AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 1166

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1	Amend Bill, page 1, line 3, by inserting after "commission"
2	and for accountability
3	Amend Bill, page 1, line 3, by striking out "and,"
4	Amend Bill, page 1, line 5, by inserting after "fees"
5	; and making an editorial change
6	Amend Bill, page 1, lines 16 through 19; page 2, lines 1
7	through 8; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and
8	inserting
9	(14) Following submission of the analysis required under
10	section 328(f) (relating to accountability), establish fees
11	for licenses as follows:
12	(i) The commission shall publish a notice of
13	proposed rulemaking containing the proposed fee change in
14	accordance with section 201 of the act of July 31, 1968
15	(P.L.769, No.240), referred to as the Commonwealth
16	Documents Law. The commission shall give at least 30 days
17	for the submission of written comments and shall hold at
18	least one public hearing on the proposed change.
19	(ii) Prior to adoption of a final-form regulation
20	containing a fee change, the commission shall review and
21	consider any public comments and may modify the text of
22	the final-form regulation as it deems necessary under
23	section 202 of the Commonwealth Documents Law.
24	(iii) After adoption of a final-form regulation
25	containing a fee change, the commission shall submit the
26	final-form regulation, copies of all public comments and
27	the transcript of the public hearing to the Game and
28	Fisheries Committee of the Senate and the Game and
29	Fisheries Committee of the House of Representatives.
30	(iv) Either committee under subparagraph (iii) may
31	report a concurrent resolution recommending disapproval
32	of the fee change within 30 days of the submission under
33	subparagraph (iii). If neither committee reports a

1 concurrent resolution recommending disapproval within the time prescribed in this subparagraph, the fee change 2 3 shall be deemed approved. 4 (v) If either committee reports a concurrent 5 resolution under subparagraph (iv) and the General Assembly does not adopt it within 30 days of the date on 6 7 which the concurrent resolution is reported, the fee 8 change shall be deemed approved. 9 (vi) If the General Assembly adopts a concurrent resolution under subparagraph (iv) within 30 days of the 10 11 date on which the concurrent resolution is reported, the 12 following shall apply: (A) The concurrent resolution shall be presented 13 to the Governor in accordance with section 9 of 14 15 Article III of the Constitution of Pennsylvania. (B) If the Governor does not veto the concurrent 16 resolution of the General Assembly within 10 days 17 18 after it is presented, the fee change shall be deemed 19 disapproved. 20 (C) If the Governor vetoes the concurrent resolution within 10 days after it is presented, the 21 22 General Assembly may, within 30 days of the veto, 23 override the veto by a two-thirds vote in each house. 24 If the General Assembly does not override the veto in the time prescribed in this clause, the fee change 25 shall be deemed approved. If the General Assembly 26 overrides the veto in the time prescribed in this 27 28 clause, the fee change shall be deemed disapproved. 29 (vii) If the fee change is deemed approved under subparagraph (iv), subparagraph (v) or subparagraph (vi) 30 31 (C), the commission shall: 32 (A) submit the final-form regulation containing 33 the fee change to the Office of Attorney General for approval as to legality; and 34 (B) publish an order adopting the final-form 35 36 regulation containing the fee change and deposit the text of the order with the Legislative Reference 37 38 Bureau in accordance with section 207 of the 39 Commonwealth Documents Law. (viii) Except for this subparagraph, this paragraph 40 shall expire July 15, 2019. Upon expiration, final-form 41 42 regulations promulgated under subparagraph (vi) (B) shall 43 remain in effect. 44 Section 2. Section 328 of Title 34 is amended by adding a subsection to read: 45 46 § 328. Accountability. * * * 47 (f) Financial analysis. -- Prior to the establishment of fees 48 49 under section 322(c)(14) (relating to powers and duties of commission), the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee shall 50 51 prepare a financial analysis of fees, fines, penalties,

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royalties, Federal and State appropriations and other sources of
   revenue received by the commission and of expenditures,
   including annual operating costs, investments, land purchases
   and capital projects. To carry out the financial analysis under
   this section:
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           (1) The commission shall provide records, financial
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       statements and other documents reflecting the revenue and
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       expenditures subject to the analysis.
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           (2) The commission shall respond to inquiries and
      requests for information from the committee in a timely
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      manner.
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           (3) The Legislative Budget and Finance Committee shall
      include its most recent performance audit under section
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       522(b) (relating to appropriation and audit of moneys).
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           (4) The Legislative Budget and Finance Committee shall
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      complete the report within 90 days of the effective date of
      this subsection. The report shall be submitted to the
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       President pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the
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      House of Representatives. The report shall be public
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      information.
       Section 3. Section 2709 heading and (a) introductory
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   paragraph of Title 34 are amended, subsection (a) is amended by
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   adding paragraphs and the section is amended by adding a
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   subsection to read:
   § 2709. License [costs and] fees.
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       (a) License [costs.--Any] <u>fees.--Subject to subsections</u>
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   (a.1) and (c), any person who qualifies under the
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      Amend Bill, page 2, line 10, by inserting a bracket before
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   "costs"
      Amend Bill, page 2, line 11, by inserting after "fee"
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       ] fees
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      Amend Bill, page 2, lines 12 through 30; page 3, lines 1
   through 30; page 4, lines 1 through 8; by striking out all of
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   said lines on said pages and inserting
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           (23) Hunting and furtaking:
               (i) Senior nonresident hunting - to be set by
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          commission.
               (ii) Senior nonresident furtaker - to be set by
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          commission.
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               (iii) Senior nonresident combination hunting and
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           furtaker - to be set by commission.
          (24) Ultimate outdoorsman combination license, including
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      bear, archery, muzzleloader, furtaker, migratory game bird
      and special wild turkey:
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(i) Resident - to be set by commission. 1 (ii) Nonresident - to be set by commission. 2 3 (a.1) Fee setting.--4 (1) A fee set under subsection (a) (23) or (24) must be made under section 322(c)(14) (relating to powers and duties 5 6 of commission). 7 (2) A change in a fee under subsection (a) must be made under section 322(c)(14). 8 9 Section 4. Section 2712(b) of Title 34 is amended to read: 10 11 § 2712. Vouchers for licenses and permits. 12 13 Fees. -- A person purchasing a voucher shall pay the costs (b) for the type of license or permit being purchased and the 14 15 issuing agent fee as provided in sections 2709 (relating to license [costs and] fees) and 2904 (relating to permit fees). 16 17 18 Section 5. This act shall take effect as follows: (1) The following provisions shall take effect 19 20 immediately: The addition of 34 Pa.C.S. § 328(f). 21 (i) 22 (ii) This section. 23 The remainder of this act shall take effect in 90 (2) 24 days.