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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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II. P. 496 House of Representatives, February 8, 1967 Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Bourgoin of Fort Kent.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Providing for Hunting Moose in Certain Portions of Aroostook County for 1967 and 1968.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, § 2355-B, additional. Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by adding a new section 2355-B, to read as follow:

§ 2355-B. Open season on moose in certain portions of Aroostook County

There shall be an open season on moose in the area north of a line formed by the Appalachian Trail from the New Hampshire line to its junction with the Canadian Pacific RR tracks at Onawa and the said Canadian Pacific RR tracks to the St. Croix River at Vanceboro. The season shall be from September 23rd to September 30th and one moose of either sex or of any age may be taken by anyone holding a valid moose hunting license.

The commissioner shall establish rules and regulations for issuing a limited number of licenses, as drawn by lot from applications submitted by anyone 18 years old or older having an unexpired Maine hunting license, in accordance with a system established by him. The cost of said permits shall be \$50 for residents and \$100 for nonresidents. Any licensee under this section shall be ineligible for another license for the next 2 succeeding years.

The commissioner may establish such rules and regulations as he deems necessary for this open season on moose.

Anyone found guilty of violating any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$300.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 12, § 2467, amended. The first sentence of section 2467 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended to read as follows:

No person shall hunt, kill or have in his possession any caribou or moose, or parts thereof, except as otherwise provided in section 2355-B.

Sec. 3. Limitation. This Act shall apply only to those portions of Aroostook County described in the Revised Statutes, Title 12, section 2355-B, for the years 1967 and 1968.