

No. 1980-7

AN ACT

HB 367

Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1225, No.316), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," repealing the bonding requirement of deputy game protectors.

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

Section 1. Section 208, act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1225, No.316), known as "The Game Law," is amended to read:

Section 208. Deputy Game Protectors.—The commission may appoint competent men throughout the Commonwealth, to be known as deputy game protectors, in such numbers as the commission may deem necessary, who shall possess the rights and powers given by law to game protectors, and be subject to all requirements and regulations, either of the law or of rules of the commission, controlling the action of such game protectors.

Such deputy game protectors shall not be entitled to recompense for either time or expenses incurred in the performance of their duties unless specifically employed for special duties by written order of the executive director, in which the rate of compensation and allowance for expenses shall be stipulated. The commission shall from time to time fix the rate of compensation for such services.

Any deputy game protector while not specifically employed in writing for special duties, as above stipulated, shall be entitled to collect such fees as are now, or may hereafter be, paid to constables, to be assessed and collected as costs of prosecution, for services legally rendered in the performance of any duties in the enforcement of the several provisions of this act.

[All deputy game protectors shall give a bond in the amount of three hundred dollars.]

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 15th day of February, A. D. 1980.

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