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HOUSE BILL No. 1406

(By Mr. Shiflet & Mr. Ballouz)

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Passed March 8, 1982

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AN ACT to amend and reenact sections forty-three and forty-six, article two, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to nonresident hunting and fishing licenses; fees for hunting bears.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That sections forty-three and forty-six, 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. WILDLIFE RESOURCES.

§20-2-43. Class E, Class EE, Class F, Class G and Class H licenses for nonresidents.

1 A Class E license shall be a nonresident hunting license
2 and shall entitle the licensee to hunt all game in all counties
3 of the state, except when other licenses or permits are re-
4 quired. It shall be issued only to citizens of the United States
5 and to unnaturalized persons who possess the permit referred
6 to in section twenty-nine of this article who are not residents
7 of this state. The fee therefor shall be fifty dollars.

8 A Class EE license shall be a nonresident bear hunting
9 license and shall entitle the licensee to hunt bear in all
10 counties of the state on and after the first day of July, one

11 thousand nine hundred eighty-two. It shall be issued only
12 to citizens of the United States and to unnaturalized persons
13 who possess the permit referred to in section twenty-nine
14 of this article who are not residents of this state. The fee
15 therefor shall be one hundred dollars.

16 A Class F license shall be a nonresident fishing license
17 and shall entitle the licensee to fish for all fish, except trout,
18 in all counties of the state. It shall be issued only to citizens
19 of the United States and to unnaturalized persons who possess
20 the permit referred to in section twenty-nine of this article
21 who are not residents of this state. The fee therefor shall
22 be twenty dollars.

23 Trout fishing is not permitted with a Class F license
24 unless such license has affixed thereto an appropriate trout
25 stamp as prescribed by the department of natural resources.

26 A Class G license shall be a family fishing license and
27 shall entitle the licensee and members of his family to fish
28 within the territorial limits of state parks and state forests
29 and in the waters of streams bounding same, for a distance
30 of not to exceed one hundred yards from the exterior boundary
31 of any state park or state forest, for a period not to exceed one
32 week. It may be issued to any adult resident or nonresident
33 who is temporarily residing in any state park or forest as tenant
34 or lessee of the state. The fee therefor shall be six dollars for
35 the head of the family, plus one dollar additional for each
36 member of his family to whom the privileges of such license
37 are extended. Class G licenses may be issued in such manner
38 and under such regulations as the director may see fit to
39 prescribe.

40 Trout fishing is not permitted with a Class G license
41 unless such license has affixed thereto an appropriate trout
42 stamp as prescribed by the department of natural resources.
43 The trout stamp must be affixed to the license of the head of
44 the family only.

45 A Class H license shall be a nonresident small game hunting
46 license and shall entitle the licensee to hunt small game in all
47 counties of the state for a period of six days beginning with the

48 date it is issued. It shall be issued only to citizens of the United
49 States who are not residents of this state. The fee therefor shall
50 be ten dollars. As used in this section, "small game" means all
51 game except bear, deer, wild turkey and wild boar.

**§20-2-46. Class L nonresident statewide bow and arrow hunting
and fishing license; Class LL nonresident state-wide
bow and arrow bear hunting license.**

1 A Class L license shall be a nonresident bow and arrow
2 hunting and fishing license and shall entitle the licensee to
3 employ a long bow and arrow in taking game, fish and frogs
4 in all counties of the state. It shall be issued only to citizens
5 of the United States who are not residents of this state. The
6 fee therefor shall be fifteen dollars.

7 A Class LL license shall be a nonresident bow and arrow
8 bear hunting license and shall entitle the licensee to employ
9 a long bow in hunting bear in all counties of the state. It
10 shall be issued only to citizens of the United States who are
11 nonresidents of this state. The fee therefor shall be one
12 hundred dollars.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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Chairman Senate Committee

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Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect January 1, 1983.

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Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates
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President of the Senate

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Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 29
day of March, 1982.

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Governor

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