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(a) All owners of riparian rights, their lessees, licensees or assignees on the waters of this State owning the required amount of shoreline shall ~~be~~ BY virtue of said ownership be entitled to license the area in front of the property of which they are the owners of the riparian rights, lessees, licensees or assignees, for the purpose of erecting a stationary blind or establishing a blind site, provided that said riparian owners, their lessees, licensees, or assignees **[shall]** *may* avail themselves of said right and clearly mark the same on said waters by erecting a stake on which shall appear the license number and the licensee's name as hereinafter provided on or before October 10 of each and every year. *Failure of an owner to avail himself of his rights hereunder by the date herein provided shall not be a forfeiture of his right to first entitlement to a license.*

(b) All owners of riparian rights, their lessees, licensees or assignees, owning less than the required amount of shoreline **[shall]** *may* make a choice of "set" or position in front of said property between October 11 and October 21 inclusive of each and every year, and clearly mark the same by erecting a stake on which shall appear the license number and the licensee's name. Said stake shall be at least three hundred (300) yards from the nearest licensed blind or blind site and said licensee shall have the sole right to hunt at said blind site by means of floating or boat blinds or body booting, or to erect and hunt from a stationary blind provided written permission is obtained from all persons owning properties along the shore in front of which the site is located having a total continuous shore frontage of not less than 500 yards, nor less than 250 yards in tributaries where such yardage is accepted as proper. *Failure of an owner to avail himself of his rights hereunder by the date herein provided shall not be a forfeiture of his right to first entitlement to a license.*

(c) All nonowners of shoreline may make a choice of "set" or position **[between October 22 and November 1, inclusive]** *after October 21* of each and every year and clearly mark the same as hereinbefore provided. Said stake shall be at least five hundred (500) yards from the nearest licensed blind or blind site and not less than one hundred and fifty (150) yards from the nearest dwelling, and said **[license]** *licensee* shall have the sole right to hunt at said blind site by means of floating or boat blinds or body booting.

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(c) For the period October 11 to October 21, inclusive, applicant may present to the clerk a certification that he is a shore owner, and that he desires to erect a stake blind site for floating rigs and body booting opposite said shore and that there is no previously licensed blind or blind site within three hundred (300) yards of said location. Said licenses shall be issued in rotation as applications are received, *subject to the owner's right of first entitlement to such license*, but may be revoked by written notice to the applicant by the **[Department of Game and Inland]** *Fish and Wildlife Administration* if the certifications of the application are found to be in error. The ~~Department of Game and Inland Fish~~ **FISH AND WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION** shall upon request by any owner of shore front property, inspect any site licensed under the provisions of this