

*Note: This proposal is also scheduled for the January 26-29, 2024 Western Arctic / Western Region meeting in Kotzebue, Alaska as Proposal 35 during which Unit 26A will be considered. The board may defer final action on Unit 26A to the Interior and Eastern Arctic Region meeting.*

**PROPOSAL 157**

**5 AAC 85.050. Hunting seasons and bag limits for muskoxen.**

Change the Unit 26A and Unit 26B muskox hunt area boundaries to match federal hunt boundaries, and expand the state hunt areas as follows:

Unit 26A, that portion west of the eastern shore of Admiralty Bay where the Alaktak River drains, following the Alaktak River to 155°00' W longitude south to the Units 26A border- 1 muskox by Tier II permit Aug. 1-Mar. 15. Unit 26A East and 26B West, that portion from West of the Dalton Highway to the eastern shore of Admiralty Bay where the Alaktak River enters, following the Alaktak River to 155°00' W longitude south to the Unit 26A border—1 muskox by Tier II permit Aug. 1-Mar. 15.

**What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?** Modify the boundary of the western Unit 26A and eastern Unit 26A-26B muskox hunts so the boundaries match the federal hunt boundaries and so the state hunt boundaries abut.

**PROPOSED BY:** North Slope Fish and Game Advisory Committee

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