

## CONCISE EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

In accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, Section §42-35-2.6 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, following is a concise explanatory statement for the below identified regulation, which was subject to a public hearing on May 6, 2021.

**AGENCY:** Department of Environmental Management

**DIVISION:** Fish and Wildlife

**RULE IDENTIFIER:** 250-RICR-60-00-9

**RULE TITLE:** Hunting and Trapping Regulations for the 2021 – 2022 and 2022 – 2023 Seasons

**REASON FOR RULEMAKING:** The purpose of this filing is to govern the recreational hunting season dates, bag limits, regulations the manner of hunting, etc.

1. 9.7(E)(1)(b)(2) additional dates for Block Island Archery, Muzzleloader and Shotgun

**TESTIMONY AND COMMENTS (for not adopting a proposed rule):** No public comments were received.

**CHANGES TO TEXT (between proposed and final rule):** There were no changes between what was proposed to what is final as there were no public comments received.

**REGULATORY ANALYSIS:** N/A