

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 916 Session of 2024

INTRODUCED BY LANGERHOLC, LAUGHLIN, VOGEL, CULVER, DUSH,  
J. WARD, COSTA, BROWN AND MILLER, APRIL 5, 2024

REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 5, 2024

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in registration of vehicles, providing for  
3 Pennsylvania Sportsman plate and establishing the Youth  
4 Hunting and Fishing Restricted Account.

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

7 Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
8 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

9 § 1355.2. Pennsylvania Sportsman plate.

10 (a) Design.--No later than 60 days after the effective date  
11 of this section, the department, in consultation with the  
12 Pennsylvania Game Commission and the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat  
13 Commission, shall design a special Pennsylvania Sportsman  
14 registration plate.

15 (b) Application.--Upon application by any person and payment  
16 of a \$40 fee, which shall be in addition to the registration  
17 fee, the department shall issue a Pennsylvania Sportsman  
18 registration plate to the person.

19 (c) Limitation on gross weight.--The special registration

1 plate may be used only on a passenger car or truck with a  
2 registered gross weight of not more than 14,000 pounds.

3 (d) Youth Hunting and Fishing Restricted Account.--

4 (1) The Youth Hunting and Fishing Restricted Account is  
5 established in the State Treasury. The money in the  
6 restricted account is appropriated on a continuing basis to  
7 the Pennsylvania Game Commission and Pennsylvania Fish and  
8 Boat Commission as provided under this subsection.

9 (2) The sum of \$14 of each fee collected under  
10 subsection (b) shall be deposited in the Youth Hunting and  
11 Fishing Restricted Account.

12 (3) The money in the Youth Hunting and Fishing  
13 Restricted Account shall be allocated as follows:

14 (i) Fifty percent of the money in the restricted  
15 account shall be allocated to the Pennsylvania Game  
16 Commission for the purpose of conducting activities that  
17 promote youth hunter education.

18 (ii) Fifty percent of the money in the restricted  
19 account shall be allocated to the Pennsylvania Fish and  
20 Boat Commission for the purpose of conducting activities  
21 that promote youth fishing education.

22 (4) The Pennsylvania Game Commission and the  
23 Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission may not use money  
24 allocated to them under this subsection for salaries or  
25 administrative expenses.

26 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.