

No. 43

## AN ACT

Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1225), entitled "An act concerning game and other wild birds and wild animals; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," changing the definition of "unprotected birds" to exclude hawks in a certain area for a portion of each year.

## The Game Law.

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

## Section 101, act of June 3, 1937, P. L. 1225, amended.

Section 1. The term "unprotected birds" in section 101, act of June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1225), known as "The Game Law," is amended to read:

## Definitions.

Section 101. Definitions.—Whenever used in this act, unless a contrary intention is evident from the context, the word "person" shall include individuals, copartnerships, associations, and corporations; the singular shall include the plural, and the masculine, and feminine and neuter. The word "each" shall include the whole or any substantial part or parts.

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## Unprotected birds.

Except as modified by the resolutions of the commission, the term "unprotected birds" shall include: (a) the blue jay, (b) the English sparrow, (c) the European starling, (d) the kingfisher, (e) [the goshawk (f) the sharpshinned hawk (g) the Cooper's hawk (h)] the great horned owl, [(i)] (f) the snowy owl [and] [(j)], (g) the crow, and (h) *except during the months of September and October of each year, the goshawk, the sharpshinned hawk and the Cooper's hawk, which shall be deemed "protected birds" during said period within that eastern portion of the Commonwealth bounded and described as follows:*

## Description.

*Beginning at Easton, Pennsylvania, and extending in a southwesterly direction along U. S. Highway Route No. 22 to the Susquehanna River at Harrisburg; thence extending in a northerly direction along the Susquehanna River and the west branch thereof to a point where State Route No. 405 transversed said river at Muncy, Pennsylvania; thence in a northeasterly direction along State Route No. 405 to Hughesville, Pennsylvania; thence extending in an easterly direction along State Route No. 115 to the junction of State Route No. 29 at Pikes Creek, Pennsylvania; thence in a northerly direction along State Route No. 29 to the Pennsylvania State Line; thence in an easterly direction and thence in a southerly direction along the Pennsylvania State Line to Easton, Pennsylvania, the point of beginning.*

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APPROVED—The 6th day of May, A. D. 1957.

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