

FOREST FIRES, PERSONS SETTING
Act of Jun. 14, 1923, P.L. 761, No. 300
AN ACT

Cl. 32

To authorize the Department of Forestry to offer and to pay rewards for evidence sufficient to convict anyone maliciously setting forest fire, and to authorize payment of such rewards to local forest fire wardens under certain conditions.

Compiler's Note: Section 302(h) of Act 18 of 1995, which created the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and renamed the Department of Environmental Resources as the Department of Environmental Protection, provided that the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources shall exercise the powers and duties conferred upon the Department of Forestry by Act 300 of 1923.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the Department of Forestry is authorized to offer and to pay rewards for evidence leading to the arrest and conviction of any person who maliciously sets fire to any woodlot, forest, or wild land. When such evidence is obtained by any local forest fire warden during time for which said warden shall not have been otherwise paid, the Department of Forestry is authorized to pay, from its appropriation, the amount of said reward to said fire warden.