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H.B. No. 3309

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to a violation of the suspension, refusal, or revocation  
3 of a hunting license.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 12.505, Parks and Wildlife Code, is  
6 amended to read as follows:

7 Sec. 12.505. VIOLATION OF SUSPENSION, REFUSAL, OR  
8 REVOCATION. (a) A person may not engage ~~[who engages]~~ in an  
9 activity requiring a permit or license during the time for which  
10 such license or permit has been suspended, refused, or revoked.

11 (b) Notwithstanding any other law, a person may not:

12 (1) hunt any animal, including a bird, during a time in  
13 which:

14 (A) the person's hunting license is suspended or  
15 revoked; or

16 (B) the department, under a court order, is  
17 prohibited from issuing the person a license under Chapter 42 or 50;  
18 or

19 (2) fish in the public waters of this state during a  
20 time in which:

21 (A) the person's fishing license is suspended or  
22 revoked; or

23 (B) the department, under a court order, is  
24 prohibited from issuing the person a license under Chapter 46 or 50.

1            (c) An [~~commits an~~] offense under this section [~~that~~] is a  
2    Class A Parks and Wildlife Code misdemeanor.

3            SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.