GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA SESSION 2007

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HOUSE BILL 632

Sponsors:Representatives Lucas and Lewis (Primary Sponsors).Referred to:Wildlife Resources.

March 14, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 2 AN ACT TO PERMIT THE TAKING OF FOXES AND COYOTES BY TRAPPING3 IN CUMBERLAND AND HARNETT COUNTIES.
- 4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, there is an open 6 season for taking foxes and coyotes by trapping from December 1 through February 20 7 of each year. During this season, all leghold traps set on dry land with solid anchor 8 shall have at least three swivels in the trap chain and no leghold traps larger than size 9 one and one-half may be used.

10 **SECTION 2.** A season bag limit of 10 applies in the aggregate to all foxes 11 taken during the trapping season established in this act. No bag limit applies to coyotes 12 taken under this act.

SECTION 3. The Wildlife Resources Commission shall provide for the sale
of foxes taken lawfully pursuant to this act.

SECTION 4. This act applies only to Cumberland and Harnett Counties.

16 **SECTION 5.** This act becomes effective October 1, 2007, and expires on 17 September 30, 2010.

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