

Finnland – gesetzliche Regelung Bogenjagd

Hunting degree, Section 20

General requirements for bows:

(1)

A bow may only be used for shooting rabbit, mountain hare, brown hare, red squirrel, European beaver, Canadian beaver, muskrat, nutria, farmed arctic fox, red fox, raccoon dog, raccoon, badger, ermine, polecat, pine marten, mink, roe deer, fallow deer, red deer, sika deer, whitetail deer, forest reindeer, mouflon, wild boar and birds belonging to game animals as well as unprotected animals.

(2)

Only a bow for which the pulling strength is at least 180 newtons (180 N) may be used for shooting a game animal.

(3)

The tip of an arrow to be used for shooting an animal must be such that an accurate hit is fatal on impact. If a bow is used for shooting European beaver, Canadian beaver, roe deer, fallow deer, red deer, sika deer, whitetail deer, forest reindeer, mouflon, wild boar, the arrow must have a cutting tip with a minimum diameter of 22 millimeters. If a bow is used for shooting European beaver or Canadian beaver the arrow must also be attached to the bow with a line.

Bow shooting test (Hunting law, paragraph 21)

When hunting roe deer, fallow deer, red deer, sika deer, whitetail deer, forest reindeer, mouflon, wild boar, with a bow a shooting test has to be taken according to hunting law, paragraph 21.

Three field point tipped arrows has to be shot in a 23 cm circle from 18 meters in 180 seconds. The time is measured from the first shot. Only a bow for which the pulling strength is at least 180 newtons (180 N) may be used for bow shooting test. In the shooting test the maximum number of attempts is five.