

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Document

No. 142

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H. P. 112

House of Representatives, January 25, 1977

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Berube of Lewiston.

Cosponsors: Mrs. Lewis of Auburn, Mr. Raymond of Lewiston.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Authorizing the Issue of Combination Hunting and Fishing  
Licenses at Reduced Fees to Members of the Maine National Guard.**

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

12 MRSA § 2401-B, sub-§ 10-A is enacted to read:

10-A. Licenses for members of the Maine National Guard. A combination fishing and hunting license shall be issued upon payment of \$3, plus the issuing fee, to a member of the Maine National Guard.

FISCAL NOTE

It is estimated that passage of this Act would result in an annual revenue loss of approximately \$15,000 annually.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The Maine National Guard serves the vital interests of this State, often with little recognition of the sacrifices made by its members. This bill authorizes the issue of a combination fishing and hunting license at a fee of \$3 to any member of the Maine National Guard. This reduced fee corresponds to a similar reduction permitted to Maine members of the United States Armed Forces serving outside of Maine, and is a suitable method of expressing the State's gratitude for the fine job done by the personnel of the Maine National Guard.