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RE: Support of S.B. No. 83

I am writing regarding bill S.B. No. 83 AN ACT AUTHORIZING BOW AND ARROW HUNTING ON SUNDAY UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES. I am a Connecticut resident and a bow hunter and urge this bill be passed in the current session.

My inability to bowhunt on Sundays is too restrictive for me to continue to bowhunt in Connecticut, which means that the money I spend on hunting activities will go to a state that does allow Sunday hunting, such as nearby New York or Rhode Island. For my part alone, this means potentially thousands of dollars, including licensing fees, that will not be spent in Connecticut.

I care for my home state of Connecticut and wish to continue hunting here, however. As such, I urge that this bill be passed.

Regards,

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