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AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to allowing live restraint cable devices for the trapping of animals

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivision 5 of section 11-1101 of the environmental conservation law is amended to read as follows:

5. Except as provided in subdivision 1 or 2 of section 11-0523 with respect to destructive and menacing wildlife, no person shall (a) set or use a trap of the leg-gripping type having teeth in the jaws; (b) set a trap so that wildlife when caught is suspended; (c) use, locate or set a snare or a device consisting of a noose of any material whereby an animal may be taken, EXCEPT LIVE RESTRAINT CABLE DEVICES, MAY BE USED TO CAPTURE WILDLIFE PURSUANT TO REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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