

Citizen Resolution # 350522

(For Hearing Officer completion)



Use of infrared light for scanning while hunting predators.

Night hunting predators is a very successful and popular tactic. But to do so successfully with current regulations it forces people to use thermal equipment that costs several thousands of dollars. There are more affordable options such as night vision scopes that use the aid of infrared lights. But under current regulations a light can be only used at the point of kill which means you need to see the animal first then turn the light on, ID the animal, and attempt to make the shot often in a matter of seconds. I propose to change the law to allow the use of infrared lights while "in the act of hunting while calling" this would give the hunter ample time to ID the animal making sure it's not a domestic dog or wolf and make a safe shot.

Would you support the Conservation Congress working with the state legislature to change current regulations to allow the use of infrared lighting while in the act of night predator hunting and calling?

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