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HOUSE BILL No. 2725

(By Del. Love & Whitt)

Passed April 8, 1989

In Effect Ninety Days from Passage
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H. B. 2725
(BY DELEGATES LOVE AND WHITT)

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section thirty, article two, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to wildlife resources; making a false application for a license unlawful.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section thirty, 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.

§20-2-30. Application and statement of eligibility for licenses; procuring license in violation of chapter.

1 It shall be the duty of every person who makes application for or procures any class of license for himself or another to inform correctly the issuing authority that the applicant is eligible and fulfills the prerequisites of this chapter in respect to age, citizenship and residence which are necessary to entitle such person to have and hold the class of license applied for.

2 In the case of an alien, the applicant shall produce the permit issued by the director. The possession of any class of license by any licensee shall presume that such licensee or his agent has duly informed the issuing authority that the licensee in question was eligible to
have, hold and procure the class of license so issued. It shall be unlawful for any person to make false application for or procure a license in violation of the provisions of this chapter. It shall not be necessary for the state to prove, in any proceeding for an offense hereunder, that false statements were or were not made, if it be established that the licensee possessed a class of license he was not entitled to possess, or the license procured by the offender for another was of a class the licensee was not entitled to possess.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Frederic H. Weeks  
Chairman Senate Committee

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Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

H. C. skillet  
Clerk of the Senate

Donald H. Kopp  
Clerk of the House of Delegates

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Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 26th day of April, 1989.

Mason Caperton  
Governor