

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2026
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB1226

Hearing Date: Wednesday February 18, 2026
Committee On: Natural Resources
Introducer: Andersen
One Liner: Provide for issuance of a combination hunting and fishing permit and certain stamps to certain veterans

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Brandt, Clouse, Conrad, DeKay, Hughes, Juarez, Moser, Raybould
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents:

Caty Kuehn, Legislative Aide for Senator Andersen
Timothy McCoy
Matt Buresh

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Representing:

Opening Presenter
Nebraska Game and Parks Commission
Nebraska Sportsmen's Foundation, Nebraska
Bowhunters Association
Nebraska Game and Parks Commission

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB1226, introduced by Senator Anderson, amends section 37-420 of the Game Law to enable a legal Nebraska resident who was honorably discharged or separated from military service with a ten percent or greater service-related disability rating by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, to purchase specific combination permits at a significantly reduced rate. The bill provides for issuance of a combination fishing and hunting permit, habitat stamp, aquatic habitat stamp, and Nebraska migratory waterfowl stamp at \$90 for a special three-year permit, or \$135 for a special five-year permit.



Tom Brandt, Chairperson



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