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Lake George Drainage Resident Registration Goat Hunt Closes

(Anchorage) – Resident registration permit hunt RG869 for mountain goats in the Lake George area of Game Management Unit 14C will close at one minute before midnight on October 8, 2014, by emergency order of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game.

Twelve goat units have been harvested out of a quota of 13 goat units for RG869, and additional hunters remain in the field. Total goat units are calculated using one unit for billies and two units for nannies. The take of no more than 20 goat units is consistent with the goal of maintaining appropriate population levels in this hunt area. Seven goat units are allotted to nonresident hunters, and 13 goat units are allotted to resident hunters.

To avoid exceeding the resident quota, RG869 is being closed. All other goat hunts in GMU 14C are unaffected by the emergency order. For more information concerning this closure, contact Anchorage Area Wildlife Biologist Jessy Coltrane at (907) 267-2811.

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