
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2070 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY HANNA, THOMAS, GROVE, MAHONEY AND MCCLINTON,
MAY 16, 2016

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, MAY 16, 2016

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, in hunting and furtaking, further providing for
3 unlawful acts concerning taking of furbearers.

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

6 Section 1. Section 2361(a)(8) of Title 34 of the
7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 2361. Unlawful acts concerning taking of furbearers.

9 (a) General prohibitions.--Except as otherwise provided in
10 this title, it is unlawful for any person to:

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12 (8) Use a pole trap, deadfall, poison, explosive,
13 chemical, leg-hold trap with teeth on the jaws or with a jaw
14 spread exceeding six and one-half inches, except for beaver
15 leg-hold traps that would be completely submerged underwater
16 and do not have a jaw spread exceeding seven and three-
17 fourths inches, or any device prohibited by regulation of the
18 commission.

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