



State of Hawaii  
Department of Land and Natural Resources  
Division of Forestry and Wildlife



**SPECIAL INTERIM PERMIT ALLOWING DISABLED HUNTERS TO HUNT  
AND TAKE GAME FROM A VEHICLE ON PUBLIC HUNTING AREAS**

Permit No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**Eligibility Criteria:** A person may obtain a special disabled hunter permit to take game from a vehicle if the person meets at least one of the following criteria as certified by a licensed, practicing physician: (a) has a permanent mobility impairment which requires the use of an assistive device (cane, crutches, prosthesis, walker, wheel chair, etc.) to aid mobility; (b) is permanently blind or visually impaired to a point where the person's central visual acuity does not exceed 20/200 in the better eye with correcting lenses; or whose visual acuity is greater than 20/200, but is accompanied by a limitation in the field of vision such that the widest diameter of the visual field subtends an angle no greater than 20 degrees; (c) has permanently lost the use of one or both upper limbs or portion(s) thereof; (d) has permanently lost the use of one or both lower limbs or portion(s) thereof, (e) is restricted by lung disease to such an extent that the person's forced (respiratory) expiratory volume for one second, when measured by spirometry, is less than one liter, or the arterial oxygen tension is less than sixty mm/hg on room air at rest; (f) has a cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are classified in severity as Class III or Class IV according to the standards set by the American Heart Association.

**Conditions and Restrictions:** (1) Applicants for this special permit must provide proof of disability as certified by their physician, and proof of identity and residence, either by a notarized signature, or a legible copy of a government-issued valid photo I.D., such as a driver's license. Disabled hunters may take game from a vehicle under the following conditions: (2) Only those persons with a special permit for disabled hunters in their possession may discharge a firearm or bow from, within, or upon any motorized terrestrial vehicle; (3) The vehicle shall have a 12 inch by 12 in blaze-orange flag attached to an antenna at least three feet above the top of the vehicle to identify that at least one of its occupants is a disabled hunter; (4) vehicle must have current motor vehicle registration; (5) The disabled hunter must be accompanied by a licensed, non-hunting assistant, who is physically capable of carrying, loading and discharging the disabled hunter's hunting implement and assisting in the retrieval of game; (6) Shooting from a vehicle on or across any public highway (as defined in Chapter 122 and 123 HRS) is prohibited; (7) Disabled hunters will adhere to all other requirements of Chapter 122 and 123; (8) Firearms may be carried with cartridges in the magazine but a round may not be chambered until the disabled hunter is ready to fire; (9) Crossbows may be cocked and on "safe", however, bolts must remain in the quiver until the act of shooting begins; (10) Anyone in violation of these permit requirements shall be in violation of either Chapter 122 or 123, whichever is applicable, and the person in violation shall be subject to the penalties listed in 183D-5; (10) This certification and permit shall be valid for four (4) years from the date of certification; unless indicated otherwise.

I hereby apply for a Disabled Hunter Permit to hunt from a vehicle in accordance with the above stipulations.

Name	Phone No.	Date
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Social Security No.	Address	
_____	_____	
City	State	Zip Code
_____	_____	_____
Sex	Weight	Height
_____	_____	_____
	Hair Color	Eye Color
	_____	_____

I hereby certify under oath that the above information is true and correct and that I am eligible to obtain this special permit.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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PHYSICIAN'S STATEMENT

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I hereby certify the heretofore named applicant meets at least one of the following disabled criteria to qualify for a disabled hunter permit to take game from a vehicle. Check appropriate box(s):

- ☐ Has a permanent mobility impairment which requires the use of an assistive device (cane, crutches, prosthesis, walker, wheelchair, etc.) to aid mobility, or
- ☐ Is permanently blind or visually impaired to a point where the person's central visual acuity does not exceed 20/200 in the better eye with correcting lenses; or whose visual acuity is greater than 20/200, but is accompanied by a limitation in the field of vision such that the widest diameter of the visual field subtends an angle no greater than 20 degrees, or
- ☐ Has permanently lost the use of one or both upper limbs or portion(s) thereof, which prohibits the use of regular archery or hunting equipment, or
- ☐ Has permanently lost the use of one or both lower limbs or portions thereof, or
- ☐ Is restricted by lung disease to such an extent that the persons forced (respiratory) expiratory volume for one second, when measured by spirometry, is less than one liter, or the arterial oxygen tension is less than 60 mm/hg on room air at rest, or
- ☐ Has a cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are classified in severity as Class III or Class IV according to the standards set by the American Heart Association.

Physician Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Physician's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

The above-named applicant is hereby authorized to hunt and take game from a vehicle on public hunting areas.

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Issuing Officer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Issuing Officer's Title

