

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF FWP
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

In the matter of the repeal of ARM) RULEMAKING PETITION
12.9.202 pertaining to Brinkman)
Game Preserve)
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TO: All Concerned Persons

1. Petitioner's name and address: is Ed Cole President of Meissner Ranches Inc, P.O. Box 486 Chester MT 59522
2. The majority of the land included in the Brinkman Game Preserve is owned or leased by our corporation. And we wish to abolish the game preserve.
3. As a land owner and lessee of the Brinkman game preserve, I would like my family and guests to be able to hunt game and nongame animals on our property. There are better ways to manage wildlife than closing all hunting. According to current rules I can not carry or discharge a firearm on my own property

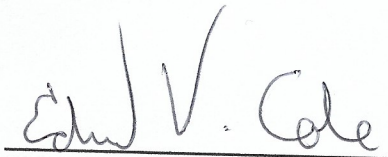
REPEAL:

The rules as proposed to be repealed would provide as follows:

ARM number 12.9.202 Brinkman game preserve found at page [##] of the Administrative Rules of Montana.

5. Persons of Interest affected by the change: Meissner Ranches 2 Inc (Blaine and Julie Meissner) P.O. Box 490 Chester MT 59522, Garth and Lila Good P.O. Box 179 Chester MT, Jeffery, and Allen Han 1999 Tiber Dam Rd. Inverness MT 59530, Diane Darlington P.O. Box 418 Chester MT 59522
6. Petitioner requests an oral presentation for expression of petitioner's and other interested persons' views.

WHEREFORE, petitioner requests the Department of Fish Wildlife and Parks to Repeal ARM12.9.202 abolishing the Brinkman Game Preserve.



Edward V. Cole President of Meissner Ranches Inc.

April 19, 2023.