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**Possession and Sale of Game and Furbearing Animals**

**Sec. 26-78-1. Possession and sale of game and furbearing animals**

No person shall purchase, sell, offer or expose for sale, or possess the raw skin, raw pelt, or carcass of any bobcat, black bear, pine martin, Canada lynx, or mountain lion (*Felis concolor*) unless such skin, pelt or carcass was legally acquired in this state or any other state or country. Any such skin, pelt or carcass legally acquired shall, in addition to any tag required by any other state or country, have a separate tag attached with the following information printed legibly thereon: the date on which the raw skin, raw pelt, or carcass was acquired; the name and address of the person from whom such skin, pelt, or carcass was acquired and, if applicable, the trapping, or hunting license number under which such skin, pelt, or carcass was harvested; the state and/or country (if other than the United States) from which the raw skin, raw pelt, or carcass was acquired.

(Effective September 27, 1979; Amended April 27, 2005)

**Reptiles and Amphibians**

**Sec. 26-78-2. Conditions on possession of bog turtles**

(a) Any person owning or keeping a Bog Turtle shall submit the following information to the Wildlife Bureau of the Department of Environmental Protection: name and address of owner; name and address of keeper; type and number of turtles owned or kept; date each turtle was acquired; approximate age of each turtle; address at which each turtle is kept; and any other information which the commissioner deems necessary.

(b) Any change in the information provided in accordance with subsection (a) shall be reported to the Wildlife Bureau in writing within twenty (20) days.

(Effective February 21, 1985)