

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES
WILDLIFE AND FRESHWATER FISHERIES DIVISION



COMMERCIAL FOWL HUNTING PRESERVE

Valid: Oct 1 – Sept 30

Resident – Nonresident

Probates – Completed Application can be submitted in lieu of Report. (attach license copy)

- New Application
- Renewal – prior # _____

PRINT OR TYPE ONLY

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE RETURNED

PRIMARY LICENSE HOLDER: all information is required

Name: _____

(1) Social Security #: _____ - _____ - _____ Driver's License # _____

Sex: Male
 Female

Date of Birth: _____ email: _____

Wt. _____

Address: _____

Ht.: _____

City: _____ County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Eyes: _____

Phone: Hm _____ Wk _____ Cl _____

Hair: _____

PARTNER #1: all information required (enter additional PARTNERS on back of application using this same format)

Name: _____

(1) Social Security #: _____ - _____ - _____ Driver's License # _____

Sex: Male
 Female

Date of Birth: _____ email: _____

Wt. _____

Address: _____

Ht.: _____

City: _____ County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Eyes: _____

Phone: Hm _____ Wk _____ Cl _____

Hair: _____

PRESERVE INFORMATION: all information required (whether open to public or private). For any additional locations, please list on the Commercial Fowl Hunting Preserve – Additional Locations form).

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Is Preserve open to the public? [] Yes [] No

Fed ID #: _____ Date of Incorporation: _____

Is there more than one preserve? [] Yes [] No

Physical Address: _____

If no:
-business name, you will enter a description like: John Smith or Smith Farm, etc.
-Fed ID, you will use SSN.
-Date of Inc., leave blank

City: _____ County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Lodge Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Acreage _____

Location Description: _____

SPECIES TO BE HUNTED: (hunting seasons for each species begins October 1 and ends March 31 annually).

- [] Quail
- [] Pheasant
- [] Chukar Partridge
- [] Captive Bred Mallard

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(1) DCNR IS NOW REQUIRED BY SECTION 30-3-194(A) CODE OF ALABAMA 1975 TO COLLECT SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS ON ALL RECREATIONAL LICENSES BEING ISSUED/RENEWED.

LICENSE COST:

COMMERCIAL FOWL HUNTING PRESERVE LICENSE – EXEMPT OPTION..... [] \$502.00
 This license covers all preserve hunters- no individual hunting license required

OR

COMMERCIAL FOWL HUNTING PRESERVE LICENSE – NONEXEMPT OPTION (See chart below)..... [] \$ _____
 License fee is determined by total number of acres in the preserve(s)
 This license requires all preserve hunters to obtain an individual hunting license

1 - 100 acres @ \$27.00 = \$ _____	3,001 - 3,100 acres @ \$177.00 = \$ _____
101 - 200 acres @ \$32.00 = \$ _____	3,101 - 3,200 acres @ \$182.00 = \$ _____
201 - 300 acres @ \$37.00 = \$ _____	3,201 - 3,300 acres @ \$187.00 = \$ _____
301 - 400 acres @ \$42.00 = \$ _____	3,301 - 3,400 acres @ \$192.00 = \$ _____
401 - 500 acres @ \$47.00 = \$ _____	3,401 - 3,500 acres @ \$197.00 = \$ _____
501 - 600 acres @ \$52.00 = \$ _____	3,501 - 3,600 acres @ \$202.00 = \$ _____
601 - 700 acres @ \$57.00 = \$ _____	3,601 - 3,700 acres @ \$207.00 = \$ _____
701 - 800 acres @ \$62.00 = \$ _____	3,701 - 3,800 acres @ \$212.00 = \$ _____
801 - 900 acres @ \$67.00 = \$ _____	3,801 - 3,900 acres @ \$217.00 = \$ _____
901 - 1,000 acres @ \$72.00 = \$ _____	3,901 - 4,000 acres @ \$222.00 = \$ _____
1,001 - 1,100 acres @ \$77.00 = \$ _____	4,001 - 4,100 acres @ \$227.00 = \$ _____
1,101 - 1,200 acres @ \$82.00 = \$ _____	4,101 - 4,200 acres @ \$232.00 = \$ _____
1,201 - 1,300 acres @ \$87.00 = \$ _____	4,201 - 4,300 acres @ \$237.00 = \$ _____
1,301 - 1,400 acres @ \$92.00 = \$ _____	4,301 - 4,400 acres @ \$242.00 = \$ _____
1,401 - 1,500 acres @ \$97.00 = \$ _____	4,401 - 4,500 acres @ \$247.00 = \$ _____
1,501 - 1,600 acres @ \$102.00 = \$ _____	4,501 - 4,600 acres @ \$252.00 = \$ _____
1,601 - 1,700 acres @ \$107.00 = \$ _____	4,601 - 4,700 acres @ \$257.00 = \$ _____
1,701 - 1,800 acres @ \$112.00 = \$ _____	4,701 - 4,800 acres @ \$262.00 = \$ _____
1,801 - 1,900 acres @ \$117.00 = \$ _____	4,801 - 4,900 acres @ \$267.00 = \$ _____
1,901 - 2,000 acres @ \$122.00 = \$ _____	4,901 - 5,000 acres @ \$272.00 = \$ _____
2,001 - 2,100 acres @ \$127.00 = \$ _____	5,001 - 5,100 acres @ \$277.00 = \$ _____
2,101 - 2,200 acres @ \$132.00 = \$ _____	5,101 - 5,200 acres @ \$282.00 = \$ _____
2,201 - 2,300 acres @ \$137.00 = \$ _____	5,201 - 5,300 acres @ \$287.00 = \$ _____
2,301 - 2,400 acres @ \$142.00 = \$ _____	5,301 - 5,400 acres @ \$292.00 = \$ _____
2,401 - 2,500 acres @ \$147.00 = \$ _____	5,401 - 5,500 acres @ \$297.00 = \$ _____
2,501 - 2,600 acres @ \$152.00 = \$ _____	5,501 - 5,600 acres @ \$302.00 = \$ _____
2,601 - 2,700 acres @ \$157.00 = \$ _____	5,601 - 5,700 acres @ \$307.00 = \$ _____
2,701 - 2,800 acres @ \$162.00 = \$ _____	5,701 - 5,800 acres @ \$312.00 = \$ _____
2,801 - 2,900 acres @ \$167.00 = \$ _____	5,801 - 5,900 acres @ \$317.00 = \$ _____
2,901 - 3,000 acres @ \$172.00 = \$ _____	5,901 - 6,000 acres @ \$322.00 = \$ _____

Note: For each preserve / business name, a separate application / license is required.

License may be obtained by presenting this application to the Probate Judge or License Commissioner of the appropriate county, or

Submit: (1) completed application (all 3 pages), (2) check or money order, and (3) copy of driver's license for EACH APPLICANT/PARTNER to: Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources, Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries Div., Attn: License Sales, PO Box 301456, Montgomery, AL 36130-1456, or by walk-in or express mail requests: 64 N Union Street, Ste 567, 36104. Questions: (334) 242-3465 or joanne.stjohn@dcnr.alabama.gov

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Check to be: [] excluded from DCNR email updates and [] excluded from list sold by DCNR. If blank, you will be included.

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Commercial Fowl Hunting Preserve – Resident & Non-Resident

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Section 9-11-410 LICENSE REQUIRED; RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Any person, firm, or corporation desiring to operate a bird hunting preserve commercially on which artificially propagated birds may be hunted, taken, captured, killed, harvested or otherwise recovered, shall obtain a bird hunting preserve license and comply with the provisions of this article and all rules promulgated by the Commissioner of Conservation and Natural Resources governing the operation of hunting preserves.

Section 9-11-412 FOWL TO BE HUNTED

Game which may be hunted on a preserve licensed under this article shall be artificially propagated or "pen-raised" bob-white quail, pheasants, chukar partridge, and such other species of birds, except for artificially propagated or "pen-raised" turkeys, as the Commissioner of Conservation and Natural Resources shall designate.

Section 9-11-413 LICENSE FEE; APPLICATION PROCEDURES; DISPOSITION OF FEES.

- (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), the privilege license fee for operating a hunting preserve shall be twenty-five dollars (\$25) per year for the first 100 acres of hunting preserve area plus five dollars (\$5) per year for each additional 100 acres or part thereof. Upon application to the judge of probate of the county in which the preserve is located and payment of the license fee required in this subsection, and an issuance fee of two dollars (\$2), the judge of probate shall issue a privilege license to operate a hunting preserve to the applicant. Privilege licenses to operate hunting preserves shall be issued on forms prescribed by the Commissioner of Conservation and furnished to the judge of probate. All fees collected by the judge of probate for issuing hunting preserve licenses shall be remitted at the same time and in the same manner that hunting and fishing license fees are remitted and shall be paid into the Game and Fish fund of the state Department of Conservation and Natural Resources.
- (b) In lieu of the license fee provided for in subsection (a), the operator of a commercial bird hunting preserve may purchase a license which entitles the licensee to operate a commercial bird hunting preserve and exempts the patrons of the preserve from the license requirement of Section 9-11-417. The fee for the license shall be five hundred dollars (\$500), plus a two dollar (\$2) issuance fee. The license shall be issued in the same manner as the license provided for in subsection (a). The license or a copy thereof shall be in the possession of at least one person in each hunting party.

Section 9-11-414 LIMITS ON HARVEST; EXCEPTION OF "PEN-RAISED QUAIL"; HUNTING PERIOD FOR "PEN-RAISED BIRDS."

There shall be no daily commercial limit as to the number of released "pen-raised birds" commercially taken or recovered by patrons under this article. The period during which "pen-raised birds" may be hunted, taken, captured, killed, or otherwise recovered on preserves shall begin on October 1 each year and extend through March 31 of the following calendar year.

Section 9-11-417 HUNTING LICENSES REQUIRED OF PRESERVE PATRONS; SEVEN-DAY LICENSE; OPERATORS AS AGENT VENDORS OF LICENSES.

- (a) Except for patrons hunting artificially propagated or "pen-raised" birds on preserves licensed pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 9-11-413, Alabama hunting licenses shall be required of all persons hunting on licensed hunting preserves. Alabama residents shall be licensed under the regularly established game laws. Each non-resident hunting on a licensed preserve shall be required to possess a regular non-resident annual hunting license or a non-resident trip hunting license.
- (b) In lieu of a regular hunting license as provided in subsection (a), either a resident or a non-resi-

- (c) dent may purchase a seven-day commercial bird hunting preserve license that allows that person the privilege of hunting only artificially propagated or pen-raised birds as designated by the Commissioner of Conservation and Natural Resources as legal to hunt on a licensed commercial bird hunting preserve. The cost of a seven-day commercial bird hunting preserve license shall be eight dollars (\$8), plus a two dollar (\$2) issuance fee. The license shall be valid for seven consecutive days from the date of issuance.
- (c) To better serve the public and in order that the state will not lose revenue from the loss of sale of licenses to out-of-state visitors arriving on weekends, each hunting preserve operator licensed pursuant to this article shall be an agent vendor of all non-resident and resident hunting licenses with any issuance fees collected therefor to be remitted to the judge of probate of the county in which the preserve is located.

Section 9-11-418 ENFORCEMENT OF GAME AND FISH LAWS; INSPECTION OF PRESERVES.

Duly authorized agents of the state department of conservation and natural resources, game wardens and other law enforcement officers duly authorized to enforce game and fish laws shall have authority to enforce all game and fish laws and regulations on such preserves; and for such purposes are authorized to enter and inspect licensed hunting preserves.

Section 9-11-419 VIOLATIONS; LICENSE REVOCATION.

Any person, firm or corporation who is found guilty of operating a licensed hunting preserve in violation of any provision of this article, upon conviction, shall have his hunting preserve license revoked forthwith.

Regulation 220-2-.25 IMPORTED GAME BIRDS, GAME ANIMALS AND RAW FURS SUBJECT TO STATE LAWS

- (2) Any private commercial shooting preserve that is licensed by the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources may, by obtaining a special letter permit from the Commissioner of Conservation and Natural Resources, hunt any species of exotic or non-native birds at any time of the year when such exotic or non-native birds have been stocked on said hunting preserves. Provided, however, that this regulation shall not apply to any bird or animal that appears on the U.S. Department of the Interior's and State of Alabama's "Endangered Species" list.
- (3) Native game birds and animals other than species listed on hunting preserve license may be taken only on licensed hunting preserves during legal hunting seasons and when taken by properly licensed hunters abiding by any bag limits and other regulations that may be promulgated by the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources or established by law.

Regulation 220-2-.101 HUNTING OF CAPTIVE BRED MALLARD DUCKS ON COMMERCIAL FOWL HUNTING PRESERVES

Captive bred mallard ducks, properly marked in accordance with federal regulations, shall be legal fowl to be hunted on a licensed commercial fowl hunting preserve. Such hunting shall be conducted in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations