

**PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION  
BUREAU OF WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT  
RESEARCH DIVISION  
PROJECT FINAL JOB REPORT**

**PROJECT CODE NO.:** 06210

**TITLE:** Winter Severity Index for PA

**JOB CODE NO.:** 21005

**PERIOD COVERED:** July 1, 1999 to June 30, 2000

**COOPERATING AGENCIES:** None

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**Abstract:** I compile weather parameters annually from December, January, February, and March Climatological Data summaries at thirteen weather stations in northern Pennsylvania to explain possible weather related fluctuations in animal abundance. Availability of the data, however, is one year delayed. Because of this one-year delay in data, this report is not used by the agency. Therefore, this project is being terminated.

## **PROJECT OBJECTIVE**

To determine annual trends of winter severity in Pennsylvania.

## **PROCEDURES**

No procedures to report because the project has been terminated.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

This study should be discontinued because the data have not been used due to its year delay.