

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

The CS for SB 772 requires persons control wildlife nuisances on a landowner's land to have received written permission from the owner. The CS also increases the minimum fine levied on persons convicted of hunting or harassing wildlife without a valid permit or permission from \$250.00 to \$500.00 for the first offense and from \$500.00 to \$5,000.00 for second and subsequent offenses. District attorneys are authorized by the CS to request the revocation of such person's hunting and fishing privileges for a period not to exceed 10 years and not less than 6 months. Residents may pay a \$200.00 reinstatement fee after the period and nonresidents may pay a \$500.00 reinstatement fee after the period. Additionally, the CS authorizes landowners or their designees to control feral and coyote nuisances without limitation by statewide season regulations or bag limits.

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