THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2430 Session of 1992

INTRODUCED BY HASAY, STABACK, STEIGHNER, KASUNIC, F. TAYLOR, KRUSZEWSKI, MERRY, BROWN, GODSHALL, GRUITZA, WAMBACH, PESCI, HALUSKA, KOSINSKI, SERAFINI, GRUPPO, STISH AND WOZNIAK, MARCH 9, 1992

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 9, 1992

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, removing the requirement that the fishing license
- 3 be displayed.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 2703 of Title 30 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 2703. Possession [and display] of licenses.
- 9 (a) General rule. -- No person shall fish in any of the waters
- 10 of this Commonwealth or in any boundary waters without first
- 11 procuring the proper license required by this chapter. The
- 12 license shall be kept about the person while fishing and shown
- 13 upon the request of any waterways patrolman or other officer
- 14 designated by the commission. In addition to showing the license
- 15 to the officer, the holder thereof shall, upon demand, establish
- 16 his further identity to the satisfaction of the officer by
- 17 producing some other positive means of identification. [The

- 1 commission may promulgate rules and regulations for the
- 2 displaying of the license certificate, license button or other
- 3 device, as it deems necessary.]
- 4 (b) Penalties.--
- 5 [(1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), any] Any
- 6 person who violates this section commits a summary offense of
- 7 the third degree.
- 8 [(2) Any person who violates any regulation concerning
- 9 the displaying of the license certificate, button or other
- device promulgated under this section commits a summary
- offense of the fourth degree.]
- 12 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.