

SB 235 - AS INTRODUCED

2025 SESSION

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SENATE BILL **235**

AN ACT enabling funds from the Pitman-Robertson Act to be spent by the fish and game department on threatened and endangered species in New Hampshire.

SPONSORS: Sen. Watters, Dist 4; Sen. Sullivan, Dist 18; Sen. Fenton, Dist 10; Sen. Altschiller, Dist 24; Sen. Innis, Dist 7; Sen. Rosenwald, Dist 13; Sen. Pearl, Dist 17; Sen. Perkins Kwoka, Dist 21; Rep. Darby, Hills. 11; Rep. Ouellet, Coos 3; Rep. Potucek, Rock. 13

COMMITTEE: Energy and Natural Resources

ANALYSIS

This bill enables funds from the Pitman-Robertson Act to be spent by the fish and game department on threatened and endangered species in New Hampshire.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.
Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struckthrough.]~~
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Five

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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 1 Limitation on Certain Funds; Pitman Robertson Funds. Amend RSA 212-A:15 to read as
2 follows:

3 212-A:15 Limitation on Certain Funds. On the effective date of this chapter with the exception
4 of the expenditures that are then authorized from the fish and game fund, no funds used to carry out
5 the provisions of this chapter shall be derived from license fees of hunters, fishermen, **or** trappers [~~or~~
6 ~~from taxes on the sale of the equipment to hunters, fishermen or trappers~~] unless the species for
7 which the funds are expended have been legally hunted, fished or trapped within the previous 5-year
8 period.

9 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.