Requirements for Certain Hunting, Fishing, and Furharvesting Licenses; SB 451

SB 451 removes a requirement for which a Kansas resident must provide satisfactory proof that the person is at least 1/16 Indian by blood for purposes of receiving a free, permanent license to hunt, fish, and furharvest in the state.

The bill also changes the definition of "federally recognized tribe," for purposes of the bill, to an Indian tribe that appears on the list of Indian tribes published by the Secretary of the Interior, in accordance with the Federally Recognized Indian Tribe List Act of 1994.

[Note: The bill retains an additional requirement, that a person must maintain enrollment on a tribal membership roll maintained by a federally recognized tribe.]