

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 359

H. P. 285

House of Representatives, January 24, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Theriault of Rumford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Wild Animals in Captivity.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 1904, sub-§ 3, amended. The first paragraph of subsection 3 of section 1904 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 115 of the public laws of 1969, and as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

The holder of a "roadside menagerie" permit granted by the commissioner may, in compliance with such rules and regulations as the commissioner may prescribe, **take or** import live moose and caribou for keeping in captivity in his "roadside menagerie" after having received written permission from the commissioner. Such holder may transport such moose and caribou from place to place for display purposes.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This change would allow the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game to grant holders of a menagerie license a permit, to take live moose within the State as well as importing them from outside the State.