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**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 50‑11‑544, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO WILD TURKEY TAGS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT NO PERSON MAY OBTAIN OR POSSESS MORE THAN THREE WILD TURKEY TAGS.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Section 50‑11‑544 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 51 of 2019, is further amended to read:

“Section 50‑11‑544. A person who hunts wild turkeys is required to possess a wild turkey tag issued by the department. All turkeys taken must be tagged before being moved from the point of kill. All tags must be validated as prescribed by the department before a turkey is moved from the point of kill. ~~No resident may obtain or possess more than three wild turkey tags, and no nonresident may obtain or possess more than two wild turkey tags.~~ No person may obtain or possess more than three wild turkey tags.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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