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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3234

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 3234 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Wildlife Code is amended by changing  
5 Section 3.1-9 as follows:

6 "(520 ILCS 5/3.1-9)

7 Sec. 3.1-9. Youth Hunting License. Any resident youth age  
8 18 ~~16~~ and under may apply to the Department for a Youth Hunting  
9 License, which extends limited hunting privileges. The Youth  
10 Hunting License shall be a renewable license that shall expire  
11 on the March 31 following the date of issuance.

12 For youth age 18 ~~16~~ and under, the Youth Hunting License  
13 shall entitle the licensee to hunt while supervised by a  
14 parent, grandparent, or guardian who is 21 years of age or  
15 older and has a valid Illinois hunting license. Possession of a  
16 Youth Hunting License shall serve in lieu of a valid hunting

1 license, but does not exempt the licensee from compliance with  
2 the requirements of this Code and any rules adopted under this  
3 Code.

4 A youth licensed under this Section shall not hunt or carry  
5 a hunting device, including, but not limited to, a firearm, bow  
6 and arrow, or crossbow unless the youth is accompanied by and  
7 under the close personal supervision of a parent, grandparent,  
8 or guardian who is 21 years of age or older and has a valid  
9 Illinois hunting license.

10 At age 18 ~~17~~ years or when the youth chooses to hunt by  
11 himself or herself, ~~he or she is themselves, they are~~ required  
12 to successfully complete a hunter safety course approved by the  
13 Department prior to being able to obtain a full hunting license  
14 and subsequently hunt by himself or herself ~~themselves~~.

15 In order to be approved for the Youth Hunting License, the  
16 applicant must request a Youth Hunting License from the  
17 Department and submit a \$7 fee, which shall be separate from  
18 and additional to any other stamp, permit, tag, or license fee  
19 that may be required for hunting under this Code. The  
20 Department shall adopt rules for the administration of the  
21 program, but shall not require any certificate of competency or  
22 other hunting education as a condition of the Youth Hunting  
23 License.

24 (Source: P.A. 98-620, eff. 1-7-14; revised 12-10-14.)".