

SENATE BILL NO. 87

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Introduced: 3/13/19

Referred: Resources, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the taking of big game by nonresidents; and providing for an
2 effective date."

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 * **Section 1.** AS 16.05.256 is amended to read:

5 **Sec. 16.05.256. Nonresident and nonresident alien permits.** Whenever it is
6 necessary to restrict the taking of big game so that the opportunity for state residents to
7 take big game can be reasonably satisfied in accordance with sustained yield
8 principles, the Board of Game **shall** [MAY], through a permit system, limit the taking
9 of big game by nonresidents and nonresident aliens to accomplish that purpose.

10 * **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect January 1, 2020.