STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

February 16, 2017

Introduced by M. of A. BRABENEC, FRIEND -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to allowing the use of rifles for hunting in Rockland county

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Item (i) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law, as amended by chapter 73 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:

(i) The counties of Allegany, Cattaraugus, Cayuga, Chautauqua except that portion of the county north of route 20, Chemung, Chenango, Herkimer, Madison, Montgomery, Oneida, Oswego, Otsego, **Rockland,** Schoharie, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga, Wyoming, Seneca and Yates and that portion of the county of Broome east of the Susquehanna river	Deer, the first Monday after November 15 through first Tuesday after December 7	Pistol, shotgun, crossbow, muzzle loading firearm, rifle or long bow only

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

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§ 2. Item (i) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law, as amended by section 14 of part EE of chapter 55 of the laws of 2014, is amended to read as follows:

(i) The counties of Allegany, Cattaraugus, Cayuga, Chautauqua except that portion of the county north of route 20, Chemung, Chenango, Herkimer, Madison, Montgomery, Oneida, Oswego, Otsego, **Rockland,** Schoharie, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga, Wyoming and Yates and that portion of the county of Broome east of the Susquehanna river	Deer, the first Monday after November 15 through first Tuesday after December 7	Pistol, shotgun, crossbow, muzzle loading firearm, rifle or long bow only

§ 3. Item (i) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law, as amended by section 15 of part EE of chapter 55 of the laws of 2014, is amended to read as follows:

(i) The counties of Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua except that portion of the county north of route 20, Chenango, Herkimer, Montgomery, Oneida, Oswego, Otsego, **Rockland,** Schoharie, Tioga and Wyoming and that portion of the county of Broome east of the Susquehanna river	Deer and bear, the first Monday after November 15 through first Tuesday after December 7	Pistol, shotgun, crossbow, muzzle loading firearm, rifle or long bow only

§ 4. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that:

a. the amendments to item (i) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law made by section one of this act shall not affect the expiration of such item when upon such date the provisions of section two of this act shall take effect; and

b. the amendments to item (i) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law made by section two of this act shall not affect the expiration of such paragraph, when upon such date the provisions of section three of this act shall take effect.