Act 49 HB1336

By: Representative George

"AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTION (b) OF ARKANSAS CODE 15-42-104 TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION OF THE SPECIAL HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES FOR DISABLED PERSONS BY THE ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION."

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (b) of Arkansas Code 15-42-104 is hereby amended to read as follows:

- "(b)(1) In the event the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission provides for the issuance of a permanent hunting or fishing license for a resident of this state who is sixty-five (65) years of age or older, the maximum fee that may be charged a resident of this state sixty-five (65) years of age or older for the licenses shall not exceed the following:
- (A) For a permanent resident hunting license, the maximum fee shall not exceed seventeen dollars and seventy-five cents (\$17.75);
- (B) For a permanent resident fishing license, the maximum fee shall not exceed ten dollars and fifty cents (\$10.50); or
- (C) For a combined permanent resident hunting and fishing license, the fee shall not exceed twenty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents (\$28.25).
- (2) The issuance of special resident hunting and fishing licenses for resident persons with permanent and total disability in any form is within the discretionary powers of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission. The commission hereby has the authority to promulgate such rules and regulations regarding the sale and use of such licenses. In the event the commission provides for the issuance of a permanent resident hunting license or permanent resident fishing license to any resident of this state who suffers from a permanent and total disability, as defined by regulations of the commission, the maximum fees that shall be charged by the commission for the disabled person's permanent resident hunting or fishing licenses shall not exceed the cost of the annual resident license and permit fees in effect at the time of issuance."
- SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
- SECTION 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

APPROVED: February 13, 1989