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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources
From: Office of Revisor of Statutes
Date: February 17, 2022
Subject: Senate Bill 451 – Certain Lifetime Hunting and Fishing Licensure Requirements

Currently, a person may receive a license to hunt, fish and furharvest if such person submits proof to the secretary of wildlife and parks that such person is at least $\frac{1}{16}$ Indian by blood and maintains current enrollment on a federally recognized tribal membership roll.

SB 451 would remove the requirement that an individual residing in Kansas submit proof that they are at least $\frac{1}{16}$ Indian by blood. The effect of which would be that an individual would only have to submit to the secretary of wildlife and parks satisfactory proof that the individual maintains current enrollment on a federally recognized tribal membership roll to receive a permanent hunting, fishing and furharvesting license.

SB 451 would take effect upon publication in the statute book.