

1 SB454  
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3 By Senator Sanford  
4 RFD: Agriculture, Conservation, and Forestry  
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8 SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, the Department of  
9 Conservation and Natural Resources, by  
10 administrative rule, may limit the quantity of  
11 wildlife harvested and the manner in which wildlife  
12 is harvested.

13 Under existing administrative rule, harvests  
14 of deer and turkey must be ticketed.

15 This bill would prohibit the Department of  
16 Conservation and Natural Resources from adopting  
17 any administrative rule implementing a check system  
18 that requires a hunter to report the harvest of  
19 deer or turkeys to the department.  
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21 A BILL

22 TO BE ENTITLED

23 AN ACT  
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25 To prohibit the Department of Conservation and  
26 Natural Resources from adopting any administrative rule

1 implementing a check system that requires a hunter to report  
2 certain harvests of deer or turkey to the department.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

4 Section 1. (a) The Department of Conservation and  
5 Natural Resources may not adopt any administrative rule  
6 implementing a check system that requires a hunter to report  
7 each harvest of a deer or a turkey within a specified time  
8 after the harvest.

9 (b) Nothing in this section shall be construed to  
10 prohibit the department from requiring the tagging or  
11 ticketing individual wildlife harvested for the purpose of  
12 limiting harvests of certain wildlife.

13 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the  
14 first day of the third month following its passage and  
15 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.