H.B. 375 DOMESTICATED ELK AMENDMENTS

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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Representative **Keven J. Stratton** proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Line 51 through Page 3, Line 63:
 - 51 (3) [No domesticated elk will be allowed into the state that originates east of the 100
 - 52 degree meridian, to prevent introduction of the meningeal worm.] In addition to the
 - 53 requirements described in Subsections (1) and (2), a person importing a domesticated elk from
 - 54 <u>east of the 100 degree meridian shall:</u>
 - 55 (a) deworm the elk { no sooner than 60 days and no later than 30 days} before arrival in
 - 56 the state;
 - 57 (b) deworm or harvest the elk no later than 150 days after arrival in the state;
 - (c) for a bull sent to an elk ranch:
 - (i) hold the bull for harvest until the bull has completed a slaughter withdrawal period;
 - 60 or
 - 61 (ii) be able to demonstrate that the elk is free from dewormer residue; and
 - 62 (d) make the elk available to the department for monitoring and inspection upon
 - 63 request by the department.