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2 An act relating to technical corrections to fish and wildlife statutes

3 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

4 Sec. 1. 10 V.S.A. § 4502 is amended to read:

5 § 4502. UNIFORM POINT SYSTEM; REVOCATION OF LICENSE

6 (a) A uniform point system that assigns points to those convicted of a  
7 violation of a provision of this part is established. The conviction report from  
8 the court shall be prima facie evidence of the points assessed. In addition to  
9 other penalties assessed for violation of fish and wildlife statutes, the  
10 Commissioner shall suspend licenses issued under this part that are held by a  
11 person who has accumulated 10 or more points in accordance with the  
12 provisions of subsection (c) of this section.

13 (b) A person violating provisions of this part shall receive points for  
14 convictions in accordance with the following schedule (all sections are in this  
15 title of the Vermont Statutes Annotated):

16 (1) Except for biological collection violations determined to be nonpoint  
17 violations under the rules of the Board, five points shall be assessed for any  
18 violation of statutes or rules adopted under this part except those listed in  
19 subdivisions (2) and (3) of this subsection.

20 (2) Ten points shall be assessed for:

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1 ~~on feeding of deer; reporting big game; and section 11.0, ban of urine and~~  
2 ~~other natural lures~~

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4 (EE) § 4705(a). Shooting from a motor vehicle or other motor-  
5 propelled craft.

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7 Sec. 2. 10 V.S.A. § 4263 is amended to read:

8 § 4263. EXPIRATION; NONTRANSFERABILITY

9 Licenses shall not be transferable and shall be dated when issued. Annual  
10 licenses shall be valid from January 1 of the calendar year for which they are  
11 issued or from the day of purchase and issue in that year as certified by the  
12 issuing agent. All annual licenses shall expire on December 31 of the year for  
13 which they were issued or 365 days after the date on which they are issued, as  
14 determined by the Commissioner. Term licenses shall be valid only for the  
15 time period certified on the license form by the issuing agent. Any licenses  
16 may be sold prior to the date that they are to become effective.

17 Sec. 3. 10 V.S.A. § 4255 is amended to read:

18 § 4255. LICENSE FEES

19 (a) Vermont residents may apply for licenses on forms provided by the  
20 Commissioner. Fees for each license shall be:

21 (1) Fishing license \$28.00

1	(2) Hunting license	\$28.00
2	(3) Combination hunting and fishing license	\$47.00
3	(4) Big game licenses (all require a hunting license)	
4	(A) archery license	\$23.00
5	(B) muzzle loader license	\$23.00
6	(C) turkey license	\$23.00
7	(D) [Repealed.]	
8	(E) [Repealed.]	
9	(F) moose license	\$100.00
10	(G) bear tag	\$5.00
11	(H) additional deer archery tag	\$23.00
12	(5) Trapping license	\$23.00
13	(6) Hunting license for persons 17 years of age or under	\$8.00
14	(7) Trapping license for persons 17 years of age or under	\$10.00
15	(8) Fishing license for persons 15 through 17 years of age	\$8.00
16	(9) Super sport license	\$150.00
17	(10) Three-day fishing license	\$11.00
18	(11) Combination hunting and fishing license for persons 17 years of	
19	age or under	\$12.00
20	(12) Mentored hunting license	\$10.00

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1 Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

2 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2026.