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### §11111. Tracking wounded animals with a leashed dog

**1. Permit required.** Except as provided in section 12862 or otherwise authorized pursuant to this Part, a person may not use a leashed dog to track a wounded animal without a valid permit issued pursuant to this section. For purposes of this section, "wounded animal" means a lawfully wounded bear, deer or moose.

[ 2015, c. 90, §2 (NEW) .]

**2. Eligibility; license fee.** A person who holds a valid big game hunting license may obtain from the commissioner a permit to use a leashed dog to track a wounded animal. The fee for a 3-year permit to use a leashed dog to track a wounded animal is \$81.

[ 2015, c. 90, §2 (NEW) .]

**3. Dog tracking services.** A person who holds a valid permit issued pursuant to this section may charge a fee for dog tracking services. Notwithstanding section 10001, subsection 28, a person is not a guide if the only services that person charges a fee for are dog tracking services pursuant to this subsection.

[ 2015, c. 90, §2 (NEW) .]

**4. Penalties.** Each day a person violates subsection 1, that person commits a Class E crime for which a minimum fine of \$50 and an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee must be imposed.

[ 2015, c. 90, §2 (NEW) .]

**5. Tracking a wounded animal after legal hunting hours.** Notwithstanding sections 11205 and 11206, a person who holds a valid permit issued pursuant to this section may use a leashed dog to track a wounded animal outside of legal hunting hours.

[ 2015, c. 90, §2 (NEW) .]



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