

PROPOSAL 52

5 AAC 85.025(a)(8). Hunting seasons and bag limits for caribou.

Repeal the “pre-2018” caribou hunting regulations for Unit 13 as follows:

Repeal the following language from 5 AAC 85.025(a)(8):

[(A) BEFORE JULY 1, 2018, THE HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR CARIBOU IN UNIT 13 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

UNIT 13

1 CARIBOU PER HARVEST REPORT PER REGULATORY YEAR BY COMMUNITY HARVEST PERMIT ONLY; UP TO 300 CARIBOU MAY BE TAKEN AUG.10-SEPT.20 (SUBSISTENCE HUNT ONLY) OCT.21-MARCH 31 (SUBSISTENCE HUNT ONLY); OR

1 CARIBOU EVERY REGULATORY YEAR BY TIER 1 SUBSISTENCE PERMIT ONLY AUG.10-SEPT.20 (SUBSISTENCE HUNT ONLY) OCT.21-MARCH 31 (SUBSISTENCE HUNT ONLY); OR

1 CARIBOU EVERY REGULATORY YEAR BY DRAWING PERMIT; UP TO 5,000 PERMITS MAY BE ISSUED AUG.10-SEPT.20 OCT.21-MARCH 31.

UNITS 14(A) AND 14(B)

RESIDENTS

1 CARIBOU BY DRAWING PERMIT ONLY; AUG.10-SEPT.20 (WINTER SEASON TO BE ANNOUNCED)(GENERAL HUNT ONLY)

NONRESIDENTS

1 CARIBOU BY DRAWING PERMIT ONLY; AUG.10-SEPT.20 (WINTER SEASON TO BE ANNOUNCED).

(B) ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2018, THE HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR CARIBOU IN UNIT 13 ARE AS FOLLOWS:]

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Repeal pre-2018 regulations and return Unit 13 caribou hunting regulations to conventional style. It is our understanding that this approach to pre-July 1, 2018 regulations and post-July 1, 2018 regulations resulted from the fact that drawing permits had already been issued. The need for the pre-July 1, 2018 regulations has passed. (Housekeeping proposal.)

PROPOSED BY: Ahtna Intertribal Resource Commission (HQ-F20-026)
