

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
 2 Consolidated Statutes, in firearms and other dangerous
 3 articles, prohibiting use of human silhouette targets at
 4 shooting ranges; and imposing a penalty.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
 6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
 8 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

9 § 6128. Use of human silhouette targets at shooting ranges
 10 prohibited.

11 (a) General rule.--A shooting range shall not permit
 12 shooting at targets that depict human figures, human effigies,
 13 human silhouettes or any human images thereof, except by law
 14 enforcement officers, military personnel or other public safety
 15 personnel in line with their official duties.

16 (b) Penalty.--A person who violates the provisions of this
 17 section commits a summary offense.

18 (c) Definition.--As used in this section, the term "shooting
 19 range" means any parcel of real estate or portion thereof that

1 is used in whole or in part for any form of target shooting with
2 firearms.

3 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.