
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY GODSHALL, FEE, SURRA, STABACK, LEVDANSKY, BROWN,
TIGUE, MERRY, DERMODY, SCHULER, GORDNER, ZUG, GANNON, CAWLEY,
WOZNIAK, PLATTS, HUTCHINSON, TRELLO, KASUNIC AND HANNA,
MARCH 23, 1994

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 23, 1994

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, permitting Sunday hunting for coyotes and Sunday
3 hunting on noncommercial regulated hunting grounds.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 2303 of Title 34 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 2303. Hunting on Sunday prohibited.

9 (a) General rule.--Except as otherwise provided in this
10 title, it is unlawful for any person to hunt for any furbearer
11 or game on Sunday.

12 (b) Construction of section.--This section shall not be
13 construed to prohibit:

14 (1) The training of dogs.

15 (2) The participation in dog trials as provided for in
16 this title.

17 (3) The removal of lawfully taken game or wildlife from

traps or the resetting of the traps on Sunday.

(b.1) [Exception.--Subsection (a) shall not apply to the hunting of foxes] Exceptions.--Subsection (a) shall not apply to:

(1) The hunting of foxes.

(2) The hunting of coyotes.

(3) Any hunting which occurs on noncommercial regulated hunting grounds holding a valid permit under section 2928(b)(2) (relating to regulated hunting grounds permits).

(c) Penalty.--A violation of this section is a summary offense of the fifth degree.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.