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**STATE OF MAINE
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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

**BILL SUMMARIES
JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
ON
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**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE
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**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL SUMMARIES**

JULY 1993

This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees and Joint Select Committees of the Maine Legislature. The volume is organized alphabetically by committee; within each committee, the summaries are arranged by LD number. A subject index is provided at the beginning of each committee's summaries.

The committee report or reports, the prime sponsor for each bill and the lead co-sponsor in each house if one has been designated are listed below each bill title. All adopted amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor for floor amendments. Final action on each bill is listed to the right of the title. Various types of final action are abbreviated as follows:

<i>PUBLIC XXX</i>	<i>Chapter # of enacted Public Law</i>
<i>P&S XXX</i>	<i>Chapter # of enacted Private & Special Law</i>
<i>RESOLVE XXX</i>	<i>Chapter # of enacted Resolve</i>
<i>CON RES XXX</i>	<i>Chapter # of Constitutional Resolution passed by both Houses</i>
<i>EMERGENCY</i>	<i>Enacted law takes effect sooner than 90 days</i>
<i>CARRIED OVER</i>	<i>Bill carried over to Second Session</i>
<i>ONTP</i>	<i>Ought Not to Pass report accepted</i>
<i>ENACTMENT FAILED</i>	<i>Bill failed to get majority vote</i>
<i>INDEF PP</i>	<i>Bill Indefinitely Postponed</i>
<i>FAILED EMERGENCY ENACTMENT</i>	<i>Emergency bill failed to get 2/3 vote</i>
<i>FAILED MANDATE ENACTMENT</i>	<i>Bill imposing local mandate failed to get 2/3 vote</i>
<i>DIED BETWEEN BODIES</i>	<i>House & Senate disagree; bill died</i>
<i>CONF CMTE UNABLE TO AGREE</i>	<i>Committee of Conference formed but unable to agree</i>
<i>VETO SUSTAINED</i>	<i>Legislature failed to override Governor's Veto</i>
<i>UNSIGNED</i>	<i>Not signed by Governor within 10 days</i>
<i>DIED ON ADJOURNMENT</i>	<i>Action incomplete when session ended; bill died</i>

These summaries were prepared by the analyst or analysts assigned to the committee. But, this document was produced by the efforts of all the office staff, including secretaries: Charlene Raymond and Valarie Parlin.

If you have any suggestions or comments on these summaries, please let us know.

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**LD 405 An Act to Prohibit the Use of Electronic Calling Devices
While Hunting Moose**

PUBLIC 88

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
MARSH	OTP-AM ONTP	H-100

SUMMARY

This bill prohibits the use of electronic calling devices while hunting moose.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-100) adds a fiscal note to the bill.

LD 415 An Act Concerning Registration Stations

ONTP

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
TARDY	ONTP	

SUMMARY

This bill proposed to require the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, upon receipt of an application, to designate the owner of a sporting goods store as an agent of the department for the purpose of operating the store as a bear, deer or moose registration station if the store has an inventory of hunting and fishing supplies with a value of \$10,000 or more. It also would have required the commissioner to refuse designation when the owner of a store has been convicted of a crime that is punishable by a jail sentence of one year or more or when the commissioner finds a reasonable basis for denial.

**LD 440 An Act Concerning an Experimental Brook Trout Stocking in
Somes Pond, Mount Desert, Maine**

ONTP

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
ZIRNKILTON	ONTP	

SUMMARY

This bill proposed to require the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to conduct a test to determine if brook trout can be successfully stocked in Somes Pond located in Mount Desert.

LD 495 An Act Regarding Bow Hunting

DIED BETWEEN
BODIES

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
LEMONT	ONTP MAJ	
GOULD R R	OTP-AM MIN	

SUMMARY

This bill proposed to allow a person that has killed a deer during the special archery season for deer to hunt and kill a second deer with a firearm during the regular firearm season for deer.