

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2017 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **Senate Bill 410**

BY SENATOR SYPOLT

[Introduced February 23, 2017; Referred  
to the Committee on Natural Resources]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §20-2-19 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating  
2 to marking traps with a Division of Natural Resources identification tag.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

1 That §20-2-19 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and  
2 reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 2. WILDLIFE RESOURCES.**

**§20-2-19. Marking of traps.**

1 All traps used for taking game or fur-bearing animals shall be marked with (1) a durable  
2 plate or tag attached to the snare, trap or trap chain bearing the name and address of the owner  
3 of the trap or (2) with a Division of Natural Resources identification tag.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to permit the West Virginia Division of Natural Resources identification tag to be used to identify a trap.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.