150th GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL NOTE

BILL:	**HOUSE BILL NO. 97**
SPONSOR:	**Representative Briggs King**
DESCRIPTION:	**AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 7 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO HUNTING, TRAPPING, AND FISHING LICENSES.**

Assumptions:

1. Effective upon the signature of the Governor.

2. This Act will allow a non-resident full-time student in a public or private postsecondary educational institution in this state to purchase a hunting, trapping or fishing license at the same fee charged a resident for the same license.

3. The fiscal impact of this Act is indeterminable, though it could be revenue neutral due to an anticipated increase in the number of lower-cost resident licenses sold that would offset the loss of the estimated relatively few, higher-cost non-resident licenses currently sold.

4. The revenues generated from the sale of annual fishing and hunting licenses are Appropriated Special Funds (ASF). License revenues are dedicated to wildlife and fisheries conservation, administration of the hunting and fishing licensing program, and earmarked to secure matching funds allotted to Delaware by the U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service.

Revenue Loss:

Fiscal Year 2020: Indeterminable – assumed insignificant

Fiscal Year 2021: Indeterminable – assumed insignificant

Fiscal Year 2022: Indeterminable – assumed insignificant

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