WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1967

ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 134

(By Mr. [Signature])

PASSED February 13, 1967

In Effect January 1, 1968

FILED IN THE OFFICE
ROBERT D. BAILEY
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE 2/20/67
AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty, article two, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the trapping of beaver.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section twenty, 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:

ARTICLE 2. GAME AND FISH.


No person shall at any time:

2 (1) Set or maintain more than the number of beaver
traps, or groups of beaver traps, established as the season
limit in any one year by the director;
(2) Set any traps for beaver within fifteen feet of the
water line on the structure of any beaver house;
(3) Have in his possession an untagged beaver hide,
or part thereof, within the period beginning thirty days
after the end of the open season and ending with the first
day of the next succeeding open season for beavers; and
(4) Destroy, disturb, or in any manner interfere with
dams, houses or burrows of beavers while trapping for or
attempting to trap for beavers.
If any person shall unintentionally trap and kill more
beavers than fixed by regulations as the season bag limit,
he shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, deliver
said beaver or beavers to a conservation officer.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that
the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

William Tempo
Chairman Senate Committee

Clayton P. D-descotte
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

To take effect January 1, 1968.

J. Howard Meyer
Clerk of the Senate

A. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard W. Carson
President of the Senate

H. Haben White
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 18

day of February, 1967.

Lucile C. Smith
Governor