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S. 1214
D. 1214
STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
106th LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 704, L.D. 2116,
Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Cruelty to Animals."

Amend said Bill by inserting at the beginning
of the first line after the enacting clause, the
following: 'Sec. 1.'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 8th
line after the enacting clause (6th line of L.D.)
after the underlined word and punctuation "fowl,"
the following underlined word and punctuation:
'waterfowl,'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 10th
line after the enacting clause (8th line of L.D.)
after the underlined word and punctuation "fowl,"
the following underlined word and punctuation:
'waterfowl,'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 14th
line after the enacting clause (11th line of L.D.)
after the underlined word and punctuation "fowl,"
the following underlined word and punctuation:
'waterfowl,'

Further amend said Bill by inserting before the
Statement of Fact the following:

'Sec. 2. R.S., T. 17, §1214, repealed and
replaced. Section 1214 of Title 17 of the Revised
Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 16
of chapter 598 of the public laws of 1973, is
repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:
§1214. Appointment of state humane agents

The commissioner shall appoint state humane
agents who shall serve as agents of the commissioner
in the enforcement of this chapter and as otherwise
provided by law. Those personnel appointed as

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part-time agents shall be unclassified employees whose standards of employment, compensation and hours of employment shall be determined by the commissioner. The jurisdiction of each state humane agent shall extend throughout the State.'

Statement of Fact

The intent of this amendment is to improve the language and provisions of an Act passed by the regular session of the Legislature, and to correct an inconsistency due to legislative changes which removed from the Personnel Board responsibility for unclassified state employees.

Reported by the Committee on Agriculture.

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