

MCA pertaining to Auctions & Lotteries

87-2-722. Auction of mountain sheep license. (1) The commission may issue one male mountain sheep license each year through a competitive auction. The commission shall promulgate rules for the use of the license and conduct of the auction. A wildlife conservation organization involved in the conservation of mountain sheep may be authorized by the commission to conduct the license auction, in which case the authorized organization may retain proceeds of the sale, not to exceed 10%, to cover reasonable auction expenses.

(2) All proceeds remaining from the auction, whether conducted by the commission or as otherwise authorized by the commission, must be used by the department for the substantial benefit of mountain sheep. The proceeds from the auction must be used in addition to any other funds the department uses for the management of mountain sheep. The department shall report the use or investment of auction proceeds to the office of budget and program planning as a part of the information required by **17-7-111**.

History: En. Sec. 1, Ch. 414, L. 1985; amd. Sec. 50, Ch. 349, L. 1993.

87-2-724. Auction of Shiras moose license. (1) The commission may issue one male Shiras moose license each year through a competitive auction. The commission shall promulgate rules for the use of the license and conduct of the auction. A wildlife conservation organization involved in the conservation of moose may be authorized by the commission to conduct the license auction, in which case the authorized organization may retain up to 10% of the proceeds of the sale to cover reasonable auction expenses.

(2) All proceeds remaining from the auction, whether conducted by the commission or as otherwise authorized by the commission, must be used by the department for the substantial benefit of moose. The proceeds from the auction must be used in addition to any other funds the department uses for the management of moose.

History: En. Sec. 1, Ch. 174, L. 1987; amd. Sec. 60, Ch. 112, L. 1991; amd. Sec. 51, Ch. 349, L. 1993.

87-2-725. Auction or lottery of mountain goat license -- rules. (1) The commission may issue one mountain goat license each year through a competitive auction or lottery. The commission shall promulgate rules for the use of the license and conduct of the auction or lottery. A wildlife conservation organization involved in the conservation of mountain goats may be authorized to conduct the license auction or lottery, in which case the authorized organization may retain up to 10% of the proceeds of the sale to cover reasonable auction or lottery expenses.

(2) All proceeds remaining from the auction or lottery, whether conducted by the commission or as otherwise authorized by the commission, must be used by the department for the substantial benefit of mountain goats. The proceeds from the auction or lottery must be used in addition to any other funds that the department uses for the management of mountain goats.

History: En. Sec. 1, Ch. 40, L. 2005.

87-2-811. Auction or lottery of mule deer license. (1) The commission may issue one male mule deer license each year through a competitive auction or lottery. The commission shall promulgate rules for the use of the license and conduct of the auction or lottery. A wildlife conservation organization that focuses on the conservation of mule deer may be authorized to conduct the license auction or lottery, in which case the authorized organization may retain up to 10% of the proceeds of the sale to cover reasonable auction or lottery expenses.

(2) All proceeds remaining from the auction or lottery, whether conducted by the commission or as otherwise authorized by the commission, must be used by the department for the substantial benefit of mule deer. The proceeds from the auction or lottery must be used in addition to any other funds that the department uses for the management of mule deer.

History: En. Sec. 1, Ch. 319, L. 2003.

87-2-812. Auction or lottery of elk license. (1) The commission may issue one male elk license each year through a competitive auction or lottery. The commission shall promulgate rules for the use of the license and conduct of the auction or lottery. A wildlife conservation organization that focuses on the conservation of elk may be authorized to conduct the license auction or lottery, in which case the authorized organization may retain up to 10% of the proceeds of the sale to cover reasonable auction or lottery expenses.

(2) All proceeds remaining from the auction or lottery, whether conducted by the commission or as otherwise authorized by the commission, must be used by the department for the substantial benefit of elk. The proceeds from the auction or lottery must be used in addition to any other funds that the department uses for the management of elk.

History: En. Sec. 2, Ch. 319, L. 2003.

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12.3.801 PROPOSALS FOR LICENSES SOLD BY AUCTION OR LOTTERY

(1) Organizations that demonstrate a commitment to the conservation of the species may submit a proposal to the commission for a license to be sold by auction or lottery.

(2) A proposal must include:

(a) a statement of the organization's purpose;

(b) copies of bylaws or articles of incorporation;

(c) details of the organization's previous involvement in the conservation of the species hunted under the license;

(d) details of the organization's previous experience in auctions or lotteries;

(e) information on how the auction or lottery would be conducted and an estimate of the potential revenue that will be generated; and

(f) a statement indicating whether the organization plans to retain up to 10% of the proceeds to cover reasonable auction expenses and that the organization will submit expenses associated with the auction of the license.

(3) The commission reserves the right to reject all bids and proposals.

History: [87-2-722](#), [87-2-724](#), [87-2-725](#), [87-2-811](#), [87-2-812](#), MCA; [IMP](#), [87-2-722](#), [87-2-724](#), [87-2-725](#), [87-2-811](#), [87-2-812](#), MCA; [NEW](#), 2012 MAR p. 1842, Eff. 9/21/12; [AMD](#), 2022 MAR p. 280, Eff. 2/26/22; [TRANS](#), from ARM [12.3.131](#), 2022 MAR p. 325, Eff. 3/12/22.

12.3.802 PROCEDURE FOR SUBMITTING PROPOSALS AND AWARDING AN AUCTION OR LOTTERY LICENSE

(1) The department will solicit and accept proposals from organizations to conduct auctions or lotteries for licenses.

(2) Proposals for auctions or lottery licenses to be issued for the following license year must be received by the department's Licensing Bureau on or before July 15.

History: [87-2-722](#), [87-2-724](#), [87-2-725](#), [87-2-811](#), [87-2-812](#), MCA; [IMP](#), [87-2-722](#), [87-2-724](#), [87-2-725](#), [87-2-811](#), [87-2-812](#), MCA; [NEW](#), 2012 MAR p. 1842, Eff. 9/21/12; [AMD](#), 2022 MAR p. 280, Eff. 2/26/22; [TRANS](#), from ARM [12.3.132](#), 2022 MAR p. 325, Eff. 3/12/22.