

Amendment to SB 451

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 AN ACT relative to wildlife trafficking and relative to hunting adventure permits.

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5 Amend the bill by replacing all after section 1 with the following:

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7 2 Hunting Adventure Permits. Amend RSA 208:1-aa to read as follows:

8 208:1-aa Hunting Adventure Permits. Notwithstanding the application, licensure, and permit
9 requirements of Title 18, the executive director of fish and game may annually issue, at no cost, up
10 to 2 licenses or permits to [~~Hunt Of A Lifetime, Inc.~~] **the New Hampshire Wildlife Federation** to
11 provide hunting adventures to New Hampshire residents 21 years of age or under with life-
12 threatening, critical, or terminal illnesses. These licenses or permits shall be in addition to any
13 limited hunting permit opportunities issued under Title 18, shall be at no cost to the organization,
14 shall be valid anywhere in the state open to the taking of the species selected, and shall be valid to
15 take game as specified in RSA 207:1, IX of either sex during the established hunting season for that
16 species, with the exception of moose permits which shall be valid from October 1st through the end
17 of the regular moose season. If the person using the permit is not properly licensed, he or she shall
18 be exempt from licensing requirements under RSA 214:1 and hunter education requirements under
19 RSA 214:23-a. The hunter shall be accompanied by a properly licensed person who is 21 years of
20 age or older. The provisions of Title 18 and rules adopted thereunder which relate to method and
21 manner of taking and reporting shall apply to hunting adventure permits.

22 3 Effective Date.

23 I. Section 2 of this act shall take effect January 1, 2019.

24 II. The remainder of this act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill establishes a prohibition on wildlife trafficking and provides that hunting adventure permits may be granted to the New Hampshire Wildlife Federation.