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Senate Bill 35 (as introduced 1-16-19)
Sponsor: Senator Curtis S. VandwerWall
Committee: Natural Resources

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CONTENT

The bill would amend Part 435 (Hunting and Fishing Licensing) of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act to do the following:

- Require a minor child hunting during the youth hunt weekend to purchase a youth antlerless deer license.**
- Specify that only a minor child could purchase a youth antlerless deer license.**

Specifically, the bill would require a minor child hunting during the youth hunt weekend to purchase a youth antlerless deer license. A minor child hunting during the youth hunt weekend would have to take an antlerless deer before he or she took an antlered deer during that weekend.

Only a minor child would be able to purchase a youth antlerless deer license. The fee for a youth antlerless deer license would be \$1. The license would be valid for taking an antlerless deer only during the youth hunt weekend.

Proposed MCL 324.43537a

Legislative Analyst: Nathan Leaman

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have an indeterminate, but minimal, fiscal impact on the State and no impact on local government. The \$1 youth antlerless deer license would apply only to minors during the youth hunt weekend. Minors would still have to obtain a valid deer, deer combination, or mentored youth license to participate in the remainder of the deer hunting season.

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