

Citation: *R. v. Giesbrecht and Lamha*, 2008 YKTC 28

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Docket: T.C. 05-10030
Registry: Watson Lake

IN THE TERRITORIAL COURT OF YUKON
Before: His Honour Chief Judge Faulkner

REGINA

v.

SHELDON GIESBRECHT

T.C. 05-10029
Registry: Watson Lake

REGINA

v.

GERALD LAMHA

Appearances:
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Sheldon Giesbrecht
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REASONS FOR SENTENCING

[1] FAULKNER C.J.T.C. (Oral): I take into account that you have entered guilty pleas to the charges and accepted responsibility. I take into account that you have no prior record of *Wildlife Act*, R.S.Y. 2002, c. 229, violations. I take into account that although the offence was clearly committed here, that you did bring the kill to the attention of the conservation officers, which is to your credit.

[2] There will be a fine in each case in the amount of \$1,000. Rather than place you on probation, I am going to direct that you provide proof of the successful completion of the Hunter Education Ethics Development course before being issued any further permit or licence pursuant to the *Wildlife Act*. So once you have complied with the course and prove you have passed it, then you are good to go.

[3] Now, how long will you need to pay those fines, gentlemen?

[4] GERALD LAMHA: Two months.

[5] THE COURT: All right, I will give you 60 days time to pay.
What about you, Mr. Giesbrecht?

[6] DOUGLAS GIESBRECHT: I will need past Christmas and into the new year.

[7] THE COURT: Two months, is that what you are talking about?

[8] DOUGLAS GIESBRECHT: Sounds good, yeah.

[9] THE COURT: All right, 60 days.

[10] MR. PARKKARI: I believe that is it on this matter. I don't believe there's any other charges, were there?

[11] THE COURT: No.