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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 246

H. P. 189

House of Representatives, January 20, 1971

Referred to Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Kelley of Southport.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Inspection of Fish, Game and Equipment by Game and Coastal Wardens.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 3101, amended. Section 3101 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

Any duly appointed law enforcement officer of the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries or any law enforcement officer of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game may request any person whom he reasonably believes to be engaged in hunting, fishing or trapping or to be unlawfully in possession of fish, birds, mammals or marine species, or to be in possession of fish, birds, mammals or marine species unlawfully taken or in possession of unlawful equipment or ammunition to forthwith display for inspection all fish, birds, mammals, marine species, equipment or ammunition then in his possession and may summons all persons refusing or failing to comply with such request.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this Act is to provide more economical, effective and efficient law enforcement.