PROPOSAL 79

5 AAC 92.003. Hunter education and orientation requirements.

Require hunter education for all hunters participating in Unit 15C drawing hunts as follows:

All hunters participating in a draw hunt in subunit 15C are required to take a hunter certification course prior to participating in the hunt.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Under current regulations, hunters born before January 1, 1986 are not required to take hunters education in order to participate in hunting activities in Alaska. Hunters education is a basic safety course that helps ensure all hunters are acting in a safe and legal manner. In Unit 15C increased human activity on the landscape is making it more important than ever for hunters to be acting in a safe manner. We would like to require all hunters take hunters education prior to participating in any draw hunts in this subunit.

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