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MEMORANDUM

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative Jim Cox

DATE: February 4, 2011

SUBJECT: Social Security Numbers on Hunting and Fishing License Applications

In the near future, I plan to introduce legislation that will eliminate the requirement for disclosure of social security numbers on hunting and fishing license applications.

Currently, the Pennsylvania Domestic Relations Code requires individuals to disclose their social security numbers on these types of applications. Consequently, individuals have expressed their concerns about the possibility of identity theft if such information is not properly safeguarded by licensing agents. Therefore, this legislation is being proposed to eliminate those concerns and to ensure the privacy and safeguarding of information.

If you are interested in cosponsoring this legislative proposal, please contact Jen Sellers at 772-2435 or via email at jeseller@pahousegop.com.