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DEFINITION OF TERMS. For the purposes of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission Code of Regulations, the following terms shall be construed, respectively, to mean and include:

RESIDENT - Any person who **physically inhabits** a bona fide residence **within Arkansas for a period of time, no less than** 60 days, and declares **themselves to be a full-time resident of Arkansas**. Additional facts to be considered in establishing proof of current Arkansas residency are:

- (1) **Possession of a valid current Arkansas issued Driver's License or Arkansas issued I.D. card.**
- (2) **Possession of a valid Arkansas vehicle registration in their name and displaying current Arkansas license tags on their vehicle.**
- (3) **Other documentation may be taken into consideration to verify proof of Arkansas residency.**

Possession of Arkansas real estate **and/or proof of payment of associated services or utilities do not qualify the owner/renter as a resident if they live out of state.**

EXCEPTIONS:

- (A) The following students, carrying proof of full-time enrollment in schools, colleges or universities while hunting or fishing in Arkansas,
are eligible to purchase **annual or trip** resident license **privileges**:
 - (1) Residents of Arkansas enrolled as full-time students in colleges and universities outside of Arkansas.
 - (2) Non-residents enrolled as full-time students in colleges and universities in Arkansas.
 - (3) Non-resident foreign exchange students attending school in Arkansas.
 - (4) Resident foreign exchange students attending school outside of Arkansas.

- (B) **The following military personnel are eligible to purchase annual or trip resident license privileges:**
- (1) **Active-duty military personnel assigned to duty stations in Arkansas.**
 - (2) Active-duty military personnel who were Arkansas residents at the time of entering service, regardless of where currently stationed.
 - (3) **Non-Residents Guardsmen who are assigned to an Arkansas Unit of the National Guard.**
- (C) Proof of at least one (1) year residency must be provided when applying for the following licenses:
\$1,000 Sportsman's permit, Resident Disabled 3-Year Licenses, Special Guide License, Alligator Farmer/Dealer Permit, Alligator Snapping Turtle Breeder/Dealer Permit, Commercial Fisherman's Permit & Sportfishing License, Commercial Fisherman's Helper Permit, Junior/Senior Commercial Fishing Permit, Resident Shell Taker/Seller Permit, Shell Taker Helper Permit, Shell Buyer, Resident Fish Dealer, Resident Roe Taker/Seller Permit, Resident Roe Taker Helper Permit and Resident Roe Buyer/Exporter Permit.
- (D) Proof of at least three (3) years residency must be provided when applying for the following licenses: 65 Plus Lifetime License. The Director or his representative shall make the final determination as to the resident status of any license applicant.