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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 253.095, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to state parks.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 253.095, RSMo, is repealed and one new section 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 253.095, to read as follows:

253.095. In order to further the interpretive or educational functions of Missouri state parks, the director of the Missouri department of natural resources is authorized to enter into agreements with private, not-for-profit organizations that are organized [solely] to provide cooperative, interpretive, facility enhancement, or educational services to any one Missouri state park. The director may provide state park facility space and incidental staff support to such an organization under a cooperative agreement. Any such agreement shall include documentation submitted to the department demonstrating the fiscal, interpretive, educational, and facility enhancement benefits to the state, and the organization shall agree, as part of the cooperative agreement, to reimburse the department for the 11 actual costs of such space and staff support. Net proceeds received from 12the sale of publications or other materials and services provided by [an] a 13 14 cooperative organization pursuant to such an agreement entered into under this 15 section shall be retained by the organization for use in the interpretive or 16 educational services provided [to such park that the organization is designated 17 to serve] in state parks.

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