

Arkansas Game and Fish Commission

Code Book

The regulations in this Code Book are hereby adopted by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission under authority of Amendment 35 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas. All laws, rules, regulations, or orders in conflict with the regulations in this Code Book are hereby repealed by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission.

05.02 Night Hunting Prohibited

It is unlawful to hunt any wildlife at night.

EXCEPTIONS:

- A. The taking of bobcat, raccoon and opossum when treed by dogs at night during an open season for that species (Addenda [A1.05](#), [C1.09](#)).
- B. The taking of aquatic wildlife other than mussels by legal methods during an open season.
- C. The taking of bullfrogs by legal methods during an open season.
- D. The taking of alligators by legal methods during an open season in compliance with Addendum [A1.10](#) and Code [12.03](#).
- E. The checking of legally set traps or snares, but must not possess a firearm larger than a .22 caliber rimfire.
- F. In compliance with Codes [05.10](#) and [05.28](#).

PENALTY: Class 4