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14.01 Taking of Birds and Eggs Prohibited

It is unlawful to take or attempt to take wild birds or bird eggs.

EXCEPTIONS:

- A. House Sparrows, Red-Winged Blackbird, Common Grackle, Brewers Blackbird, Great-Tail Grackle, Brown Headed Cow Bird, European Starlings, Rock Dove, American Crow and Fish Crows.
- B. American Crows and Fish Crows (Code 05.01 and Addendum A1.07). AVAILABLE
- C. In compliance with Code 09.15.
- D. In compliance with 50 CFR 21.12(b) and 50 CFR 21.43. Subparts A,B,C,D,E,(21.1-21.61)
- E. Nuisance migratory birds taken in compliance with a U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service permit or regulation.
- F. AGFC employees while engaged in official duties or researchers, with written approval from Wildlife Management Division Chief, engaged in an AGFC supported research or monitoring project

PENALTY: Class 1