
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 18, 2016

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, in Pennsylvania Game Commission, further providing
3 for powers and duties of commission; and, in hunting and
4 furtaking licenses, further providing for license costs and
5 fees.

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

8 Section 1. Section 322(c) of Title 34 of the Pennsylvania
9 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

10 § 322. Powers and duties of commission.

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12 (c) Specific powers and duties.--In order to administrate
13 and enforce this title, the commission through proper action
14 shall:

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16 (14) Establish fees for hunting and furtaking licenses.
17 This paragraph shall expire three years after the effective
18 date of this paragraph. No later than one year before the
19 expiration date of this paragraph, the Legislative Budget and

1 Finance Committee shall prepare a report that examines the
2 provisions of this paragraph. The report shall include
3 information pertaining to the amount of revenue received from
4 the fees collected and the number of licenses issued since
5 the effective date of this paragraph.

6 Section 2. Section 2709(a) of the act is amended to read:

7 § 2709. License costs and fees.

8 [(a) License costs.--Any person who qualifies under the
9 provisions of this chapter shall be issued the applicable
10 license upon payment of the following costs and the issuing
11 agent's fee:

12 (1) (i) Junior resident hunting - \$5.

13 (ii) Junior resident combination hunting and
14 furtaker - \$8.

15 (2) (i) Adult resident hunting - \$19.

16 (ii) Resident military personnel hunting - \$1.

17 (iii) Former prisoner of war hunting - \$1.

18 (iv) Pennsylvania National Guard hunting - \$1.

19 (v) Reserve component of the armed forces hunting -
20 \$1.

21 (3) (i) Senior resident hunting - \$12.

22 (ii) Senior lifetime resident hunting - \$50.

23 (iii) Senior lifetime resident combination hunting
24 and furtaker - \$100.

25 (4) Bear hunting:

26 (i) Resident - \$15.

27 (ii) Nonresident - \$35.

28 (5) Antlerless deer:

29 (i) Resident, including resident military, resident
30 disabled veteran and landowner - \$5.

- 1 (ii) Nonresident - \$25.
- 2 (6) Archery deer:
- 3 (i) Resident - \$15.
- 4 (ii) Nonresident - \$25.
- 5 (7) Muzzleloader deer:
- 6 (i) Resident - \$10.
- 7 (ii) Nonresident - \$20.
- 8 (8) (Reserved).
- 9 (9) Adult nonresident hunting - \$100.
- 10 (10) (i) Junior nonresident hunting - \$40.
- 11 (ii) Junior nonresident combination hunting and
- 12 furtaker - \$50.
- 13 (11) Seven-day nonresident small game - \$30.
- 14 (12) Junior resident furtakers - \$5.
- 15 (13) Adult resident furtakers - \$19.
- 16 (14) (i) Senior resident furtakers - \$12.
- 17 (ii) Senior lifetime resident furtaker - \$50.
- 18 (15) Adult nonresident furtaker - \$80.
- 19 (16) Junior nonresident furtaker - \$40.
- 20 (17) Resident disabled veteran hunting or furtaker under
- 21 section 2706(b) (relating to disabled veterans) - no cost.
- 22 (18) Replacement license - \$5. Antlerless deer and bear
- 23 licenses shall be replaced by the original issuing agent
- 24 only.
- 25 (19) Owners or possessors of land open to public hunting
- 26 under section 2706(d) (relating to owners or possessors of
- 27 land open to public hunting) - \$3.
- 28 (20) Migratory game bird hunting license:
- 29 (i) Resident - \$2.
- 30 (ii) Nonresident - \$5.

- 1 (21) Elk hunting license:
- 2 (i) Resident - \$25.
- 3 (ii) Nonresident - \$250.
- 4 (22) Special wild turkey license:
- 5 (i) Resident - \$20.
- 6 (ii) Nonresident - \$40.]

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8 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.