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TO: All Senators  
FROM: Senator Richard Alloway II *Rich*  
RE: Introduction of Legislation – Hunting License Decrease  
DATE: September 25, 2012

In the near future, I plan on introducing legislation regarding the reduction of the Pennsylvania Hunting License. This legislation will amend Title 34 (Game) providing for a decrease in the Pennsylvania Hunting License.

I am introducing this legislation because; I feel that during these tough economic times, many Pennsylvania residents rely on hunting to put food on their tables. A decrease in the hunting license will assist in a small way to help individuals provide for their families.

Additionally, hunting license sales have continuously plummeted over the past especially among youth hunters. I feel that the decrease in license fees may cause a spike in license sales.

And finally, the Pennsylvania Game Commission is making tens of millions of dollars on Marcellus Shale leases and royalties, and a reduction in the Pennsylvania hunting license will not cause an impact on the operations of the Pennsylvania Game Commission.

If you are interested in joining me in becoming a co-sponsor of this legislation, please contact Melissa Knepper at [mknepper@pasen.gov](mailto:mknepper@pasen.gov) or by phone at 772-2929.