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AN ACT to amend and reenact section forty-six-j, article two, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to Class V resident and Class VV nonresident muzzle-loading deer hunting licenses; and adding open sites and telescopic sites.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That section forty-six-j, 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.**

#### **§20-2-46j. Class V resident and Class VV nonresident muzzle-loading deer hunting licenses.**

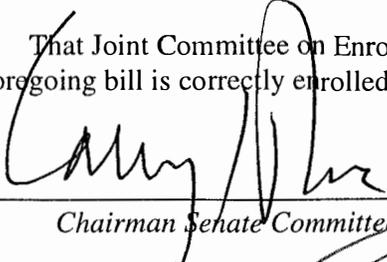
1 A Class V license shall be a resident muzzle-loading deer  
2 hunting license. A Class VV license shall be nonresident  
3 muzzle-loading deer hunting license. A Class V and VV license

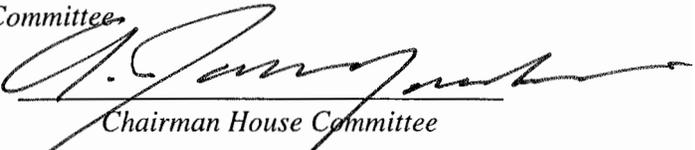
4 shall entitle the licensee to hunt for and kill deer with a muzzle-  
5 loader during muzzle-loading deer seasons in counties of the  
6 state, or parts thereof, excluding Logan, McDowell, Mingo and  
7 Wyoming counties, as established by the natural resources  
8 commission in section seventeen, article one of this chapter.  
9 The director shall establish rules governing the issuance of  
10 Class V and Class VV licenses as necessary to limit, on a fair  
11 and equitable basis, the number of persons who may muzzle-  
12 loader hunt for deer in any special management area. There  
13 shall be a season of at least three days each year for the taking  
14 of deer with muzzle-loading firearms, either rifles or pistols.

15 Only single shot muzzle-loading firearms with open sights  
16 or telescopic sites having a bore diameter of no less than  
17 thirty-eight one-hundredths inch are legal firearms for the  
18 taking of deer during the muzzle-loading deer season provided  
19 herein.

20 The licenses shall be issued in a form prescribed by the  
21 director, are in addition to a Class A, Class AB or Class E  
22 license and are valid only when accompanied thereby. The fee  
23 for the Class V license shall be five dollars. The fee for the  
24 Class VV license shall be twenty-five dollars.

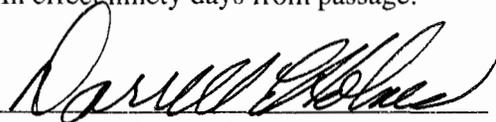
That Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

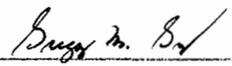
  
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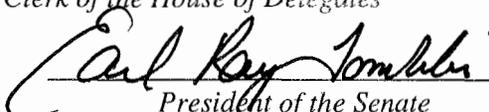
  
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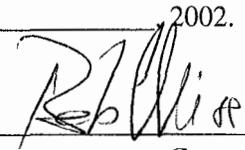
  
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President of the Senate

  
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Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within <sup>is</sup> approved \_\_\_\_\_ this the 3  
day of April \_\_\_\_\_, 2002.

  
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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 3/27/02

Time 10:00am