

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
SESSION 2005**

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**HOUSE BILL 820
Committee Substitute Favorable 5/11/05**

Short Title: Amend Person Fox Trapping.

(Local)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

March 21, 2005

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO LENGTHEN THE FOX TRAPPING SEASON IN PERSON COUNTY
2 AND TO ELIMINATE THE SEASON BAG LIMITS ON THAT SEASON.
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 2 of Chapter 108 of the 1985 Session Laws, as
6 amended by Chapter 890 of the 1985 Session Laws, reads as rewritten:

7 "Sec. 2. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, there is an open season for
8 taking foxes by trapping from ~~January 2 through January 31~~ September 1 through
9 September 30 and from December 1 through February 20 of each year. During this
10 season, all leghold traps set on dry land with solid anchor shall have at least three
11 swivels in the trap chain and no leghold traps larger than size one and one-half may be
12 used."

13 **SECTION 2.** Section 3 of Chapter 108 of the 1985 Session Laws, as
14 amended by Chapter 890 of the 1985 Session Laws, is repealed.

15 **SECTION 3.** This act applies only to Person County.

16 **SECTION 4.** This act is effective when it becomes law.