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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT 'B" to H.P. 34, L.D. 51, Bill, "AN ACT Concerning Bear Hunting with Dogs."

Amend the Bill in that part designated "§2355-D." by inserting at the end of the first underlined paragraph the following new sentence:

'No such hunting party shall exceed 6 persons, excluding a registered Maine guide.'

Further amend the Bill in that part designated "2355-D." by striking out all of the 2nd underlined paragraph and inserting in its place the following:

'Any nonresident hunting bear with dogs shall be accompanied by a registered Maine guide.'

## Statement of Fact

This amendment limits the size of a hunting party, using dogs to hunt bear, 6 persons, excluding the guide. This amendment also specifies that all nonresidents using dogs to hunt bear shall be accompanied by a registerd Maine guide.

Reported by the Minority of the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife.

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