

## CHAPTER 255

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**NATURAL RESOURCES**

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**SENATE BILL 06-215**

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Merrifield, Rose, Stafford, Stengel, Sullivan, Todd, and Witwer.

**AN ACT****CONCERNING A MILITARY PREFERENCE FOR LIMITED HUNTING LICENSES.**

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

**SECTION 1.** 33-4-104, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

**33-4-104. Free licenses issued - when - military preference - rules.** (4) THE COMMISSION MAY ADOPT APPROPRIATE RULES TO ESTABLISH A PREFERENCE FOR ACTIVE DUTY MEMBERS OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES STATIONED AT ANY MILITARY FACILITY LOCATED IN COLORADO UPON THEIR RETURN FROM SERVICE OUTSIDE OF THE UNITED STATES FOR LICENSES LEFT OVER AFTER COMPLETION OF THE DIVISION'S ANNUAL LIMITED LICENSE DRAW. THE PREFERENCE MAY ALLOW FOR SUCH A MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES TO APPLY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR ANY LIMITED LICENSE DRAW THAT OCCURRED DURING THE MEMBER'S ABSENCE.

**SECTION 2. Effective date - applicability.** This act shall take effect upon passage and shall apply to licenses issued on or after said date.

**SECTION 3. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: May 25, 2006

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*Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.*