

STATE OF NEW YORK

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

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to prohibiting the use of lead ammunition in the taking of wildlife on state-owned land; and requires DEC to promulgate rules and regulations prohibiting the use of lead ammunition in the taking of wildlife on New York City watershed land

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 11-0901 of the environmental
2 conservation law is amended by adding a new paragraph h to read as
3 follows:

4 h. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, wild-
5 life shall not be taken by the use of lead ammunition on wildlife
6 management areas, state forests, forest preserves, state parks or any
7 other state-owned land that is open for hunting. For the purposes of
8 this paragraph "lead ammunition" shall mean any ammunition that contains
9 one or more percent of lead by weight.

10 § 2. Notwithstanding any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, the
11 department of environmental conservation shall promulgate rules and
12 regulations prohibiting the use of lead ammunition in the taking of
13 wildlife on New York City watershed lands.

14 § 3. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall
15 have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or
16 repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of
17 this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed
18 on or before such effective date.

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

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