

# SENATE BILL REPORT

## SB 5171

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As of January 25, 1995

**Title:** An act relating to hunter safety.

**Brief Description:** Authorizing the fish and wildlife commission to adopt rules requiring hunters to wear fluorescent hunter orange material.

**Sponsors:** Senators Haugen, Newhouse and Spanel; by request of Department of Fish and Wildlife.

**Brief History:**

**Committee Activity:** Natural Resources: 1/31/95.

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### SENATE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

**Staff:** Erika Lim (786-7488)

**Background:** Some states require hunters to wear orange clothing to allow greater visibility to other hunters.

**Summary of Bill:** The Fish and Wildlife Commission may adopt rules requiring hunters to wear hunter orange.

**Appropriation:** None.

**Fiscal Note:** Not requested.

**Effective Date:** Ninety days after adjournment of session in which bill is passed.