

STATE OF NEW YORK

9130--A

IN ASSEMBLY

February 8, 2024

Introduced by M. of A. NORRIS -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to authorizing hunting big game by rifle in the county of Niagara; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

1 Section 1. Paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the
2 environmental conservation law is amended by adding a new item (q) to
3 read as follows:

4 (q) The county of Deer, the first Saturday Pistol, shotgun,
5 Niagara except after November 15 crossbow, muzzle
6 within the city of through first Sunday loading firearm,
7 Niagara Falls, the after December 7 rifle or long bow
8 city of Lockport
9 and the city of
10 North Tonawanda

11 § 2. Item (f) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of
12 the environmental conservation law, as amended by section 2 of chapter
13 230 of the laws of 2023, is amended to read as follows:

14 (f) Southern tier, Deer, first Pistol, shotgun,
15 central and Western Monday after November crossbow,
16 region, except those 15 through first muzzle loading
17 counties or portions Tuesday after firearm or
18 thereof listed in December 7 long bow only
19 item (i), (j), (k),
20 (l), (m), (n), (o)
21 [~~ex~~], (p) or (q)

22 of this paragraph

23 § 3. Paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of the environ-
24 mental conservation law is amended by adding a new item (o) to read as
25 follows:

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

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<p>1 <u>(o) The county</u> 2 <u>of Niagara</u> 3 <u>except the city</u> 4 <u>of Niagara Falls,</u> 5 <u>the city of Lockport</u> 6 <u>and the city of North</u> 7 <u>Tonawanda</u></p>	<p><u>Deer and bear, the</u> <u>first Saturday after</u> <u>November 15 through</u> <u>first Sunday after</u> <u>December 7</u></p>	<p><u>Pistol, shotgun,</u> <u>crossbow, muzzle</u> <u>loading firearm,</u> <u>rifle or long</u> <u>bow only</u></p>
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8 § 4. Item (f) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907 of
9 the environmental conservation law, as amended by section 4 of chapter
10 230 of the laws of 2023, is amended to read as follows:

<p>11 (f) Southern tier, 12 central and Western 13 region, except those 14 counties or portions 15 thereof listed in 16 item (i), (j), (j), (k), 17 (l), (m) [ex], (n) 18 <u>or (o)</u> of this paragraph</p>	<p>Deer and bear, first Monday after November 15 through first Tuesday after December 7</p>	<p>Pistol, shotgun, crossbow, muzzle loading firearm or long bow only</p>
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19 § 5. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that:
20 a. the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section 11-0907
21 of the environmental conservation law made by section one of this act
22 shall be subject to the expiration and reversion of such paragraph
23 pursuant to section 13 of chapter 600 of the laws of 1993, as amended;
24 b. the amendments to item (f) of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of
25 section 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law made by section
26 two of this act shall be subject to the expiration and reversion of such
27 item pursuant to paragraph d of section 5 of chapter 152 of the laws of
28 2020, as amended;
29 c. sections three and four of this act shall take effect upon the
30 expiration and reversion of paragraph a of subdivision 2 of section
31 11-0907 of the environmental conservation law, as provided in section 13
32 of chapter 600 of the laws of 1993, as amended; and
33 d. nothing contained in this act shall be construed so as to extend
34 the provisions of this act beyond October 1, 2026, when upon such date
35 this act shall expire and the provisions contained herein shall be
36 deemed repealed.