

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2787 Session of  
2000

INTRODUCED BY HALUSKA, SEPTEMBER 27, 2000

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, SEPTEMBER 27, 2000

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, further providing for the disposition of the  
3 proceeds from the special Lake Erie fishing permits.

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

6 Section 1. Section 2907.2(f) of Title 30 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 2907.2. Lake Erie fishing permits.

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10 (f) Proceeds from special permit.--The proceeds from the  
11 special permits issued under this section shall be deposited  
12 into a restricted account within the Fish Fund, which account  
13 shall be used for paying recompense to holders of gill net  
14 licenses for boundary lakes as provided in section 2903(h)  
15 (relating to gill nets) and for the costs of administering the  
16 recompense and special permit programs. The holders of gill net  
17 licenses shall have until March 31, 2001, and no later to accept  
18 the recompense payment calculated as provided in section

1 2903(h). The balance in the restricted account on June 30, 2001,  
2 shall be transferred to the Fish Fund and used to support  
3 programs that benefit the Lake Erie fisheries by acquisition of  
4 a new fisheries research vessel for Lake Erie.

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6 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.