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LD 614

I am writing in opposition to LD 614 - An Act to Provide a Free Antlerless Deer Permit to Certain Landowners Who Allow the Public to Hunt on Their Property

I am opposed to this bill because it grants a free permit to all landowners who do not post their property if it is over a certain acreage if they apply for the lottery. This is discriminatory and favors only a certain few hunters. These people are guaranteed a permit at no cost while others have to pay a fee and depend on the luck of the lottery. In the past, a small percentage of the lottery was guaranteed to these hunters but they still had to pay. That favoritism was bad enough, but this is way worse.