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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

Section 28 - Reduction in close seasons for female deer

The close season for female deer, which gives protection from taking and killing, is shortened and changed to begin on 1<sup>st</sup> April each year.