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SENATE RESOLUTION

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE
STATE OF ARKANSAS:

WHEREAS, native-born Arkansans often return to Arkansas to visit family
or for vacation; and

WHEREAS, native-born Arkansans are discouraged from hunting in Arkansas
while visiting the state because of the cost of nonresident hunting licenses;
and

WHEREAS, providing a special hunting license for native-born Arkansans
will strengthen the link between the state and an important segment of the
state's former citizens,

NOW, THEREFORE,



BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the Senate encourages the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission to allow nonresidents who were born in Arkansas and who provide an original or certified birth certificate to purchase a special native-born hunting license that is valid for five (5) days and is available for a fee comparable to the fee charged for a resident hunting license.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon the adoption of this resolution, the Secretary of the Senate shall mail a copy of this resolution to the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission.