

REFERENCE TITLE: unlawful feeding of wildlife; exception

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Introduced by
Representative McClure, Senator Bee

AMENDING SECTION 13-2927, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO WILDLIFE.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 13-2927, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 13-2927. Unlawful feeding of wildlife; classification

5 A. A person commits unlawful feeding of wildlife by intentionally,
6 knowingly or recklessly feeding, attracting or otherwise enticing wildlife
7 into an area, except for:

8 1. Persons lawfully taking or holding wildlife pursuant to title 17 or
9 pursuant to rules or orders of the Arizona game and fish commission.

10 2. Public employees or authorized agents acting within the scope of
11 their authority for public safety or for wildlife management purposes.

12 3. Normal agricultural or livestock operational practices.

13 4. Tree squirrels or birds.

14 5. PATRONS OF A RESTAURANT THAT IS LICENSED PURSUANT TO SECTION
15 4-205.02.

16 B. This section applies in a county with a population of more than two
17 hundred eighty thousand persons.

18 C. Unlawful feeding of wildlife is a petty offense.

19 Sec. 2. Retroactivity

20 This act applies retroactively to September 21, 2006.