
DIGEST

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HB No. 1242

Abstract: Allows the use of kayaks, canoes, and pirogues in the Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge and Game Preserve.

Present law authorizes the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to establish wildlife management areas, wildlife refuges, and public hunting grounds and recreation areas. One of the refuges established is the Rockefeller Foundation Wildlife Refuge and Game Preserve.

Proposed law requires the commission to authorize the use of kayaks, canoes, and pirogues in the Rockefeller Refuge. Authorizes the commission to post warning signs deemed necessary to protect the safety of people using the kayaks, canoes, and pirogues.

(Amends R.S. 56:109(F); Adds R.S. 56:109(G))