

**SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
NINETIETH SESSION**

S.F. No. 1447

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1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to game and fish; prohibiting use of snares to take wild animals; amending

1.3 Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 97B.951; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016,

1.4 section 97B.421.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 97B.951, is amended to read:

1.7 **97B.951 PROHIBITING USE OF SNARES TO TAKE UNPROTECTED**

1.8 **MAMMALS WILD ANIMALS.**

1.9 A snare set ~~for an unprotected mammal~~ may not be ~~left in place after March 31~~ set to

1.10 take wild animals except as authorized by the commissioner for the predator-control program

1.11 under section 97B.671.

1.12 Sec. 2. **REPEALER.**

1.13 Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 97B.421, is repealed.

APPENDIX
Repealed Minnesota Statutes: SF1447-0

97B.421 PERMIT REQUIRED TO SNARE BEARS.

A person may not use a snare to take a bear except under a permit from the commissioner.