

1-1 By: Crabb, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Van de Putte) H.B. No. 1076  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 7, 2005;  
1-3 April 11, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on  
1-4 Veteran Affairs and Military Installations; May 2, 2005, reported  
1-5 favorably by the following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 0; May 2, 2005, sent  
1-6 to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to waiving hunting and fishing license fees for certain  
1-10 military personnel.

1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-12 SECTION 1. Section 42.012(b), Parks and Wildlife Code, is  
1-13 amended to read as follows:

1-14 (b) The commission may set a lower fee or waive the fee or  
1-15 license requirement for a resident who is under 17 years old, 65  
1-16 years old or older, or participating in an event that is sponsored  
1-17 or co-sponsored by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department with the  
1-18 approval of the executive director. The commission shall waive the  
1-19 fee for a qualified disabled veteran and for a resident on active  
1-20 duty as a member of the United States military forces.

1-21 SECTION 2. Section 46.004(c), Parks and Wildlife Code, is  
1-22 amended to read as follows:

1-23 (c) The commission shall waive the fee for a qualified  
1-24 disabled veteran as defined by Section 42.012 and for a resident on  
1-25 active duty as a member of the United States military forces.

1-26 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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