

1 2	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
3 4	ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
5 6	Legislative Document No. 1217
7 8 9 . 10	H.P. 934 House of Representatives, March 16, 1983 Referred to the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed. EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk
. 11	Presented by Representative Jackson of Harrison.
12 13	STATE OF MAINE
14 15 16	IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE
17 18 19 20	AN ACT to Permit Hunting with a .22 Caliber Rifle during Raccoon Hunting Season.
21 22	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
23 24	12 MRSA §7467, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 575, is amended to read:
25	§7467. Raccoons
26 27 28 29	Any open season for hunting raccoons established by the commissioner shall be of uniform duration throughout the State. <u>Rifle firearms using .22 cali-</u> ber rim fire cartridges may be used to hunt raccoons.

STATEMENT OF FACT

2 This bill permits raccoon hunting with .22 cali-3 ber rifles. At the present time, .22 caliber handguns 4 are the only firearms of that caliber that may be 5 used to hunt raccoons.

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