NOTICE OF RULEMAKING

Pursuant to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission is proposing changes to Title 2, Rules Governing Conservation Districts. The amendment will enable conservation districts to pay more money to beaver harvesters for each beaver tail submitted to the districts. Currently, the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission reimburses the districts five dollars per beaver tail for payments districts make to beaver harvesters under these rules. This amendment will allow the Commission to reimburse the districts \$10 per beaver tail.

A public hearing on the draft rules will be held on April 1, 2010, 2:00 p.m. at the address below. Oral and written comments will be accepted at the hearing. In the interest of accuracy, written statements are preferred and will be considered if received by April 21, 2010, at 4:30 p.m. These rules are posted on the Commission's website at http://www.anrc.arkansas.gov/ or may be requested at the number below.

Given this 18th day of March, 2010.

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