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Re: Sport Fishing Guide License Program

Dear Rep. Cathy Munoz :

I am writing you to express my strong support for the reinstatement of the Sport Fishing Guide License Program that will sunset on December 31, 2014.

I firmly believe that this program was not only in the best interests of the industry but also in the best interest of the public as it provided a fully functioning mechanism for ensuring that fishing guides and operators met certain industry standard safety requirements. This program had functioned for many years without any issues and served the public well.

Without this action there will be no avenue in place through ADF&G to properly process applications for Sport Fishing Guide Service providers or operators.

I thank you for your time and consideration...to reiterate I strongly encourage you to support the reinstatement of the Sport Fishing Guide License Program that will sunset on December 31, 2014.

Sincerely,

Capt. Duane Cummings

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