAILING THE EXPENDITURES FOR THE
2 PRIOR YEAR UNDER SUBSECTION (3) .