

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 500



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by: SEN. SAMPSON, 16th Dist. REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th Dist. REP. MASTROFRANCESCO, 80th Dist.

AN ACT ELIMINATING THE RESTRICTION ON CARRYING HAND GUNS IN STATE PARKS AND FORESTS FOR SELF-DEFENSE PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to eliminate the restriction on
- 2 the carrying of handguns in state parks and state forests for the purpose
- 3 of self-defense.

Statement of Purpose:

To eliminate the restriction on the carrying of handguns in state parks and state forests for the purpose of self-defense.