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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 495 Session of  
2023

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INTRODUCED BY SMITH, ZIMMERMAN, BENHAM, OBERLANDER, JAMES,  
RADER, MERCURI, PROBST, ROWE, HAMM, GUENST, COOK, STEELE,  
CABELL, ARMANINI, D'ORSIE AND RYNCAVAGE, MARCH 17, 2023

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISHERIES, MARCH 17, 2023

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in game or wildlife protection, further providing  
3 for regulations.

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

6 Section 1. Section 2102 of Title 34 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:

8 § 2102. Regulations.

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10 (b.1) Regular antlered deer hunting season.--Notwithstanding  
11 any provision of law or regulation, the regular antlered deer  
12 hunting season shall open on the first Monday following  
13 Thanksgiving.

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15 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.