

**PROPOSAL 5**

**5 AAC 85.020. Hunting seasons and bag limits for brown bear.**

Increase the brown bear bag limit in Unit 1 Remainder, to one bear every regulatory year instead of one bear every four regulatory years as follows:

**What solution do you recommend? In other words, if the board adopted your solution, what would the new regulation say?**

Remainder of Unit 1: Sept. 15 - Dec. 31 (General hunt only) Mar. 15 - May 31 (General hunt only) 1 bear EVERY REGULATORY YEAR by registration permit only.

**What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?**

Several southeast brown bear areas are overly restricted from hunting opportunity by the one bear every four regulatory years bag limit. Parts of Unit 1 are already set at one bear every regulatory year, the remainder of Unit 1 should follow suit to open up more hunting opportunities for residents and nonresidents alike.

**Did you develop your proposal in coordination with others, or with your local fish and game advisory committee?**

No.

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