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deer; taking; landowner permits

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HOUSE BILL 2147

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 17, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 17-321; RELATING TO THE TAKING OF WILDLIFE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 17, chapter 3, article 1, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 17-321, to read:

4 17-321. Private lands; taking deer; landowner permits

5 A. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A LANDOWNER PERMIT FOR THE TAKING OF
6 DEER ON PRIVATE LANDS.

7 B. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A LANDOWNER PERMIT IF THE COMMISSION
8 DETERMINES THAT THE PERMIT IS NECESSARY FOR WILDLIFE POPULATION MANAGEMENT
9 OR TO REDUCE CONFLICTS BETWEEN HUMANS AND WILDLIFE OR BETWEEN PROPERTY AND
10 WILDLIFE.

11 C. A PERSON MAY NOT TRANSFER A LANDOWNER PERMIT TO ANY OTHER
12 PERSON.