

**Background Report**  
**Draft Rule 68A-12.007**  
**Agenda Item 9 A.**  
**April 15, 2015**

**68A-12.007 Hunting Dogs; Molesting Game in Closed Season; Training; Field Trials; Prohibited for Certain Hunting.**

(1) No change.

(2) The purpose and intent of this subsection is to empower the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, upon the complaint ~~complaint~~ of a landowner or lessee, to enforce against the unauthorized use of dogs for hunting. No person owning, having the care of, or using any dog shall permit such dog to trail, pursue or molest wildlife on the lands of another person without written permission from the landowner or lessee of said lands. Written permission shall be in the possession of each person using such dog on the lands of another person, and shall be presented for inspection upon request of any Commission wildlife officer or other law enforcement officer as referred to in subsection 68A-3.002(3), F.A.C.

(3)through (10) No change.

(11) Taking bear by aid of a dog is prohibited except that dogs on leash may be used for trailing shot bear.