

ASSEMBLY, No. 1209

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

219th LEGISLATURE

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District 16 (Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex and Somerset)

SYNOPSIS

Institutes moratorium on black bear hunting until adoption of new comprehensive policy on black bear management.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



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24 This bill would require the Fish and Game Council to
25 immediately begin the process of formulating a new comprehensive
26 policy for the management of black bear, and would institute a
27 moratorium on black bear hunting in the State until the policy is
28 adopted. This bill would explicitly require the council to study non-
29 lethal population control methods as part of the comprehensive
30 policy required by the bill.