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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the taking of deer during late muzzleloader
2 hunting season.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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NAT. RES. & ENVIRONMENT

1 Section 1. Section 481A.48, subsection 1, Code Supplement
2 2001, is amended to read as follows:

3 1. No person, except as otherwise provided by law, shall
4 willfully disturb, pursue, shoot, kill, take or attempt to
5 take or have in possession any of the following game birds or
6 animals except within the open season established by the
7 commission: Gray or fox squirrel, bobwhite quail, cottontail
8 or jack rabbit, duck, snipe, pheasant, goose, woodcock,
9 partridge, coot, rail, ruffed grouse, wild turkey, pigeons, or
10 deer. The seasons, bag limits, possession limits and locality
11 shall be established by the department or commission under the
12 authority of sections 456A.24, 481A.38, and 481A.39. In
13 establishing limits on deer hunting during the late
14 muzzleloader season, the commission or the department shall
15 permit hunting in a party and shall not require a licensee to
16 shoot and tag a deer only by using the license and tag issued
17 in the licensee's name.

18 EXPLANATION

19 This bill requires that the natural resource commission or
20 the department of natural resources permit hunting in a party
21 during the late muzzleloader season and shall not require a
22 licensee to shoot and tag a deer only by using the license and
23 tag issued in the licensee's name. Under Iowa administrative
24 code 571-106.4(2), during muzzleloader seasons, a person may
25 shoot and tag a deer only by using the license and tag issued
26 in the person's name.

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