WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
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ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 316
(By Mr. Mullar)

PASSED March 9, 1963
In Effect July 1, 1963

Filed in Office of the Secretary of State
of West Virginia 3-15-63
JOE F. BURDETT
SECRETARY OF STATE
AN ACT to amend and reenact section thirteen, article two, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to importation and liberation of wildlife and imposing penalties.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section thirteen, article two, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 13. Importation and Liberation of Wildlife.—No person shall transport into or have in his possession within this state for purposes of liberation, or liberate within this state, any live wildlife from without the state, except as authorized by a permit from the director: Provided,
That the director shall not be authorized to issue a permit
to any person to transport into this state for the purpose
of liberation, or to liberate within this state, any foxes,
either red (Vulpes fulva) or gray (Urocyon cinereoargenteus), or coyote (Canis latrans). The director may
issue at his direction such permit as he is authorized to
issue, fix the term thereof and revoke it at his pleasure:
Provided, however, That such permits may be issued to
duly organized clubs having twenty-five or more members
in the counties of Wyoming, Wayne and McDowell.
Any person violating any of the provisions of this sec-
tion concerning foxes and coyotes shall be guilty of a mis-
demeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall for each
offense be fined not less than one hundred nor more than
three hundred dollars, or confined in jail not less than
ten nor more than one hundred days, or be both fined and
imprisoned within the limitations aforesaid.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect July 1, 1963 passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 14th day of March, 1963.

Governor