

## Report on Public Policy Position

**Name of section:**

Animal Law Section

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**Bill Number:**

[SB 1013](#) (Allen) Natural resources; hunting; moose hunting season and moose hunting advisory council; create. Amends [1994 PA 451](#) (MCL [324.101](#) - [324.90106](#)) by adding secs. 40110a & 43540d & repeals sec. 43540d of 1994 PA 451 (MCL 324.43540d).

**Date position was adopted:**

April 24, 2010

**Process used to take the ideological position:**

Position adopted after discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting 4/16/2010 with those not present completing the voting process on April 24, 2010 by email.

**Number of members in the decision-making body:**

15

**Number who voted in favor and opposed to the position:**

12 Voted for position

0 Voted against position

2 Abstained from vote

1 Did not vote

**Position:**

Oppose

**Explanation of the position, including any recommended amendments:**

The Animal Law Section opposes SB 1013 which would allow the hunting of moose, on the basis that the bill conflicts with the goals of the section, i.e. to promote legislation to advance animal protection, animal rights and to protect animals through the legal system.

**The text of any legislation, court rule, or administrative regulation that is the subject of or referenced in this report.** <http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2009-SB-1013>