

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 620

House of Representatives, February 25, 1975

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Leonard of Woolwich.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT to Lower the Age Requirement for Complimentary Hunting and Fishing Licenses to 65 Years.**

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

<sup>12</sup> MRSA § 2401-B, sub-§ 13, first sentence, as last repealed and replaced by PL 1973, c. 562, § 13, is amended to read:

A complimentary license to hunt or fish, or a combination hunting and fishing license shall be issued to any resident of Maine who is over ~~70~~ 65 years of age and applies therefor to the commissioner.

FISCAL NOTE

There are approximately 1700 persons of from 65 to 70 years of age who hold hunting or fishing licenses in this State. If combination hunting and fishing licenses, which normally cost \$10, were issued at no cost to those persons, a loss of revenue of \$17,000 each year could result.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to lower the age requirement for complimentary licenses for hunting and fishing from 70 to 65 years.