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2. SPECIFY CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE(S) AND SECTION(S) (Including title 26, if toxics related)			
SECTION(S) AFFECTED (List all section number(s) individually. Attach additional sheet if needed.)	ADOPT 364.1 AMEND 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 702, 708.5, 708.11 and 713 REPEAL		
TITLE(S) 14			
3. TYPE OF FILING			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Rulemaking (Gov. Code § 11346) <input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn nonemergency filing (Gov. Code § 11349.3, 11349.4) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency (Gov. Code, § 11346.1(b)) <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Compliance: The agency officer named below certifies that this agency complied with the provisions of Gov. Code §§ 11346.2-11347.3 either before the emergency regulation was adopted or within the time period required by statute. <input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn emergency filing (Gov. Code, § 11346.1) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Readopt (Gov. Code, § 11346.1(h)) <input type="checkbox"/> File & Print <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Changes Without Regulatory Effect (Cal. Code Regs., title 1, § 100) <input type="checkbox"/> Print Only			
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5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES (Gov. Code, §§ 11343.4, 11346.1(d); Cal. Code Regs., title 1, § 100)			
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**B. SUBMISSION OF REGULATIONS**

**5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES**

Effective other (Specify)

7/1/15 effective dates pursuant to Government Code section 11343.4(b)(4)(A) for Sections 360, 361, 362, 702, 708.5 and 713, Title 14 CCR; and

7/1/15 effective dates pursuant to Government Code section 11343.4(b)(3) for Sections 363, 364, 364.1 and 708.11

## Mammal Regulations Text

### Subsection (a) of Section 360 is amended to read:

#### § 360. Deer.

Except as otherwise provided in this Title 14, deer may be taken only as follows:

(a) A, B, C, and D Zone Hunts.

*[No changes to subsections 360(a)(1) through 360(a)(4)]*

(5) Zone D-6.

(A) Area: In those portions of Alpine, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Stanislaus and Tuolumne counties within a line beginning at the intersection of Highway 99 and the Stanislaus River at Ripon; east along the Stanislaus River and following the North Fork of the Stanislaus River to Highland Creek; east up Highland Creek to the road connecting Lower and Upper Highland Lakes at Upper Highland Lake; east along that road to the township line between Townships 7 and 8 North; east on that township line to the Sierra crest near Wolf Creek Pass; south along the Sierra crest to the Yosemite National Park boundary near Rodger Peak; along the eastern Yosemite National Park boundary to Highway 41; south along Highway 41 to the Madera-Mariposa county line south of Westfall Station; along the Madera-Mariposa and the Madera-Merced county lines to Highway 99; north along Highway 99 to the point of beginning.

(B) Season: The season in Zone D-6 shall open on the third Saturday in September and extend for 44 consecutive days.

(C) Bag and Possession Limit: One buck, forked horn (See subsection 351(a)) or better, per tag.

(D) Number of Tags: ~~6,000~~ 10,000.

*[No changes to subsections 360(a)(6) through 360(a)(17)]*

### Subsection (b) of Section 360 is amended to read:

(b) X-Zone Hunts.

(1) Zone X-1.

*[No changes to subsections 360(b)(1)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~770~~ 775.

(2) Zone X-2.

*[No changes to subsections 360(b)(2)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~450~~ 160.

(3) Zone X-3a.

*[No changes to subsections 360(b)(3)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~275~~ 315.

*[No changes to subsection 360(b)(4)]*

(5) Zone X-4.

*[No changes to subsections 360(b)(5)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~385~~ 435.

(6) Zone X-5a.

*[No changes to subsections 360(b)(6)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~65~~ 75.

*[No changes to subsections 360(b)(7) through (17)]*

**Subsection (c) of Section 360 is amended to read:**

(c) Additional Hunts.

*[No changes to subsections 360(c)(1) through (4)]*

(5) G-8 (Fort Hunter Liggett Antlerless Deer Hunt).

(A) Area: That portion of Monterey County lying within the exterior boundaries of the Hunter Liggett Military Reservation, except as restricted by the Commanding Officer.

(B) Season: The season for additional hunt G-8 (Fort Hunter Liggett Antlerless Deer Hunt) shall open on October-4-3 and extend for 2 consecutive days and reopen on October-14-10 and extend for 3 consecutive days, except if rescheduled by the Commanding Officer with Department concurrence between the season opener and December 31 .

(C) Bag and Possession Limit: One antlerless deer (see subsection 351(b)) per tag.

(D) Number of Tags: 20 (10 military and 10 general public).

(E) Special Conditions: In the event the Commanding Officer cancels the hunt, G-8 tagholders may exchange the unused tag for any remaining deer tag and have accumulated and earned preference points restored pursuant to Section 708.14.

*[No changes to subsection 360(c)(6)]*

(7) G-10 (Camp Pendleton Either-Sex Deer Hunt).

(A) Area: That portion of San Diego County lying within the exterior boundaries of the U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Joseph Pendleton.

(B) Season: The season for additional hunt G-10 (Camp Pendleton Either-Sex Deer Hunt) shall be open on Saturdays, Sundays, holidays and the day after Thanksgiving beginning the first Saturday in September and extending through the first Sunday in December. Season dates may be subject to further restriction, or additional hunt days scheduled with concurrence from the Department, between the season opener and December 31 by the Commanding Officer due to military operations.

(C) Bag and Possession Limit: One either-sex deer (see subsection 351(c)) per tag.

(D) Number of Tags: ~~400~~ 250 (military only).

(E) Special Conditions:

1. Only archery equipment is permitted during the first six weeks of the season.  
2. Hunting with firearms is permitted beginning on the seventh weekend through the end of season.

3. A permit fee and method of take registration with the Base may be required.

4. In the event the Commanding Officer cancels the hunt, G-10 tagholders may exchange the unused tag for any remaining deer tag and have accumulated and earned preference points restored pursuant to Section 708.14.

(8) G-11 (Vandenberg Either-Sex Deer Hunt).

(A) Area: That portion of Santa Barbara County lying within the exterior boundaries of Vandenberg Air Force Base.

(B) Season: The season for additional hunt G-11 (Vandenberg Either-Sex Deer Hunt) shall open on the last Monday in August and extend through December 31.

(C) Bag and Possession Limit: One either-sex deer (see subsection 351(c)) per tag.

(D) Number of Tags: ~~250~~ 200 (military, Department of Defense employees, and personnel authorized by the Installation Commander only).

(E) Special Conditions: In the event the Commanding Officer cancels the hunt, G-11 tagholders may exchange the unused tag for any remaining deer tag and have accumulated and earned preference points restored pursuant to Section 708.14.

*[No changes to subsections 360(c)(9) through (16)]*

(17) M-4 (Horse Lake Muzzleloading Rifle Buck Hunt).

*[No changes to subsections 360(c)(17)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~40~~ 5.

(E) Special Conditions: Only muzzleloading rifles as specified in Section 353 may be used.

*[No changes to subsections 360(c)(18) through (30)]*

(31) J-9 (Little Dry Creek Apprentice Shotgun Either-Sex Deer Hunt).

(A) Area: That portion of Butte County within the exterior boundaries of the Little Dry Creek Unit Upper Butte Basin Wildlife Area (as defined in Section-~~550~~ 551, Title 14, CCR).

(B) Season: The season for additional hunt J-9 (Little Dry Creek Apprentice Shotgun Either-Sex Deer Hunt) shall open on the third Saturday in September and extend for 9 consecutive days.

(C) Bag and Possession Limit: One either-sex deer (see subsection 351(c)), per tag.

(D) Number of Tags: 5.

(E) Special Conditions:

1. Only junior license holders shall apply (see subsection 708.2).

2. Tagholders shall be accompanied by an adult chaperon 18 years of age or older while hunting.
3. Tagholders shall attend an orientation meeting the day before the opening day of the season.
4. Only shotguns and ammunition as specified in Section 353 may be used.
  - (32) J-10 (Fort Hunter Liggett Apprentice Either-Sex Deer Hunt).
    - (A) Area: That portion of Monterey County lying within the exterior boundaries of the Fort Hunter Liggett Military Reservation, except as restricted by the Commanding Officer.
    - (B) Season: The season for additional hunt J-10 (Fort Hunter Liggett Apprentice Either-Sex Deer Hunt) shall open on October ~~4~~ 3 and extend for 2 consecutive days and reopen on October ~~11~~ 10 and extend for 3 consecutive days, except if rescheduled by the Commanding Officer with Department concurrence between the season opener and December 31.
    - (C) Bag and Possession Limit: One either-sex deer (see subsection 351(c)) per tag.
    - (D) Number of Tags: ~~85~~ 75 (~~20~~ 15 military and ~~65~~ 60 general public).
    - (E) Special Conditions:
      1. Only junior license holders shall apply (see subsection 708.2).
      2. Tagholders shall be accompanied by an adult chaperon 18 years of age or older while hunting.
      3. ~~Tagholders shall attend an orientation meeting the day before the opening day of the season.~~
      4. In the event the Commanding Officer cancels the hunt, J-10 tagholders may exchange the unused tag for any remaining deer tag and have accumulated and earned preference points restored pursuant to Section 708.14.

*[No changes to subsections 360(c)(33) through 360(e)]*

Note: Authority: Sections 200, 202, 203, 220, 460, 3051, 3452, 3453, 3953 and 4334, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 203, 203.1, 207, 458, 459, 460, 3051, 3452, 3453, 3953 and 4334, Fish and Game Code.

**Subsection (b) of Section 361 is amended to read:**

**§ 361. Archery Deer Hunting.**

*[No changes to subsections 361(a) through 361(b)(1)]*

(2) A-3 (Zone X-1 Archery Hunt)

*[No changes to subsections 361(b)(2)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~430~~ 115.

*[No changes to subsection 361(b)(3)]*

(4) A-5 (Zone X-3a Archery Hunt).

*[No changes to subsections 361(b)(4)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~30~~ 35.

*[No changes to subsection 361(b)(5)]*

(6) A-7 (Zone X-4 Archery Hunt).

*[No changes to subsections 361(b)(6)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~140~~ 120.

(7) A-8 (Zone X-5a Archery Hunt).

*[No changes to subsections 361(b)(7)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Number of Tags: ~~40~~ 15.

*[No changes to subsections 361(b)(8) through 361(e)]*

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 220 and 4370, Fish and Game Code.  
Reference: Sections 200, 202, 203, 203.1, 207 and 4370, Fish and Game Code.

**Subsection (d) of Section 362 is amended to read:**

**§362. Nelson Bighorn Sheep.**

*[No changes to subsections 362(a) through (c)]*

(d) Number of License Tags:

<i>Nelson Bighorn Sheep Hunt Zones</i>	<i>Tag Allocation</i>
Zone 1 – Marble/Clipper Mountains	<del>4</del> <u>3</u>
Zone 2 - Kelso Peak/Old Dad Mountains	0
Zone 3 - Clark/Kingston Mountain Ranges	1
Zone 4 - Orocopia Mountains	<del>2</del> <u>1</u>
Zone 5 - San Gorgonio Wilderness	2
Zone 6 - Sheep Hole Mountains	0
Zone 7 - White Mountains	1
Zone 8 - South Bristol Mountains	1
Zone 9 – Cady Mountains	2
Open Zone Fund-Raising Tag	1
Marble/Clipper/South Bristol Mountains Fund-raising Tag	0
Kelso Peak/Old Dad Mountains Fund-Raising Tag	0
TOTAL:	<del>14</del> <u>12</u>

*[No changes to subsections 362(e)]*

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 220, 1050, and 4902, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 203, 203.1, 1050, 3950, and 4902, Fish and Game Code.

**Section 363 is amended to read:**

**§ 363. Pronghorn Antelope.**

The Lava Beds National Monument and Federal and State Game Refuges lying within the hunt boundary are closed to pronghorn antelope hunting, except for the state's Hayden Hill (1S) and Blacks Mountain (1F) game refuges in Lassen County and the Clear Lake National Wildlife Refuge in Modoc County. Refer to subsection 363(b)(5) for special conditions for permission to enter and hunt pronghorn antelope in the Clear Lake National Wildlife Refuge.

*[No change to subsection 363(a)]*

(b) Zone 2 - Clear Lake:

*[No change to subsections 363(b)(1) through (3)]*

(4) Number of License Tags:

(A) General Season: ~~40 buck tags~~ 15 buck tags and 0 doe tags.

(B) Archery Only Season: 1 buck tag and 0 doe tags.

*[No change to subsection 363(b)(5)]*

(c) Zone 3 - Likely Tables:

*[No change to subsections 363(c)(1) through (3)]*

(4) Number of License Tags:

(A) General Season: Period One: 40 buck tags and 0 doe tags. Period Two: ~~35 buck tags~~ 40 buck tags and 0 doe tags.

(B) Archery Only Season: 10 buck tags and 0 doe tags.

(d) Zone 4 - Lassen:

*[No change to subsections 363(d)(1) through (3)]*

(4) Number of License Tags:

(A) General Season: Period One: ~~30 buck tags~~ 45 buck tags and 0 doe tags. Period Two: ~~30 buck tags~~ 45 buck tags and 0 doe tags.

(B) Archery Only Season: ~~5 buck tags~~ 10 buck tags and 0 doe tags.

(e) Zone 5 - Big Valley:

[No change to subsections 363(e)(1) through (3)]

(4) Number of License Tags:

(A) General Season: ~~40 buck tags~~ 20 buck tags and 0 doe tags.

(B) Archery Only Season: 1 buck tag and 0 doe tags.

[No change to subsections 363(f) through (l)]

(m) Pronghorn Antelope Tag Allocations Table.

Hunt Area	2014 <del>2015</del> Pronghorn Antelope Tag Allocation					
	Archery-Only Season		General Season			
	Buck	Doe	Period 1		Period 2	
			Buck	Doe	Buck	Doe
Zone 1 – Mount Dome	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zone 2 – Clear Lake	1	0	<del>40</del> <u>15</u>	0	0	0
Zone 3 – Likely Tables	10	0	40	0	<del>35</del> <u>40</u>	0
Zone 4 – Lassen	<del>5</del> <u>10</u>	0	<del>30</del> <u>45</u>	0	<del>30</del> <u>45</u>	0
Zone 5 – Big Valley	1	0	<del>40</del> <u>20</u>	0	0	0
Zone 6 – Surprise Valley	1	0	10	0	0	0
Likely Tables Apprentice Hunt	N/A		5 Either-Sex		0	
Lassen Apprentice Hunt	N/A		5 Either-Sex		0	
Big Valley Apprentice Hunt	N/A		1 Either-Sex		0	
Surprise Valley Apprentice Hunt	N/A		4 Either-Sex		0	
Fund-Raising Hunt	N/A		2 Buck			

Note: Authority cited: Sections 219, 220, 331 and 1050, Fish and Game Code.  
Reference: Sections 331, 713 and 1050, Fish and Game Code.

**Section 364 is amended to read:**

**§364. Elk**

(a) Department Administered General Methods Roosevelt Elk Hunts:

[No changes to subsection 364(a)(1)]

(2) Big Lagoon Roosevelt Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsections 364(a)(2)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: ~~5 bull tags~~ 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.

(D) Special Conditions: All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

(3) Northwestern California Roosevelt Elk Hunt:

(A) Area: In those portions of Humboldt and Del Norte counties within a line beginning at the intersection of Highway 299 and Highway 96, north along Highway 96 to the Del Norte-Siskiyou county line, north along the Del Norte-Siskiyou county line to the California-Oregon state line, west along the state line to the Pacific Coastline, south along the Pacific coastline to the Humboldt-Mendocino county line, east along the Humboldt-Mendocino county line to the Humboldt-Trinity county line, north along the Humboldt-Trinity county line to Highway 299, west along Highway 299 to the point of beginning, excluding those areas owned or leased by the California Redwood Company and the Green Diamond Resource Company within existing elk hunt boundaries as described in subsections 364(a)(2)(A), (a)(4)(A), and (a)(5)(A).

(B) Season: The season shall open on the first Wednesday in September and continue for ~~42~~ 23 consecutive days.

(C) Number of License Tags: ~~0 bull tags, 0 antlerless tags, 30 either-sex tags~~ and 45 either-sex tags.

(4) Klamath Roosevelt Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(a)(4)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: ~~5 bull tags~~ 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.

(D) Special Conditions: All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

*[No changes to subsections 364(a)(5) through 364(c)]*

(d) Department Administered General Methods Tule Elk Hunts:

(1) Cache Creek Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(1)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: ~~2 bull tags~~ 3 bull tags and ~~2 antlerless tags~~ 3 antlerless tags.

(D) Special Conditions: All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(2) through (3)]*

(4) Independence Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(4)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period Two: 2 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
2. Period Three: ~~2 bull tags~~ 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
3. Period Four: 0 bull tags and ~~2 antlerless tags~~ 0 antlerless tags.
4. Period Five: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.

(5) Lone Pine Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(5)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period Two: ~~2 bull tags~~ 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
2. Period Three: 2 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
3. Period Four: 2 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
4. Period Five: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.

(6) Tinemaha Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(6)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period Two: ~~0 bull tags~~ 1 bull tag and 0 antlerless tags.
2. Period Three: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
3. Period Four: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
4. Period Five: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.

(7) West Tinemaha Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(7)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period One: 2 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
2. Period Two: ~~2 bull tags~~ 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
3. Period Three: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
4. Period Four: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.
5. Period Five: 0 bull tags and 0 antlerless tags.

(8) Tinemaha Mountain Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(8)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period One: 0 bull tags.
2. Period Two: 0 bull tags.

3. Period Three: 1 bull tag.
4. Period Four: ~~0 bull tags~~ 1 bull tag.
5. Period Five: 0 bull tags.

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(9)]*

(10) Grizzly Island Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(10)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period One: 0 bull tags, ~~0 spike bull tags~~ 4 spike bull tags, and ~~4 antlerless tags~~ 5 antlerless tags.
2. Period Two: 0 bull tags, 3 spike bull tags, and ~~6 antlerless tags~~ 8 antlerless tags.
3. Period Three: 0 bull tags, ~~4 spike bull tags~~ 2 spike bull tags, and ~~6 antlerless tags~~ 8 antlerless tags.
4. Period Four: 2 bull tags, ~~2 spike bull tags~~ 0 spike bull tags, and ~~6 antlerless tags~~ 8 antlerless tags.
5. Period Five: 2 bull tags, 2 spike bull tags, and ~~6 antlerless tags~~ 8 antlerless tags.

(D) Special Conditions: All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

(11) Fort Hunter Liggett General Public Tule Elk Hunt:

(A) Area: That portion of Monterey County lying within the exterior boundaries of Fort Hunter Liggett, except as restricted by the Commanding Officer.

(B) Season:

1. Period One: The season shall open on the first Tuesday in November and continue for ~~9~~ consecutive days.
2. Period Two: The season shall open on the Tuesday preceding the fourth Thursday in November and continue for 9 consecutive days.
3. Period Three: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for ~~13~~ 14 consecutive days.

(C) Due to military operations, season dates are subject to further restriction, or may be rescheduled between August 1 and January 31 by the Commanding Officer.

(D) Number of License Tags:

1. Period One: 4 antlerless tags.
2. Period Two: 4 antlerless tags.
3. Period Three: 4 bull tags.

(E) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.
2. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.

3. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.

~~3.~~ 4. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.

(12) East Park Reservoir Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(12)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

2. Access to private land may be restricted or require payment of an access fee.

3. A Colusa County ordinance prohibits firearms on land administered by the USDI Bureau of Reclamation in the vicinity of East Park Reservoir. A variance has been requested to allow use of muzzleloaders (as defined in Section 353) on Bureau of Reclamation land within the hunt zone.

(13) San Luis Reservoir Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(13)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: 0 bull tags, 0 antlerless tags, and ~~3 either-sex tags~~ 5 either-sex tags.

~~(D) Special Conditions: All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon receipt of their elk license tags.~~

(14) Bear Valley Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(14)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: ~~1 bull tag and 1 antlerless tag~~ 3 bull tags and 2 antlerless tags.

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(15)]*

(16) Santa Clara Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(16)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: ~~1 bull tag~~ 0 bull tags.

*[No changes to subsection 364(d)(17)]*

(e) Department Administered General Methods Apprentice Elk Hunts:

*[No changes to subsections 364(e)(1) through (3)]*

(4) La Panza Tule Elk Apprentice Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(e)(4)(A) through (C)]*

(D) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon after receipt of their elk license tags.
2. Only persons possessing valid junior hunting licenses may apply for Apprentice Hunt license tags. Apprentice Hunter tagholders shall be accompanied by a nonhunting, licensed adult chaperon 18 years of age or older while hunting.

*[No changes to subsection 364(e)(5)]*

(6) Grizzly Island Tule Elk Apprentice Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(e)(6)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags:

1. Period One: ~~2 antlerless tags~~ 3 antlerless tags and ~~0 spike bull tags~~ 1 spike bull tag.
2. Period Two: 2 spike bull tags.

(D) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon after receipt of their elk license tags.
2. Only persons possessing valid junior hunting licenses may apply for Apprentice Hunt license tags. Apprentice Hunt tagholders shall be accompanied by a nonhunting, licensed adult chaperon 18 years of age or older while hunting.

(7) Fort Hunter Liggett General Public Tule Elk Apprentice Hunt:

(A) Area: The tag shall be valid in the area described in subsection 364(d)(11)(A).

(B) Season: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for 14 consecutive days.

~~1. Period One: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for 13 consecutive days.~~

~~2. Period Two: The season shall open on the Wednesday preceding the fourth Thursday in November and continue for 9 consecutive days.~~

~~3. Period Three: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for 13 consecutive days.~~

(C) Due to military operations, season dates are subject to further restriction, or may be rescheduled between August 1 and January 31 by the Commanding Officer.

(D) Number of License Tags: 1 bull tag and 1 antlerless tags.

~~1. Period One: 1 antlerless tag.~~

~~2. Period Two: 0 antlerless tags.~~

~~3. Period Three: 1 bull tag.~~

(E) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon after receipt of their elk license tags.
  2. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.
  3. Only persons possessing valid junior hunting licenses may apply for Apprentice Hunt license tags. Apprentice Hunt tagholders shall be accompanied by a nonhunting, licensed adult chaperon 18 years of age or older while hunting.
  4. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.
  - ~~4.~~ 5. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.
- (f) Department Administered Archery Only Elk Hunts:

*[No changes to subsection 364(f)(1) through (5)]*

(6) Fort Hunter Liggett General Public Tule Elk Archery Only Hunt:

- (A) Area: The tag shall be valid in the area described in subsection 364(d)(11)(A).
- (B) Season:
1. Either-sex season shall open on the ~~third Tuesday in October~~ last Wednesday in July and continue for 9 consecutive days.
  2. Antlerless Season shall open on ~~October 4~~ the last Wednesday in September and continue for 9 consecutive days.
- (C) Due to military operations, season dates are subject to further restriction, or may be rescheduled between August 1 and January 31 by the Commanding Officer.
- (D) Number of License Tags: 2 either-sex tags and 4 antlerless tags.
- (E) Special Conditions:
1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon after receipt of their elk license tags.
  2. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.
  3. Elk may be taken with Archery Equipment only as specified in Section 354.
  4. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.
  - ~~4.~~ 5. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.
- (g) Department Administered Muzzleloader Only Elk Hunts:
- (1) Bishop Tule Elk Hunt Muzzleloader Only Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(g)(1)(A) and (B)]*

- (C) Number of License Tags: Period One: ~~2 bull tags~~ 1 bull tag and 0 antlerless tags.

(D) Special Conditions: Elk may be taken with muzzleloader equipment only as specified in Section 353.

(2) Independence Tule Elk Muzzleloader Only Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(g)(2)(A) and (B)]*

(C) Number of License Tags: Period One: ~~2 bull tags~~ 1 bull tag and 0 antlerless tags.

(D) Special Conditions: Elk may be taken with muzzleloader equipment only as specified in Section 353.

(3) Fort Hunter Liggett General Public Tule Elk Muzzleloader Only Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(g)(3)(A) through (D)]*

(E) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

2. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.

3. Elk may be taken with Muzzleloader Equipment only as specified in Section 353.

4. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.

~~4.~~ 5. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.

*[No changes to subsection 364(h)]*

(i) Fund Raising Elk Tags:

(1) Multi-zone Fund Raising License Tag.

(A) Area: The tag shall be valid in the areas described in subsections 364(a)(1)(A), (a)(3)(A), (a)(6)(A), (b)(1)(A), and (d)(2)(A).

(B) Season: The tag shall be valid during the following seasons.

1. Siskiyou and Marble Mountains Roosevelt Elk Season shall open on the Wednesday proceeding the first Saturday in September and continue for 19 consecutive days.

2. Northwestern Roosevelt Elk Season shall open on last Wednesday in August and continue for ~~49~~ 30 consecutive days.

3. Northeastern Rocky Mountain Elk Season shall open on the Wednesday preceding the last Saturday in August and continue for 33 consecutive days.

4. La Panza Tule Elk Season shall open on the first Saturday in October and extend for 65 consecutive days.

(C) Number of License Tags: 1 bull tag.

*[No changes to subsection 364(i)(2) and (3)]*

(j) Military Only Elk Tags. These hunts are sponsored and tag quotas are set by the department. The tags are assigned and the hunts are administered by the Department of Defense.

(1) Fort Hunter Liggett Military General Methods Tule Elk Hunt:

(A) Area: The tag shall be valid in the area described in subsection 364(d)(11)(A).

(B) Season:

1. The Early Season shall open on the ~~second~~ third Monday in August and continue for 5 consecutive days and reopen on the fourth Monday in August and continue for 5 consecutive days.

2. Period One: The season shall open on the first Tuesday in November and continue for 9 consecutive days.

3. Period Two: The season shall open on the Tuesday preceding the fourth Thursday in November and continue for 9 consecutive days.

4. Period Three: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for ~~43~~ 14 consecutive days.

(C) Due to military operations, season dates are subject to further restriction, or may be rescheduled between August 1 and January 31 by the Commanding Officer.

(D) Number of License Tags:

1. Early Season: 2 bull tags and 1 antlerless tag.

2. Period One: 4 antlerless tags.

3. Period Two: 4 antlerless tags.

4. Period Three: 4 bull tags.

(E) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.

2. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.

3. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.

~~3.~~ 4. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.

(2) Fort Hunter Liggett Military Apprentice Tule Elk Hunt:

(A) Area: The tag shall be valid in the area described in subsection 364(d)(11)(A).

(B) Season: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for 14 consecutive days.

~~1. Period One: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for 13 consecutive days.~~

~~2. Period Two: The season shall open on the Wednesday preceding the fourth Thursday in November and continue for 9 consecutive days.~~

~~3. Period Three: The season shall open on the Saturday preceding December 25 and continue for 13 consecutive days.~~

(C) Due to military operations, season dates are subject to further restriction, or may be rescheduled between August 1 and January 31 by the Commanding Officer.

(D) Number of License Tags: 1 bull tag and 1 antlerless tags.

- ~~1. Period One: 1 antlerless tag.~~
- ~~2. Period Two: 0 antlerless tags.~~
- ~~3. Period Three: 1 bull tag.~~

(E) Special Conditions:

1. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon ~~upon~~ after receipt of their elk license tags.
2. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.
3. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.
4. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.

~~4.~~ 5. Only persons possessing valid junior hunting licenses may apply for Apprentice Hunt license tags. Apprentice Hunt tagholders shall be accompanied by a nonhunting, licensed adult chaperon 18 years of age or older while hunting.

(3) Fort Hunter Liggett Military Archery Only Tule Elk Hunt:

(A) Area: The tag shall be valid in the area described in subsection 364(d)(11)(A).

(B) Season:

1. ~~Either-sex season shall open on the fourth Tuesday in October~~ last Wednesday in July and continue for 9 consecutive days.
2. ~~Antlerless Season shall open on October 4~~ the last Wednesday in September and continue for 9 consecutive days.

(C) Due to military operations, season dates are subject to further restriction, or may be rescheduled between August 1 and January 31 by the Commanding Officer.

(D) Number of License Tags: 2 either-sex tags and 4 antlerless tags.

(E) Special Conditions:

1. Elk may be taken with Archery Equipment only as specified in Section 354.
2. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon receipt of their elk license tags.
3. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.
4. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.

~~4.~~ 5. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.

(4) Fort Hunter Liggett Military Muzzleloader Only Tule Elk Hunt:

*[No changes to subsection 364(j)(4)(A) through (D)]*

(E) Special Conditions:

1. Elk may be taken with Muzzleloader Equipment only as specified in Section 353.

2. All tagholders will be required to attend a mandatory hunter orientation. Tagholders will be notified of the time and location of the orientation meeting upon receipt of their elk license tags.
3. Tagholders shall be required to purchase an annual hunting pass available from Fort Hunter Liggett.
4. All successful tagholders will be required to have their tags validated on Fort Hunter Liggett prior to leaving. All unsuccessful tag holders will be required to turn in their unfilled tags to Fort Hunter Liggett immediately upon completion of their hunt.
- ~~4.~~ 5. Season dates and hunt areas are subject to restriction by the Commanding Officer of Fort Hunter Liggett based on military training.

*[No changes to subsections 364(k) through (p)]*

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 332 and 1050, Fish and Game Code.  
Reference: Sections 203, 203.1, 332, 713 and 1050, Fish and Game Code.

**Section 364.1 is added to read:**

**§ 364.1. SHARE Elk Hunts.**

(a) Department Administered Shared Habitat Alliance for Recreational Enhancement (SHARE) Elk Hunts:

(1) Siskiyou Roosevelt Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(a)(1)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(2) Big Lagoon Roosevelt Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(a)(2)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(3) Northwestern California Roosevelt Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(a)(3)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(4) Klamath Roosevelt Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(a)(4)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(5) Del Norte Roosevelt Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(a)(5)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(6) Marble Mountains Roosevelt Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(a)(6)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(7) Northeastern California Rocky Mountain Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(b)(1)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(8) Mendocino Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(c)(1)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(9) Cache Creek Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(1)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(10) La Panza Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(2)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(11) Bishop Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(3)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(12) Independence Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(4)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(13) Lone Pine Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(5)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(14) Tinemaha Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(6)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(15) West Tinemaha Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(7)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(16) Tinemaha Mountain Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(8)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(17) Whitney Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(9)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(18) Grizzly Island Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(10)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(19) Fort Hunter Liggett General Public Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(11)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(20) East Park Reservoir Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(12)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(21) San Luis Reservoir Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(13)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(22) Bear Valley Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(14)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(23) Lake Pillsbury Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(15)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(24) Santa Clara Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(16)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(25) Alameda Tule Elk SHARE Hunt:

(A) Area: Within the boundaries identified in Section 364(d)(17)(A). Individual property boundaries will be identified in the SHARE application package.

(b) Season: The overall season shall open on the August 15 through January 31. Individual SHARE properties will be assigned seasons corresponding with management goals.

(c) Number of SHARE Elk License Tags

<i>2015 SHARE Elk Tag Allocation</i>					
	<i>Hunt Name</i>	<i>Bull</i>	<i>Antlerless</i>	<i>Either-sex</i>	<i>Spike</i>
(1)	<u>Siskiyou</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>		
(2)	<u>Big Lagoon</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(3)	<u>Northwestern California</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	
(4)	<u>Klamath</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(5)	<u>Del Norte</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(6)	<u>Marble Mountains</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>		
(7)	<u>Northeastern California</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(8)	<u>Mendocino</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>		
(9)	<u>Cache Creek</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>		
(10)	<u>La Panza</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>11</u>		
(11)	<u>Bishop</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(12)	<u>Independence</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(13)	<u>Lone Pine</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(14)	<u>Tinemaha</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(15)	<u>West Tinemaha</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(16)	<u>Tinemaha Mountain</u>	<u>0</u>			
(17)	<u>Whitney</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		
(18)	<u>Grizzly Island</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
(19)	<u>Fort Hunter Liggett</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	
(20)	<u>East Park Reservoir</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>		
(21)	<u>San Luis Reservoir</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5</u>	
(22)	<u>Bear Valley</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>		
(23)	<u>Lake Pillsbury</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>		

(24)	Santa Clara	0			
(25)	Alameda	0			

(d) Bag and Possession Limit: Each elk tag is valid only for one elk per season and only in the SHARE hunt area drawn, and persons shall only be eligible for one elk tag per season.

(e) Definitions:

(1) Bull elk: Any elk having an antler or antlers at least four inches in length as measured from the top of the skull.

(2) Spike bull: A bull elk having no more than one point on each antler. An antler point is a projection of the antler at least one inch long and longer than the width of its base.

(3) Antlerless elk: Any elk, with the exception of spotted calves, with antlers less than four inches in length as measured from the top of the skull.

(4) Either-sex elk: For the purposes of these regulations, either-sex is defined as bull elk or antlerless elk.

(f) Method of Take: Only methods for taking elk as defined in Sections 353 and 354 may be used.

(g) Tagholder Responsibilities:

(1) No tagholder shall take or possess any elk or parts thereof governed by the regulations except as provided herein.

(2) The department reserves the right to use any part of the tagholder's elk for biological analysis as long as the amount of edible meat is not appreciably decreased.

(3) Any person taking an elk that has a collar or other marking device attached to it shall provide the department with such marking device within 10 days of taking the elk.

(h) The use of dogs to take or attempt to take elk is prohibited.

(i) Applicants shall apply for a SHARE Access Permit, and pay a nonrefundable application fee as specified in Section 602, through the department's Automated License Data System terminals at any department license agent, department license sales office, or online.

(j) Upon receipt of winner notification, successful applicants shall submit the appropriate tag fee as specified in Section 702 through any department license sales office or online through the department's Automated License Data System.

Note: Authority Cited: Sections 332 and 1050, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 332, 1050, ~~1570, 1571, 1572, 1573,~~ and 1574, Fish and Game Code.

*per agency request  
RS/ML*

**Subsection (c) of Section 702 is amended to read:**

**§ 702. Hunting Applications, Tags, Seals, Permits, Reservations and Fees.**

*[No changes to subsections 702(a) through (b)]*

**(c) Hunting Tags**

(1)	Tag/Application	Processing Fees	Fees
(A)	2011/2012 California Resident First-Deer Tag	\$ 23.00	\$4.00

(B)	2011/2012 California Nonresident First-Deer Tag Application	\$ 233.00	\$4.00
(C)	2011/2012 California Resident Second-Deer Tag	\$ 29.50	\$4.00
(D)	2011/2012 California Nonresident Second-Deer Tag	\$ 233.00	\$4.00
(E)	2011/2012 California Resident Bear Tag	\$ 35.25	\$4.00
(F)	2011/2012 Nonresident Bear Tag	\$ 245.75	\$4.00
(G)	2011 California Antelope Tag Drawing (Per Hunter)		\$7.50
(H)	2011 California Elk Tag Drawing		\$7.50
(I)	2011 California Nelson Bighorn Sheep Tag Drawing (Per Hunter)		\$7.50
(J)	2011 Resident Antelope Tag	\$ 128.25	
(K)	2011 Nonresident Antelope Tag	\$ 397.25	
(L)	2011 Resident Elk Tag	\$ 385.50	
(M)	2011 Nonresident Elk Tag	\$1,192.25	
(N)	2011 Resident Bighorn Sheep Tag	\$ 363.50	
(O)	2011 Nonresident Bighorn Sheep Tag	\$ 500.00	
(P)	2011 Bobcat Tags (Five)	\$ 14.25	
(Q)	2011 Deer Tag - Exchange	\$ 9.00	
(R)	2011 Nonrefundable Processing Fee - Elk, Antelope, or Big Horn Sheep Tag Return	\$ 25.50	
(S)	2011 Fund-Raising Tags Random Drawing Entry Form		\$5.00
(T)	2011 Disabled Archer Permit Application Form (FG 537 (Rev. 01/11), incorporated by reference herein)		No Fee
(U)	2011 Disabled Muzzleloader Scope Permit Application Form (FG 539 (Rev. 01/11) incorporated by reference herein)		No Fee
(V)	2011 Duplicate Big Game Tag Affidavit (FG 301 (New 01/11) incorporated by reference herein)		\$9.00
(W)	<u>Deer Harvest Non-reporting Fee (refer to Section 708.5)</u>		<u>\$20.00</u>

(d) Pursuant to the provisions of Section 699, Title 14, the department shall annually adjust the fees of all licenses, stamps, permits, tags, or other entitlement required by regulations set forth in this section.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 215, 220, 331, 332, ~~713~~, and 1050, 4055, ~~1055.1, 1572, 4331, 4336 and 10502~~, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 203, 203.1, 207, 215, 219, 220, 331, 332, 713, 1050, 1055, 1055.1, 1570, 1571, 1572, 1573, 3950, 3951, 4302, 4330, 4331, 4332, 4333, 4336, 4340, 4341, 4652, 4653, 4654, 4655, 4657, 4750, 4751, 4752, 4753, 4754, 4755, 4902, 10500 and 10502, Fish and Game Code.

**Section 708.5 is amended to read:**

**§ 708.5. Deer Tagging and Reporting Requirements.**

(a) Upon the killing of any deer the tag holder shall immediately fill out all portions of the tag including the report card completely, legibly, and permanently, and cut out or punch out and completely remove notches or punch holes for the month and date of the kill. The deer license tag shall be attached to the antlers of an antlered deer or to the ear of any other deer and kept attached during the open season and for 15 days thereafter. Except as otherwise provided, possession of any untagged deer shall be a violation. (Refer to Fish and Game Code, Section 4336).

(b) Every person to whom a deer license tag is issued shall ~~return the completed report card portion to the department within thirty days of taking a deer~~ report to the Department their deer harvest.

(1) Successful deer tag holders are required to report deer harvested within 30 days of the date of harvest or by January 31, whichever date is first.

(2) Unsuccessful deer tag holders, whether they hunted or not, are required to report no harvest by January 31 annually.

(c) Harvest Report Card Return and Reporting Mechanisms.

(1) By mail or in person at the address specified on the harvest report card. A harvest report card returned by mail shall be postmarked by the date applicable to that card as specified in this section.

(2) Online through the department's internet license sales service website by the date specified in the section. Tag holders reporting online will be provided a confirmation number upon successful submission. The tag holder must record the provided confirmation number in the space provided on the harvest report card and retain the harvest report card until March 1 annually. Tags reported online must be surrendered to the department upon demand.

(d) Beginning July 1, 2016, deer tag holders, whether successful or unsuccessful, who fail to report by the date specified in this section shall be subject to a Deer Harvest Non-reporting Fee. The fee specified in Section 702 shall be charged prior to the issuance of a deer tag or deer tag drawing application in the following year.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 215, 219, 220, 1050, 1572, 4336, 4340 and 10502, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 201, 202, 203, 203.1, 207, 210, 215, 219, 220, 1050, 1570, 1571, 1572, 3950, 4336, 10500 and 10502, Fish and Game Code.

**Section 708.11 is amended to read:**

**§ 708.11. Elk License Tags, Application, Distribution and Reporting Procedures.**

*[No changes to subsections (a) and (b)]*

(c) Tagholder Responsibilities:

(1) All tag holders shall return their license tags to the department within one week after the close of the elk season, even though the tagholder may not have killed an elk.

(2) Upon the killing of any elk, the tag holder shall immediately fill out all portions of the tag including the report card completely, legibly, and permanently, and cut out or punch out and completely remove notches or punch holes for the month and date of the kill.

(A) License tags shall be attached to the antler of an antlered elk, or to the ear of antlerless elk immediately after killing. The license tag shall be kept attached to the antler of an antlered elk and retained for 15 days after the close of the season.

(B) License tags shall be attached to the ear, leg, or largest portion of meat of antlerless elk immediately after killing. If the head is removed and not retained, evidence of sex in the form of udder or vulva must remain naturally attached. Boned out or quartered animals shall have evidence of sex naturally attached to a portion of the meat. The license tag shall be kept attached to the ear, leg, or largest portion of meat of an antlerless elk until processed and then shall be retained for 15 days after the close of the season.

(3) Persons authorized to validate or countersign elk tags are listed in subsection 708.6(c). Elk tags shall be countersigned before transporting such elk, except for the purpose of taking it to the nearest person authorized to countersign the license tag on the route being followed from the point where the elk is taken.

(4) Only persons possessing valid elk license tags are entitled to take elk. Tags are not transferable and are valid only for the area and period specified.

(5) The tagholder shall surrender his tag to an employee of the department for any or all of the following reasons:

(A) Any act on the part of the tagholder which violates any of the provisions of the Fish and Game Code, or any regulations of the commission made pursuant thereto.

(B) Any act on the part of the tagholder which endangers the person or property of others. The decision of the department shall be final.

~~(d) Elk may be taken on Santa Rosa Island pursuant to a permit issued by the department. For methods of take, see sections 353 and 354.~~

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 215, 219, 220, 332, 1050, 1572 and 10502, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 203, 203.1, 207, 210, 215, 219, 220, 332, 713, 1050, 1570, 1571, 1572, 3950, 3951, 10500 and 10502, Fish and Game Code.

**Section 713 is amended to read:**

**§ 713. Carcass Condemnation for Diseased, Injured, or Chemically Immobilized Big-Game Species.**

*[No changes to subsections (a) and (b)]*

(c) After condemnation and surrender or verification of the appropriate disposal of the

carcass as instructed by the ~~Department~~ a department employee, the ~~Department~~ department employee shall provide written authorization to the individual tag holder who took the animal to, at their discretion, choose one of the following options:

(1) Purchase and use a duplicate tag subject to the fees established in Section 702 for the remainder of the current season under which the animal was taken; or

(2) ~~Upon payment of duplicate tag fee, receive the same tag for the next approved hunting season;~~

(3) ~~Participate in the next big-game drawing for that species with one additional preference point added to the number of preference points the hunter tag holder had when they obtained the original tag, or;~~

(4) ~~Receive a refund for the tag and have their preference point total for that species restored to the amount they had when the tag was awarded.~~

Note: Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 203, 220, 4304, 4336, 4657 and 4753, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 203, 203.1 and 207, Fish and Game Code.