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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 90 Session of  
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M. WHITE AND PIPPY, FEBRUARY 17, 2009

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REFERRED TO GAME AND FISHERIES, FEBRUARY 17, 2009

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), entitled,  
2 as reenacted, "An act providing for independent oversight and  
3 review of regulations, creating an Independent Regulatory  
4 Review Commission, providing for its powers and duties and  
5 making repeals," extending the scope of the act to the  
6 Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. The definition of "agency" in section 3 of the  
10 act of June 25, 1982 (P.L. 633, No. 181), known as the  
11 Regulatory Review Act, reenacted and amended June 30, 1989 (P.L.  
12 73, No.19), and amended June 25, 1997 (P.L.252, No.24) is  
13 amended to read:

14 Section 3. Definitions.

15 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall  
16 have, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the  
17 meanings given to them in this section:

18 "Agency." Any department, departmental administrative board  
19 or commission, independent board or commission, agency or other  
20 authority of this Commonwealth now existing or hereafter

1 created, but shall not include the Senate or the House of  
2 Representatives, [the Pennsylvania Fish Commission,] the  
3 Pennsylvania Game Commission or any court, political  
4 subdivision, municipal or local authority.

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6 Section 2. Beginning on the date specified in section 3(2)  
7 of this act, the amendment of the definition of "agency" in  
8 section 3 of the act shall apply to the following actions of the  
9 Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission:

10 (1) "Proposed regulations," as defined in section 3 of  
11 the act.

12 (2) "Final-omitted regulations," as defined in section 3  
13 of the act.

14 Section 3. This act shall take effect as follows:

15 (1) The following provisions shall take effect  
16 immediately:

17 (i) Section 2 of this act.

18 (ii) This section.

19 (2) The remainder of this act shall take effect in 60  
20 days.