

PROPOSAL 150

5 AAC 92.052. Discretionary permit hunt conditions and procedures.

Increase the number of times a hunter may apply for drawing permit hunts for each species as follows:

Change the maximum number of times a hunter can apply for a draw permit for each species from 6 to 10.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Hunters can currently apply for draw permits up to six times for each species of big game. You can put all six of your opportunities in for one hunt or 6 different hunts. When this regulation was first passed in 2016 the Board of Game just doubled the number of permits applications from three to six. It has given hunters a better chance at drawing the permit they want the most by being able to put in for it all six times. It is Alaska's version of a preference point system. I propose that we increase this from six per species to 10 per species. This would give a hunter, if they choose to put in all 10 times, an even a better chance of drawing the permit they want.

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