

**TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT**

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ORDER NO. 017-003**

Under the provisions of Parks and Wildlife Code, §64.022 and 31 TAC §65.313(f), the Executive Director of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, after notifying the Chairman of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, is authorized to adopt regulations establishing seasons, bag limits, means, methods, and devices for harvesting migratory game birds within U.S Fish and Wildlife Service frameworks. Therefore, the Executive Director hereby adopts amendments to 31 TAC §§65.314, 65.315, and 65.318-65.321, concerning the Migratory Game Bird Proclamation, with changes to the proposed text as published in the February 17, 2017, issue of the *Texas Register* (42 TexReg 668). The Executive Director also hereby authorizes publication of the Notice of Adoption in the *Texas Register*.

This order is issued pursuant to §64.022 of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Code and is effective immediately. The adopted regulations shall be effective as provided in the regulations and as provided by other law.

Signed this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.



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Carter Smith  
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