

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 410

H. P. 308

House of Representatives, January 30, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Cameron of Lincoln.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Open Season on Deer in Northern and Southern Zones.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, § 2353, amended. The 5th and 6th paragraphs of section 2353 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 392 of the public laws of 1971, are repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

Northern Zone: October 20th to the Saturday immediately following Thanksgiving;

Southern Zone: November 1st to the Saturday immediately following Thanksgiving.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 12, § 2501, amended. The first paragraph of section 2501 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

There shall be an annual open season from October 1st to October 19th in the Northern Zone as described in section 2353 for the purpose of hunting deer with bow and arrow only.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 12, § 2501, amended. The first sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 2501 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

There shall be an annual open season from October 1st to October 31st in the Southern Zone as described in section 2353 for the purpose of hunting deer with bow and arrow only, except that on the Island of Islesboro in

Waldo County there shall be an open season for hunting deer with bow and arrow from October 1st to the Saturday immediately following Thanksgiving of each calendar year.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This change will establish dates for the annual archery season on deer and the deer season for firearms.