

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 121

H. P. 101

House of Representatives, January 10, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Bither of Houlton.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Hunting Pheasants.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 2401, sub-§ 6, additional. Section 2401 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 409 of the public laws of 1971, is amended by adding a new subsection 6, to read as follows:

6. Pheasant stamp. It shall be unlawful for any person who has attained the age of 16 years to hunt or have in possession any pheasant unless at the time of such hunting or possession he has on his person an unexpired State of Maine pheasant stamp validated by his signature written across the face of the stamp in ink. Such stamp shall be issued by the commissioner or his authorized agent at a fee of \$3 and shall be exhibited to any warden or employee of the department upon request.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This change would require persons wishing to hunt pheasants to purchase, in addition to a regular hunting license, a pheasant stamp. This would help support the department's game farm at Gray where the pheasants for releasing are raised.