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Re: CR 25-09, Mountain Lion Hunting Season

Dear Commissioners and Director Jenne:

On behalf of Safari Club International, I would like to thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed CR 25-09, Mountain Lion Hunting Season.

The proposed CR 25-09, Mountain Lion Hunting Season generally demonstrates responsible and sustainable management of mountain lions while maintaining high levels of opportunity for hunters. SCI believes that sound science-based conservation involving hunting as the primary management tool, while maximizing opportunities for all huntable species, including carnivores such as mountain lions, is necessary to the long-term health of wildlife. Hunters have long paid the way for conservation, both game and non-game wildlife and maximizing opportunity for hunting is also key to long-term funding for all conservation.

Thank you again for the opportunity to comment on the proposed CR 25-09, Mountain Lion Hunting Season. SCI is dedicated to protecting the freedom to hunt and we appreciate the continued partnership with the Department and the Commission. SCI is always first for hunters.

Sincerely,

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