
TITLE 312 NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

Emergency Rule
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DIGEST

Temporarily amends [312 IAC 9-3-3](#) to add rifle and handgun calibers that are legal for taking deer as authorized by [IC 14-22-2-6](#). Effective September 15, 2016.

SECTION 1. (a) This SECTION is supplemental to [312 IAC 9-3-3\(d\)\(2\)](#).

(b) An individual may take a deer with a handgun that fires the 10 mm Automatic or 40 Smith and Wesson cartridge.

(c) A handgun authorized under this SECTION must:

- (1) conform to the requirements of [IC 35-47-1-6](#);**
- (2) have a barrel length of at least four (4) inches long; and**
- (3) not be a rifle with a barrel less than eighteen (18) inches long.**

(d) While hunting deer an individual is prohibited from firing full metal jacketed bullets with a handgun authorized under this SECTION.

SECTION 2. (a) This SECTION is supplemental to [312 IAC 9-3-3\(d\)\(4\)](#).

(b) An individual may take a deer with a rifle authorized under the authority of this SECTION that has a cartridge that fires a bullet having a diameter of:

- (1) .243 inch or 6 millimeter; or**
- (2) .308 inch or 7.62 millimeter.**

(c) A rifle authorized under this SECTION must:

- (1) have a barrel length of at least sixteen (16) inches;**
- (2) be used to take deer only on private land; and**
- (3) fire a cartridge having a minimum case length of one and sixteen-hundredths (1.16) inches.**

(d) While hunting deer an individual is prohibited from:

- (1) firing full metal jacketed bullets with a rifle authorized under this SECTION; or**
- (2) possessing more than ten (10) cartridges for each rifle possessed under the authority of this SECTION.**

SECTION 3. This document is effective on September 15, 2016.

SECTION 4. This document expires on January 31, 2017.

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