
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 928 Session of
1993

INTRODUCED BY REBER, CORNELL, GODSHALL AND ARMSTRONG,
MARCH 24, 1993

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 24, 1993

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for nonresident and tourist
3 licenses and for limits on the trout and salmon permit fee.

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

6 Section 1. Sections 2702 and 2904 of Title 30 of the
7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

8 § 2702. Nonresident and tourist licenses.

9 (a) Nonresident licenses.--For the purposes of this chapter,
10 any person 16 years of age or older is entitled to a
11 "Nonresident Fishing License" if:

12 (1) He is not a bona fide resident of this Commonwealth.

13 (2) He has applied to an issuing agent or to the
14 commission.

15 (3) He has paid the issuing agent or the commission a
16 license fee of \$25 plus a service fee of 50¢ to the issuing
17 agent.

18 (b) Tourist licenses.--For the purposes of this chapter, any

1 person 16 years of age or older is entitled to a "Five-Day
2 Tourist Fishing License," valid for a period of five consecutive
3 days, if:

4 (1) He is not a bona fide resident of this Commonwealth.

5 (2) He has applied to an issuing agent or to the
6 commission.

7 (3) He has paid the issuing agent or the commission a
8 license fee of \$20 plus a service charge of 50¢ to the
9 issuing agent.

10 (c) Trout and salmon permit.--The fee for a trout and salmon
11 permit for a license issued under subsection (a) or (b) shall be
12 \$15.

13 § 2904. Permits for protection and management of particular
14 fish.

15 (a) General rule.--Except as provided in subsections (b) and
16 (c), the executive director, with the approval of the
17 commission, may require permits for the taking, catching,
18 killing, possession, introduction, removal, importing,
19 transporting, exporting or disturbing of fish when it is
20 determined that the permits may be needed to insure proper
21 protection and management of any species of fish. The commission
22 may establish fees for the issuance of permits and may
23 promulgate rules and regulations concerning the issuance and
24 provisions of the permits. Permits issued under this section may
25 be revoked at any time at the discretion of the commission.

26 (b) Limit on fees.--The commission shall not establish a fee
27 in excess of \$5 per permit for taking, catching, killing,
28 possession, introduction, removal, importing, exporting or
29 disturbing of trout and salmon.

30 (c) Limit on permits.--The commission shall not issue

1 permits under the authority of this section for the taking,
2 catching, killing, possession, introduction, removal, importing,
3 exporting or disturbing of any game fish other than trout or
4 salmon. This subsection shall not affect the issuance of permits
5 for tagged fish contests in boundary lakes.

6 (d) Exception.--The limit on fees imposed by subsection (b)
7 shall not apply to a trout and salmon permit issued with a
8 nonresident or tourist license under section 2702 (relating to
9 nonresident and tourist licenses).

10 Section 2. This act shall apply to trout and salmon permits
11 issued on or after January 1, 1994.

12 Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.