

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Document

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H. P. 309

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. Walker of Island Falls.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-THREE

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**AN ACT** Relating to Use of Snowmobiles During the Deer Season.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 1978, sub-§ 13, additional. Section 1978 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 414 of the public laws of 1969, and as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection 13 to read as follows :

13. Operation during deer season. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any snowmobile during the open firearm season on deer, in conjunction with deer hunting, except that snowmobiles may be operated for the purpose of transporting supplies or individuals as directly as possible between a hunting camp or lodge and a plowed private or public way.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This change would restrict the use of snowmobiles during the deer hunting season and prevent people from using them as a means of hunting deer in years of deep snow.