FIRST REGULAR SESSION SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 260

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Reported from the Committee on Agriculture, Food Production and Outdoor Resources, April 11, 2019, with recommendation that the Senate Committee Substitute do pass.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

AN ACT

To amend chapter 252, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to poaching, with penalty provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 252, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new 2 section, to be known as section 252.042, to read as follows:

252.042. 1. In addition to the penalties provided in section

- 2 252.040, the court may order a person found guilty of chasing, pursuing,
- 3 killing, processing, or disposing of wild turkey, paddlefish, white-tailed
- 4 deer, black bear, or elk in violation of methods, seasons, and limits as
- 5 defined and permitted by commission rules and regulations to make
- 6 restitution to the state in an amount of:
- 7 (1) Not less than five hundred dollars and not more than one 8 thousand dollars for each wild turkey;
- 9 (2) Not less than five hundred dollars and not more than one thousand dollars for each paddlefish;
- 11 (3) Not less than one thousand dollars and not more than five 12 thousand dollars for each white-tailed deer; and
- 13 (4) Not less than ten thousand dollars and not more than fifteen 14 thousand dollars for each black bear or elk.
- 2. Moneys collected under this section shall be transferred to the state school moneys fund established under section 166.051 and distributed to the public schools of this state in the manner provided

18 under section 163.031.