

ORGANIZED FIELD TRIALS

Valid: Sept 1 – May 15

Resident – Non-Resident

Alabama Regulation: 220-2-.17

PRIVILEGE:

- *Allows any resident or non-resident to participate in a field trial without a hunting license.*

RESTRICTIONS:

- *No game animals or birds, except pen raised, marked quail or mallards, may be taken during the course of an approved field trial.*
- *Issuance of field trial permits will be limited to 3 per organization per year, beginning October 1, 2016.*
- *Field trial permits will only be issued for periods from September 1 through May 15.*
- *Permits are not available for Wildlife Management Areas and National Forest Lands or other open permit lands. This does not include the Barnett Lawley Field Trial facility managed by State Lands Division.*

NOTE:

- *Local Conservation Enforcement Officer or Commissioners designee must approve field trial permits.*
- *No permit required for organizations to host field trial events for **licensed hunters** during legal seasons on all properties open to such activities.*

COST:

- *\$50.00 per permit (limit 3)*

HOW TO PURCHASE YOUR LICENSE:

- *Visit the **Montgomery Office** (See address below)*
- *Mail a completed application (download at www.outdooralabama.com/license-information) to:
Dept. of Conservation, Wildlife & Freshwater Fisheries, Attn: Enforcement:*
 - *PO Box 301459, Montgomery, AL 36130-1456*
 - *64 N Union St., Ste. 559, Montgomery, AL 36104 (overnight/express)*

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES
WILDLIFE AND FRESHWATER FISHERIES DIVISION



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Application _____ of _____ (maximum 3)

PERMIT FEE: \$50.00

CLUB INFORMATION: (If applicable, all information is required) PRINT OR TYPE ONLY INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE RETURNED

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Physical Address: _____

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

Email Address: _____

CLUB OWNER / MANAGER: all information is required.

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

*Social Security #: _____ - _____ - _____ Driver's License # _____

Sex: Male
Female

Address: _____

Wt. _____

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

Ht.: _____

Phone: Hm _____ Wk _____ Cl _____

Eyes: _____

Email: _____

Race: _____

Physical Address or GPS Coordinates of where the Field Trial will be held: _____

County or Counties for Field Trial: _____

Date (s) of Field Trial: _____

Type of Field Trial (Species): _____

Is this a sanctioned event? Yes No If so, what organization? _____

Submit: (1) completed application, (2) check or money order (\$50) payable to WFF and (3) owner / manager's copy of driver's license to: Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources, Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries Div., Attn: Enforcement, PO Box 301459, Montgomery, AL 36130-1459. Questions: (334) 242-3467 or DCNR.Enforce@dcnr.alabama.gov.

* All field trial applications must be submitted no less than 14 days prior to scheduled event.



Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

*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.

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Code of Alabama

www.legislature.state.al.us

Regulation 220-2-.17 ORGANIZED FIELD TRIALS

It shall be unlawful for any resident or nonresident of this State to participate in any organized field trial without a hunting license unless approved in writing by the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and conducted pursuant to a valid permit from the Department. In the process of such organized field trial events, no guns using live ammunition shall be used nor shall any game animals or birds be taken or killed. Further, during the course of approved hunting dog field trials (which trials shall only be conducted pursuant to possession of a valid permit from the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources), only properly marked pen-raised quail or mallard ducks may be shot. Provided the organization receives a permit as provided for herein, the shooter, or person bearing the gun, will not be required to have a hunting license. Only one person at a time may possess a gun during the course or stations of a permitted field trial where such quail or ducks will be shot. An organized field trial permit where such quail or ducks are taken will only be issued for a predesignated marked course or hunting dog trial stations. Approval of the local conservation officer (or Commissioner's designee) will be required prior to the issuance of a hunting dog field trial permit where such quail or ducks are to be taken. Permits for organized field trials will be limited to three permits per organization per year and will only be issued for periods from September 1 through May 15. These date restrictions do not apply to raccoon or fox field trials. An administrative fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50) will be required for each permit to cover the Department's costs associated with organized field trial activities. Applicants will be required to submit the name of the organization, name of the organization's manager, driver's license and social security numbers and date of birth of the organization's manager, as well as additional addresses, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses. Applicants will also be required to provide the physical address or GPS coordinates of the location of the field trial, and the date and type of the field trial event. Organized fields trials on Wildlife Management Areas and Open Permit-Public Land (as defined in rule 220-2-.85(2)), such as national forests lands, will not be approved under field trial permits. Notwithstanding the foregoing, organized field trials may be held at the Barnett Lawley Field Trial Facility managed by the State Lands Division.