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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY CAUSER, KORTZ, RAPP, REED, EMRICK, CUTLER,  
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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 11, 2013

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, further providing for organization of commission.

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

5 Section 1. Section 301(a) and (c) of Title 34 of the  
6 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

7 § 301. Organization of commission.

8 (a) Composition.--The independent administrative commission  
9 known as the Pennsylvania Game Commission shall consist of eight  
10 competent citizens of this Commonwealth who shall be well  
11 informed on the subject of wildlife conservation and restoration  
12 and who shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the  
13 advice and consent of [two-thirds] a majority of the elected  
14 members of the Senate.

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16 (c) Term of office and compensation.--The members of the  
17 commission shall hold office for terms of [eight years each and

1 may continue to hold office for a period of time not to exceed  
2 six months or] four years and until a successor is appointed and  
3 qualified. [, whichever occurs first. A member of the commission  
4 appointed to fill a vacancy for a period of four years or less  
5 may be eligible for appointment to a full eight-year term. A  
6 member of the commission who serves a full eight-year term or  
7 fills a vacancy for a period of more than four years shall not  
8 be eligible for reappointment to the commission until a period  
9 of eight years expires.] Commissioners shall receive no  
10 compensation for their services, but may be reimbursed for  
11 travel expenses.

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