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TO: Natural Resources Commission

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SUBJECT: Department of Natural Resources (Department) Legislative Update

**HB 5737 – Modifies Mentored Hunting Program – Rep. Aiyash**

This bill would amend the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act to include minor children or adults with developmental or intellectual disabilities who are not able to obtain a certification of completion of training in hunters' safety to participate in the mentored hunt program.

- This bill was signed by the Governor on 7/23/24, becoming PA 96 of 2024 with immediate effect.
- The Administration is in support of this legislation.