By: Kolkhorst S.B. No. 810

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

the Parks and Wildlife Department.

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 61, Parks and Wildlife

6 Code, is amended by adding Section 61.061 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 61.061. AFFIDAVIT REQUIRED. A proclamation of the

8 commission under this chapter must require that an applicant for

9 the issuance, reissuance, or renewal of a license, permit, or other

10 <u>authorization</u> to possess wildlife resources submit with the

11 application an affidavit made before an officer qualified to

12 <u>administer oaths affirming that the person has read and understands</u>

13 each provision of this code and rule adopted under this code

14 relating to the administration of drugs to the wildlife resource to

15 which the license, permit, or other authorization applies.

16 SECTION 2. This Act applies only to an application for the

17 issuance, reissuance, or renewal of a license, permit, or other

18 authorization submitted on or after the effective date of this Act.

19 An application for the issuance, reissuance, or renewal of a

20 license, permit, or other authorization submitted before the

21 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect on the

22 date the application was submitted, and the former law is continued

23 in effect for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

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