TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Control No. 220 Department or Agency Conservation and Natural Resources
Rule No. 220-2-.110 Establishment of Physically Disabled Hunting Areas

Rule Title: Establishment of Physically Disabled Hunting Areas

New x Amend Repeal (of Existing Rule) Adopt by Reference	
Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare, or safety?	YES
Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police power and the protection of the public health, safety, or welfare?	<u>YES</u>
Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available that could adequately protect the public?	<u>NO</u>
Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so, to what degree?	
	<u>NO</u>
Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than the harm that might result from the absence of the rule?	N/A
Are all facets of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of, and so they have, as their primary effect, the protection of the public?	YES
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Does the proposed rule have any economic impact? If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of Section 41-22-23, Code of Alabama 197 ***********************************	75
Certification of Authorized Official I certify that the attached proposed rule has been proposed in full compliance with the requirement Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama 1975 and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirement the Alabama Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Reference Service. Signature of Certifying Officer Date Date Date	nte of

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME:

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

RULE NO. & TITLE: (1) 220-2-.151 Archery Range Regulation; (2) 220-2-.126 Public Shooting Range Regulation; (3) 220-2-.22 Wildlife Management Areas and Sanctuaries Established; (4) 220-2-.35 Daily Creel Limits, Possession Limits, and Size Limits; (5) 220-2-.110 Establishment of Physically Disabled Hunting Areas; (6) 220-2-.11 Prohibited Methods and Devices for Hunting.

INTENDED ACTION: (1)-(2), (4)-(6): Amendments. (3): New and repeal.

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: (1)220-2-.151-To further regulate conduct at certain archery ranges and parks; to add names of additional archery parks; to further provide for the use of bows and arrows; and to provide for additional posted restrictions; (2)220-2-.126-To further regulate conduct at certain public shooting ranges; and to provide for additional posted restrictions; (3)220-2-.22-To further provide for the names, boundary lines, and maps of certain wildlife management areas, refuges, and a sanctuary; to also list certain Federal refuges in Alabama; and to repeal existing rule; (4)220-2-.35- To further provide for the creel, possession and size limits for certain fish; and to restrict the taking of, and to require the release of certain, species on certain areas; (5)220-2-.110-To further provide for and establish certain physically disabled hunting areas; to revise maps; to rename a certain area; and to add an additional area and map; (6)220-2-.11-To further provide for prohibited methods and devices for hunting; and to provide for a certain exception for certain range finders on bows.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Interested persons may present their views in writing to the Director of the Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries at any time during the period stated below, or orally if requested in advance by personally appearing at Room 469, Folsom Administrative Building, 64 North Union Street, Montgomery, Alabama, at 10:00 a.m., Thursday, October 6, 2011.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:

Thursday, October 6, 2011.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: M. N/ "Corky" Pugh/ Director, Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries, 5th Floor, 64 N. Union Street Montgomery, Alabama 36130.

DAVID J. DEAN.

Secretary of Administrative Procedure

N. Gunter Guy, Jr.

220-2-.110 Establishment of Physically Disabled Hunting Areas

- (1) The following areas are hereby designated and established as "Physically Disabled Hunting Areas":
- (a) "Marengo Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (b) "M. Barnett Lawley Field Trial Area State Cattle Ranch," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (c) "R. L. Harris Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (d) "Fayette Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (e) "Turnipseed-Ikenberry Place Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached <u>revised</u> map.
- (f) "Department of Youth Services Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached <u>revised</u> map.
- (g) "Macon State Forest Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised map.
- (h) "Little River State Forest Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached <u>revised</u> map.
- (i) "Prairie Creek Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (j) "Forever Wild Land Trust Alabama Power Co. Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached <u>revised</u> map.
- (k) "USA Foundation Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached <u>revised</u> map.
- (l) "Pine Hills Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (m) "Chattahoochee Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.

- (n) "Big Oak Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (o) "Dozier Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached <u>revised</u> revised map.
- (p) "Cherokee Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised revised map.
- (q) "Shiloh Hill Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached revised map.
- (r) "Coffee County (Victoria) Physically Disabled Hunting Area," as indicated on the attached map.

Statutory Authority:

§§ 9-2-7, 9-2-8, and 9-2-12

Code of Alabama 1975

PENALTY: As provided by law.

11/9/94(ER); 2/17/95; 9/26/95(ER); 1/17/96; 11/15/2000(ER); 5/18/2001; 9/20/2001(ER); 1/17/2002(ER); 2/27/2002; 10/25/2004(ER); 10/3/2005(ER); 7/12/2006; 10/18/2007; 10/21/2009;