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TITLE 312 NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

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DIGEST

Temporarily amends 312 IAC 9-4-11, governing taking and possessing wild turkeys, to specify the locations for taking wild turkeys in the fall season as authorized by 312 IAC 9-4-11(g) and to provide for tagging of the carcass of a wild turkey taken under the "automated point of sale licensing system" authorized by IC 14-22-12-7.5. Effective September 1, 2005.

SECTION 1. (a) This SECTION of this document is supplemental to 312 IAC 9-4-11.

(b) A person may take a wild turkey under this SECTION of this document from October 1, 2005, through	October 23,
2005, with a bow and arrow, in the following locations:	

- (1) Bartholomew.
- (2) Brown.
- (3) Cass.
- (4) Clark.
- (5) Clay.
- (6) Crawford.
- (7) Daviess.
- (8) Dearborn.
- (9) Decatur.
- **(10) Dekalb.**
- (11) Dubois.
- (12) Fayette.
- (13) Floyd.
- (14) Franklin.
- (15) Fountain.
- (16) Fulton.
- (17) Gibson.
- (18) Greene
- (19) Harrison.
- (20) Jackson.
- (21) Jasper, north of State Highway 114 or east of Interstate 65.
- (22) Jefferson.
- (23) Jennings.
- (24) Johnson.
- (25) Knox.
- (26) LaGrange.
- (27) LaPorte.
- (28) Lawrence.
- (29) Marshall.
- (30) Martin.
- (31) Monroe.
- (32) Montgomery.
- (33) Morgan.
- (34) Newton, north of State Highway 114.
- (35) Ohio.
- (36) Orange.
- (37) Owen.

(38) Parke.
(39) Perry.
(40) Pike.
(41) Posey.
(42) Pulaski.
(43) Putnam.
(44) Ripley.
(45) St. Joseph.
(46) Scott.
(47) Spencer.
(48) Starke.
(49) Steuben.
(50) Sullivan.
(51) Switzerland.
(52) Tippecanoe.
(53) Union.
(54) Vanderburgh.
(55) Vermillion.
(56) Vigo.
(57) Warren.
(58) Warrick.
(59) Washington.
(60) Wayne.
(c) A person may take a wild turkey under this SECTION of this document from October 19, 2005, through October 23,
2005, with a firearm, in the following locations:
(1) Brown.
(1) Blown. (2) Clark.
(3) Crawford.
(4) Dearborn.
(5) Dubois.
(6) Floyd.
(7) Franklin.
(8) Greene, east of the White River.
(9) Harrison.
(10) Jackson.
(11) Jefferson.
(12) Jennings.
(13) Lawrence.
(14) Martin.
(15) Monroe.
(16) Ohio.
(17) Orange.
(18) Owen.
(19) Perry.
(20) Pike.
(21) Ripley.
(22) Scott.
(23) Spencer.
(24) Switzerland.
(25) Warrick.
(26) Washington.
(d) This subsection supercedes 312 IAC 9-4-11(h). The use of a dog, another domesticated animal, a live decoy, a recorded
call, an electronically powered or controlled decoy, or bait to take a wild turkey is prohibited. An area is considered baited

for ten (10) days after the removal of the bait, but an area is not considered to be baited that is attractive to wild turkeys resulting from a normal agricultural practice.

- (e) This subsection supercedes 312 IAC 9-4-11(j). Except as provided under IC 14-22-11-1 and IC 14-22-11-11, a person must not hunt wild turkeys unless possessing a completed and signed license bearing the person's name. A person must not hunt with a wild turkey license issued to another person.
- (f) This subsection supercedes 312 IAC 9-4-11(k). The paper described in subsection (e) [sic., subsection (g)] must, immediately after taking a wild turkey, be attached to the unfeathered portion of the turkey's leg. A person who takes a turkey must cause delivery of the turkey to an official turkey checking station within forty-eight (48) hours of taking for registration. After the checking station operator records the permanent seal number on the log, the person is provided with that seal. The person must immediately and firmly affix the seal to the leg of the turkey through a section of skin or flesh to prevent its removal (without cutting the seal or the body part to which it is affixed). The seal must remain affixed until processing of the turkey begins. The official turkey checking station operator shall accurately and legibly complete all forms provided by the department and make those forms available to department personnel on request.
- (g) A person who takes a wild turkey, pursuant to a license issued under IC 14-22-12-7.5, must tag the carcass immediately after taking with a paper that states the name and address of the individual, the license number (if applicable), the date, and the sex of the turkey that was taken.

SECTION 2. SECTION 1 of this document expires October 24, 2005.

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