

Committee Substitute for
Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 2150

An act relating to the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission; requiring that applications for all recreational activity licenses include a provision for the license applicant to make a voluntary contribution to Southeastern Guide Dogs, Inc.; providing for the use of funds raised by such contributions; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. The application for any license for recreational activities issued under part VI of chapter 379, Florida Statutes, must include a check-off provision that permits the applicant for licensure to make a voluntary contribution of \$2. The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission shall retain 90 cents from each contribution to cover administrative costs. The remainder shall be distributed quarterly by the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to Southeastern Guide Dogs, Inc., located in Palmetto. Southeastern Guide Dogs, Inc., shall use the contributions to breed, raise, and train guide dogs for the blind, specifically for the "Paws for Patriots" program, including in-residence training for veterans who are provided guide dogs by Southeastern Guide Dogs, Inc.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.

Approved by the Governor June 24, 2009.

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