

State of Arkansas
76th General Assembly
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By: Senator Hopkins

SENATE BILL 447

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT NO LANDOWNER MAY ACCEPT AS CONSIDERATION FOR A HUNTING LEASE AN AMOUNT OF MONEY IN EXCESS OF THE AMOUNT OF PROPERTY TAXES THE LANDOWNER PAYS ON THE LEASED PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly that the wild game in this State are the common property of all citizens of Arkansas. It is the intent of the General Assembly in enacting this law to provide a greater opportunity for the people of this State to hunt wild game. Therefore, no landowner or his agent may lease hunting rights on land located in Arkansas for an amount of consideration per year in excess of the amount of property taxes paid on that land per year. All leases in violation of this Act are hereby declared void.

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

