

tenced to pay a fine of not more than [twenty-five dollars (\$25)] one hundred dollars (\$100) and in default of the payment of the fine and costs shall be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than ten (10) days.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 23d day of July, A. D. 1965.

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No. 134

AN ACT

HB 284

Amending the act of December 15, 1959 (P. L. 1779), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to fish, frogs, tadpoles and turtles; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth," fixing minimum length for striped bass or rock fish.

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

Section 1. Section 30, act of December 15, 1959 (P. L. 1779), known as "The Fish Law of 1959," is amended to read:

Section 30. Legal Sizes.—No person shall have in possession, except as in this article otherwise provided:

- (a) Any species of trout, less than six inches in length.
- (b) Small mouth bass or large mouth bass, less than nine inches in length.
- (b.1) Striped bass or rock fish, less than eighteen inches in length.
- (c) Walleye, less than twelve inches in length.
- (d) Pickerel, less than fifteen inches in length.
- (e) Muskellunge and northern pike, less than twenty-two inches in length.

(f) The foregoing parts of this section shall be effective except where the Commission, by regulation, shall otherwise provide as a result of a determination by it that modification is desirable from a fish management standpoint, in which event, the Commission's regulation shall prevail.

APPROVED—The 23d day of July, A. D. 1965.

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