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NATURAL RESOURCES

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SENATE/HOUSE FILE 0409

BY (PROPOSED DEPARTMENT OF  
NATURAL RESOURCES BILL)

Passed Senate, Date \_\_\_\_\_ Passed House, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_ Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

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19 and is subject to approval of the attorney general, who shall  
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

THOMAS J. VILSACK, GOVERNOR  
SALLY J. PEDERSON, LT. GOVERNOR

LYLE W. ASELL, INTERIM DIRECTOR

To: General Assembly  
From: Lyle Asell, Interim Director *[Signature]*  
Iowa Department of Natural Resources  
Date: December 13, 2000  
Re: Wildlife Violator Compact

The attached bill allows the Department of Natural Resources to enter into a compact with other states for reciprocal recognition of the suspension of hunting and fishing license privileges by the compact participating states. Fish and Wildlife law violators that are habitual offenders in Iowa will be prohibited from fishing and hunting activities, as appropriate and applicable, in other states through this compact. Discussions with other states created this recommendation, as they see a need to not allow habitual fish and game law violators hunting and fishing rights in other states.

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