

R12-4-414. Game Bird Shooting Preserve License

- A. A game bird shooting preserve license allows the year-round release of pen-reared game birds as prescribed by the license, at the site specified on the license, for the purpose of hunting or shooting by individuals who may be charged a fee. The license also allows an individual to do any or all of the following: import, purchase, possess, transport, trade, display for sale, offer for sale, sale, give as a gift, propagate, or export the live wildlife specified on the license.
- B. An applicant shall make application for a shooting preserve license on a form provided by the Department. The applicant shall provide the following on the application:
1. Name, address, telephone number, birthdate, physical description, and if applicable, Department ID number;
 2. If the applicant will use the wildlife for a commercial purpose, the name, address, and telephone number of the applicant's business;
 3. The wildlife species and the number of animals per species that will be used under the license. If the application is for use of multiple species, the applicant shall list each species and the number of animals per species. The Department shall only issue a license for the following game bird species:
 - a. Chukar, *Alectoris chukar*;
 - b. Mallard duck, *Anas platyrhynchos*;
 - c. Northern bobwhite, *Colinus virginianus*, except that no license will be issued for this species in game management units 34A, 36A, 36B, and 36C, as prescribed in R12-4-108; and
 - d. Ringneck and whitewing pheasant, *Phasianus colchicus*;
 4. If the applicant is renewing the game bird shooting preserve license, the species and number of animals per species that are currently in captivity;
 5. The name, address, and telephone number of the location where the wildlife will be held, if applicable. Otherwise, the applicant shall provide the physical description of the location, including township, range, and section;
 6. A detailed description or diagram of the facilities where the applicant will hold the wildlife, and a description of how the facilities comply with R12-4-428, and any other captivity standards that may be prescribed by this Section;
 7. A detailed description or diagram of the shooting preserve where the applicant will release the wildlife. The shooting preserve shall not be more than 1000 acres and shall be located on private land;
 8. The name, address, and telephone number of the shooting preserve where the wildlife will be released, if applicable. Otherwise, the physical location of the shooting preserve, including township, range, and section. If the applicant applies to release wildlife at more than one shooting preserve, the applicant shall submit a separate application for each preserve;
 9. The name, address, and telephone number of all wildlife suppliers from whom the special license applicant will obtain wildlife; and
 10. The applicant's signature and the date of signing. By signing the application, the applicant attests that the information provided is true and correct to the applicant's knowledge and that the applicant's live wildlife privileges are not revoked in this state, any other state, or by the United States.

- C. The Department shall issue a game bird shooting preserve license in compliance with R12-4-106. The Department shall not issue a game bird shooting preserve license if escape of any species listed on the application or operation of a game bird shooting preserve will create a threat to native wildlife or public health or safety. If the Department denies the application for a special license, the Department shall proceed as prescribed by R12-4-409(D).
- D. A game bird shooting preserve license holder shall ensure that each shipment of live wildlife imported into the state is accompanied by a certificate of health issued by a licensed veterinarian.
- E. A game bird shooting preserve license holder shall post visible and legible signs every 100 yards that mark the boundaries of the shooting preserve. Each sign shall indicate that the area behind the sign is a private game bird shooting preserve and display the name of the shooting preserve.
- F. A game bird shooting preserve license holder shall provide a receipt to each individual that transports dead wildlife from the site of the game bird shooting preserve. The receipt shall include the date of purchase, the name of the shooting preserve, and the number by species of wildlife to be transported.
- G. A game bird shooting preserve license holder shall ensure that shipments of dead wildlife made by the game bird shooting preserve are accompanied by documentation showing the name of the license holder, the license number of the valid game bird shooting preserve license for the current year, the date the wildlife is shipped, the number of animals per species in the shipment, the name of the individual or common carrier transporting the shipment, and the name of the individual who will receive the shipment.
- H. A hunting license is not required to hunt released wildlife on a licensed game bird shooting preserve. The season for taking game birds on a shooting preserve may be yearlong. Wildlife released on a shooting preserve and found outside the preserve shall not be taken under provisions of a game bird shooting preserve license.
- I. Game birds released on a shooting preserve may be taken by any method not prohibited by R12-4-303
- J. Before January 31 of each year, a game bird shooting preserve license holder shall file a written report on activities performed under the license for the previous calendar year. A game bird shooting preserve license holder shall submit an annual report on a form available from the Department as prescribed by R12-4-409(O). The annual report shall also include the following information:
 - 1. The number of animals per wildlife species, and the source of all wildlife that the license holder obtained or propagated;
 - 2. The date when the wildlife was obtained or propagated;
 - 3. The date when the wildlife was disposed of, and the manner of disposition; and
 - 4. If the wildlife was disposed of by sale, barter, or given as a gift, the names of individuals who received the wildlife.
- K. A game bird shooting preserve license holder shall maintain records of all wildlife possessed under the license for three years. The records shall include all information required in an annual report as stated in subsection (J)(1) through (4) and R12-4-409(O).

L. Game bird shooting preserve licenses are subject to the provisions of R12-4-409 and R12-4-428.