HUNTING-TRAPPING

Emergency Order

ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

Under Authority of AS 16.05.060

Emergency Order No. R1-5-23 Issued at Douglas, Alaska

August 3, 2023

Effective Date: August 4, 2023 Expiration Date: 30 June 2024 (unless

superseded by a subsequent emergency

order)

EXPLANATION:

This emergency order closes the state of Alaska resident and nonresident mountain goat hunting season for that portion of Unit 1C on the Sumdum Peninsula west of Spruce Creek at the head of Windham Bay and over the saddle at the top of the drainage to Endicott Arm. This order takes effect at 11:59 pm, Friday, August 4, 2023.

REGULATORY TEXT:

Therefore, the provisions of 5 AAC 85.040, HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR GOAT, are superseded by this emergency order, and the following provisions are effective for hunting mountain goats in Unit 1(C):

Resident Open Season

(Subsistence and Nonresident General Hunts) Open Season

Units and Bag Limits

(1)

Unit 1(C), that portion of the Sumdum Peninsula west of Spruce Creek at the head of Windham Bay and over the saddle to Endicott Arm.

1 Aug. – 4 Aug. (General hunt only)

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Roy Churchwell

1 goat by registration permit only, the taking of nannies with kids is prohibited

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The remainder of Unit 1(C) mountain goat seasons, other than those previously closed by emergency order, are not affected by this emergency order.

Douglas Vincent-Lang

Commissioner

By delegation to: Roy Churchwell Area Management

JUSTIFICATION:

This portion of the Unit 1C Endicott Arm hunt has a small number of goats that can support the harvest of 1 goat point or 1 animal. As of August 3, 2023 a goat was harvested in this area. Thus, the area is being closed by Emergency Order effective at 11:59 pm, Friday, August 4, 2023.