



General Assembly

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Amendment

LCO No. 3489

Offered by:
SEN. EADS, 30th Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 30 File No. 408 Cal. No. 309

***"An Act Concerning Wildlife Management Programs Of
The Department Of Environmental Protection."***

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- 1 After line 167, add the following:
- 2 "Sec. 6. Section 26-67e of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 3 following is substituted in lieu thereof:
- 4 Any person engaged in falconry shall abide by the provisions of
- 5 Title 50 CFR and guidelines established by the United States Fish and
- 6 Wildlife Service governing falconry. The Commissioner of
- 7 Environmental Protection may adopt regulations, in accordance with
- 8 the provisions of chapter 54, consistent with or more restrictive than
- 9 federal regulations. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 26-92,
- 10 the regulations may allow the taking from the wild and possession of
- 11 certain wild birds for falconry purposes. If the [commissioner requires]
- 12 regulations require a permit for falconry, a permittee shall possess a
- 13 valid state hunting license before obtaining any class of falconry
- 14 permit and shall submit, on or before January first annually, a self
- 15 certification that the permittee's activities comply with the provisions
- 16 of federal falconry regulations. Nonresidents may practice falconry in

17 this state consistent with nonresident fees or for the same fee as a
18 resident of this state if such nonresident is a resident of a state the laws
19 of which allow the same privilege to residents of this state.

20 Sec. 7. This act shall take effect from its passage, except that sections
21 1 to 5, inclusive, shall take effect October 1, 2000."