
HOUSE BILL No. 1226

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 14-22.

Synopsis: Payment for hunting or fishing without a license. Allows a person who is issued a citation or summons for hunting, fishing, or trapping without a license to: (1) pay the conservation officer the amount due for the violation; and (2) purchase from the conservation officer a hunting, fishing, or trapping license. Establishes a convenience fee, which is to be deposited in the fish and wildlife fund.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 9, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2006 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 14-22-12-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 14. **Except as**
3 **provided in IC 14-22-39-7**, a person may not directly or indirectly
4 charge, collect, or receive for a license required under this article more
5 or less than the amount specified in this article, regardless of the
6 official capacity of the person or the relationship to the licensee.

7 SECTION 2. IC 14-22-39-7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
8 AS A **NEW SECTION** TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
9 1, 2007]: **Sec. 7. (a) If a conservation officer issues a citation or**
10 **summons to a person who hunts, fishes, or traps without a license**
11 **in violation of this article, the person may immediately do any of**
12 **the following:**

- 13 (1) **Pay the conservation officer the amount due for the**
14 **violation, plus a convenience fee of ten dollars (\$10).**
- 15 (2) **Purchase from the conservation officer a hunting, fishing,**
16 **or trapping license at the price of the license, plus a**
17 **convenience fee of ten dollars (\$10).**



1 **(b) A conservation officer shall accept a credit card (as defined**
2 **in IC 14-11-1-7(a)) payment for amounts payable under subsection**
3 **(a). If a person uses a credit card to make a payment under**
4 **subsection (a), the conservation officer shall charge an additional**
5 **credit card transaction fee that is determined by the commission.**
6 **(c) A conservation officer shall issue a receipt to a person who**
7 **pays for a violation or purchases a license under this section.**
8 **(d) A convenience fee collected under subsection (a) shall be**
9 **deposited in the fish and wildlife fund (IC 14-22-3).**

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