

1-1 By: Averitt S.B. No. 1158
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 11, 2003; March 17, 2003, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources;
1-4 April 22, 2003, reported adversely, with favorable Committee
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1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 1158 By: Estes

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to certain fees collected by the Parks and Wildlife
1-11 Department.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Section 11.032, Parks and Wildlife Code, is
1-14 amended by amending Subsection (b) and adding Subsection (c) to
1-15 read as follows:

1-16 (b) The department shall deposit to the credit of the game,
1-17 fish, and water safety account all revenue, less allowable costs,
1-18 from the following sources:

1-19 (1) all types of fishing licenses and stamps and
1-20 shrimping licenses, except as provided by Section 77.120;

1-21 (2) all types of hunting licenses and stamps;

1-22 (3) trapping licenses and other licenses relating to
1-23 the taking, propagation, and sale of fur-bearing animals or their
1-24 pelts;

1-25 (4) sale of marl, sand, gravel, shell, and mudshell;

1-26 (5) oyster bed rentals and permits;

1-27 (6) federal funds received for fish and wildlife
1-28 research, management, development and conservation, resource
1-29 protection, and law enforcement, unless the funds are received for
1-30 the specific purposes of Subchapter F, Chapter 77;

1-31 (7) sale of property, less advertising costs,
1-32 purchased from this account or a special fund or account that is now
1-33 part of this account;

1-34 (8) fines and penalties collected for violations of a
1-35 law pertaining to the protection and conservation of wild birds,
1-36 wild fowl, wild animals, fish, shrimp, oysters, game birds and
1-37 animals, fur-bearing animals, alligators, and any other wildlife
1-38 resources of this state;

1-39 (9) sale of rough fish by the department;

1-40 (10) fees for importation permits;

1-41 (11) fees from supplying fish for or placing fish in
1-42 water located on private property;

1-43 (12) sale of seized pelts;

1-44 (13) sale or lease of grazing rights to and the
1-45 products from game preserves, sanctuaries, and management areas;

1-46 (14) contracts for the removal of fur-bearing animals
1-47 and reptiles from wildlife management areas;

1-48 (15) vessel [~~motorboat~~] registration fees;

1-49 (16) vessel [~~motorboat~~] manufacturer or dealer
1-50 licensing fees [~~registration fee~~];

1-51 (17) fines or penalties imposed by a court for
1-52 violation of water safety laws contained in Chapter 31 of this code;

1-53 (18) alligator hunter's or alligator buyer's licenses;

1-54 (19) sale of alligators or any part of an alligator by
1-55 the department;

1-56 (20) fees and revenue collected under Section
1-57 11.027(b) or (c) of this code that are associated with the
1-58 conservation of fish and wildlife; [~~and~~]

1-59 (21) any other source provided by law; and

1-60 (22) vessel and outboard motor titling fees.

1-61 (c) Not later than the 10th day of each month the department
1-62 shall transfer 15 percent of all amounts collected during the
1-63 previous month from sources described by Subsection (b)(15), (16),

2-1 or (22) to the state parks account.

2-2 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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