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In Senate, March 4, 1969

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JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-NINE

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**AN ACT** Relating to Shooting Domestic Animals or Birds While Hunting.

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

**R. S., T. 12, § 2953-A, additional.** Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2953-A, to read as follows:

**§ 2953-A. Shooting domestic animals or birds while hunting; penalty**

Whoever, while on a hunting trip or in the pursuit of wild game or game birds, negligently or carelessly or wilfully shoots and wounds, or kills any domestic animals or birds, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$200 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or by both. The commissioner, upon receiving a written note of the final disposition, shall revoke or suspend the current license or the right to hunt or the right to obtain a hunting license for a period not less than one year after such final disposition.