

STATE OF MINNESOTA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

GOVERNOR'S ORDER NUMBER 31, EXTENDING PROTECTION TO
DEER IN CERTAIN COUNTIES AND PORTIONS OF COUNTIES IN
THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DURING THE YEAR 1938.

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WHEREAS, it is provided by statute that
deer may be taken during the year 1938 between the dates
of November 15th to November 25th, both dates inclusive,
and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Division of
Game and Fish of the Department of Conservation has
caused an investigation to be made and has recommended
that certain counties of the State of Minnesota shall be
closed to hunting, so as to afford proper protection for
propagating and immature deer, to prevent their undue
depletion therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer A. Benson,
Governor of the State of Minnesota, by virtue of and
pursuant to authority vested in me by Section 5840 of
Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, and upon the investiga-
tion conducted by the Director of the Division of Game
and Fish, find and do hereby order that no deer shall be
taken in any counties or portions of counties during the
season of 1938, except within the following:

All of Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching, Itasca,
Lake of the Woods, Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard
and Roseau Counties; Those portions of Kittson,
Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake, Polk, Mahanomen and
Becker Counties lying east of the Minneapolis,
St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway line from the
northern boundary of Kittson County to the southern
boundary of Becker County; that portion of Cass
County lying north of the line between townships
138 and 139; that portion of Aitkin County north
of the following line: starting at the west boundary
of Aitkin County on the line between townships 49 and
50, thence eastward to the Minneapolis, St. Paul and
Sault Ste. Marie Railway, thence along said railway
to the east boundary of Aitkin County; that portion
of Carlton County lying north and east of the follow-
ing line: starting at the west boundary of Carlton
County at the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste.
Marie Railway, thence to the village of Moose Lake,
thence along trunk highway #61 to the southern boundary
of Carlton County; all of that portion of Pine County
lying east of trunk highway #61.

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It is further ordered that deer shall not be hunted or taken in the year 1938 except between November 15th and November 25th, both dates inclusive, in the counties or portions of counties listed herein for the taking of deer.

(Seal)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed and have hereunto set my hand at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, this 12th day of October, 1938.

ATTEST:

Wm. H. Johnson
Secretary of State

James A. Hanson
Governor of the State of Minnesota.

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ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA
DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOLLOWING IS A TRUE
AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS
PASSED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA
AT THE ANNUAL SESSION, 1938.

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FILED
OCT 17 1938
W. H. HOLLEN
Secretary of State

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