THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1914 Session of 2007

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, OCTOBER 16, 2007

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further
- 3 providing for resident license and fee exemptions.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 2706(f)(1) and (g)(1) of Title 34 of the
- 7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:
- 8 § 2706. Resident license and fee exemptions.
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- 10 (f) Pennsylvania National Guard hunting licenses. --
- 11 (1) Pennsylvania National Guard hunting licenses shall
- 12 be issued by the commission or county treasurer to any person
- otherwise eliqible for a resident hunting license in this
- 14 Commonwealth who provides documentation that within the

- 1 previous 24 months the person was deployed overseas as a
- 2 member of the Pennsylvania Army National Guard or Air
- 3 National Guard on active Federal service for a period of
- 4 [180] 60 consecutive days or more or was released early from
- 5 such service because of an injury or disease incurred in the
- 6 line of duty. Only one Pennsylvania National Guard hunting
- 7 license under this subsection may be issued for each
- 8 qualifying deployment of a person applying for the license.
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- 10 (g) Reserve component of armed forces hunting licenses.--
- 11 (1) Reserve component of the armed forces hunting
- 12 licenses shall be issued by the commission or county
- treasurer to any person otherwise eligible for a resident
- 14 hunting license in this Commonwealth who provides
- documentation that within the previous 24 months the person
- was deployed overseas as a member of the reserve component of
- the armed forces pursuant to 51 Pa.C.S. § 7301 (relating to
- definitions) for a period of [180] 60 consecutive days or
- 19 more or was released early from service because of an injury
- or disease incurred in the line of duty. Only one hunting
- license under this subsection may be issued for each
- 22 qualifying deployment of a person applying for the license.
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- 24 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.