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COMMITTEE REPORT

March 27, 2019

**H. 3800**

Introduced by Reps. B. Cox, Hiott, Elliott, Morgan, White, Clemmons, Hyde, Caskey, Magnuson, Hewitt, Trantham and Davis

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Read the first time January 30, 2019.

**THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NATURAL**

**RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS**

To whom was referred a Bill (H. 3800) to amend Section 50‑9‑350, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to apprentice hunting licenses, so as to allow for the waiver of the, etc., respectfully

**REPORT:**

That they have duly and carefully considered the same and recommend that the same do pass with amendment:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/SECTION 1. Section 50‑9‑350(1) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(1) The certificate of completion requirement may be waived ~~for one license year~~ if a person obtains an apprentice hunting license~~, and a person may receive such a waiver only one time~~. An apprentice hunting license may be issued if the applicant:

(a) is at least sixteen years of age and otherwise required to obtain a certificate of completion to obtain a hunting license;

(b) has not been convicted of or received deferred adjudication for violation of the hunter education requirement in this State; and

(c) has not been convicted of a hunting violation.”

SECTION 2. Section 50-9-510(A)(4) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(4) a nonresident who meets the qualifications as an apprentice hunter must purchase ~~an annual~~ a three-day temporary statewide apprentice hunting license for ~~one hundred twenty‑five~~ fifty dollars, two dollars of which the issuing sales vendor may retain.”

SECTION 3. This act takes effect sixty days after approval by the Governor. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

DAVID R. HIOTT for Committee.

**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 50‑9‑350, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO APPRENTICE HUNTING LICENSES, SO AS TO ALLOW FOR THE WAIVER OF THE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION REQUIREMENT FOR UP TO THREE YEARS AND TO ALLOW FOR A PERSON TO RECEIVE THIS WAIVER NO MORE THAN THREE TIMES.

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

SECTION 1. Section 50‑9‑350(1) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(1) The certificate of completion requirement may be waived for ~~one license year~~ a maximum of three license years if a person obtains an apprentice hunting license, and a person may receive such a waiver ~~only one time~~ no more than three times. An apprentice hunting license may be issued if the applicant:

(a) is at least sixteen years of age and otherwise required to obtain a certificate of completion to obtain a hunting license;

(b) has not been convicted of or received deferred adjudication for violation of the hunter education requirement in this State; and

(c) has not been convicted of a hunting violation.”

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

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