

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 396

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION TO ISSUE TO CERTAIN NONRESIDENTS A HUNTING OR FISHING LICENSE FOR THE COST OF A RESIDENT LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 15, Chapter 42, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

15-42-131. Nonresidents who graduated from Arkansas schools.

The Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission is authorized to issue a nonresident a hunting or fishing license or a combination license for the same fee charged to an Arkansas resident for the same type of hunting or fishing license or combination license if the nonresident:

(1) Graduated from a public, private, or home school in Arkansas; and

(2) Is actively pursuing a higher education degree in another state.



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