

composed of nine members who have a practical knowledge in raising wild ducks, and four members who have a practical knowledge of waterfowl habitat conservation.

(5) The committee shall advise the Department of:

- (i) The propagation or purchase and distribution of mallard or other ducks to be released;
- (ii) Regulations adopted by the Department to effectuate this program; and
- (iii) Waterfowl habitat conservation projects.

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(a) There are three seasons to hunt deer: a bow hunting season, a firearms season, and a muzzle loader season.

(b) (1) In Dorchester County during each of the seasons for hunting deer, a person may hunt, pursue or kill at least one whitetail deer of either sex and two sika deer of either sex without the need for a special antlerless permit.

(2) In Dorchester County, a person may hunt 1 additional whitetailed deer without a permit if the person:

- (i) Is licensed to hunt deer under this title;
- (ii) Has attained the whitetailed deer bag limit applicable to the county during the same designated deer hunting season; and
- (iii) Is a State resident.

(c) (1) Every person killing a deer shall report with the deer to a designated checking station within 24 hours after killing the deer.

(2) Notwithstanding any requirement of law, if the designated checking stations are closed in the county where a person kills a deer, a Natural Resources Police officer may authorize the person to report with the deer to a designated checking station in another county.

[(d) (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this title except for subsection (b) of this section, or any rule or regulation of the Department, on request the Department may issue a permit to hunt 1 additional whitetailed deer to any person who:

- (i) Is licensed to hunt deer under this title;
- (ii) Has attained the whitetailed deer bag limit applicable to that county during the same designated deer hunting season; and
- (iii) Is a State resident and pays \$2.

(2) (i) Any licensing agent may issue a permit to hunt 1 additional whitetailed deer on request of the person.