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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 623 Session of  
2013

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INTRODUCED BY CORMAN, FONTANA, ALLOWAY, EICHELBERGER, WOZNIAK,  
BAKER, WAUGH, TEPLITZ, RAFFERTY, WHITE, SCHWANK, BREWSTER,  
SMITH, BOSCOLA, SOLOBAY, ROBBINS, KASUNIC, FOLMER,  
McILHINNEY, HUTCHINSON, COSTA, ERICKSON, GORDNER, VULAKOVICH,  
MENSCH AND BRUBAKER, MARCH 6, 2013

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REFERRED TO GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 6, 2013

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further  
3 providing for license requirements and for unlawful acts  
4 concerning licenses.

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

7 Section 1. Sections 2701(a) and 2711(a.1) of Title 34 of the  
8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

9 § 2701. License requirements.

10 (a) General rule.--Except in defense of person or property  
11 or pursuant to exemptions authorized in this title or by  
12 regulation of the commission for implementing a mentored [youth]  
13 hunting program, every person, prior to engaging in any of the  
14 privileges granted by this title, shall first obtain the  
15 applicable license subject to any conditions or other  
16 requirements imposed by this title.

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1 § 2711. Unlawful acts concerning licenses.

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3 (a.1) Exemption.--For the sole purpose of implementing and  
4 enhancing a mentored [youth] hunting program within this  
5 Commonwealth, the commission may establish regulations exempting  
6 certain limited [youth] hunting activities from the prohibitions  
7 specified in subsection (a)(1), (3), (5) and (8). Such exemption  
8 shall include a provision limiting a mentored [youth] person  
9 participating in a mentored [youth] hunting program to the  
10 receipt of no more than one antlerless deer license in each  
11 license year.

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13 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.