

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 679

H. P. 562

House of Representatives, March 1, 1977

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. McBreairty of Perham.

Cosponsor: Mr. Peterson of Caribou.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Eliminate the Requirement That Persons Over 70 Submit to an Eye Test in Order to be Issued a Complimentary Hunting License.

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

12 MRSA § 2401-B, sub-§ 13, last sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1973, c. 562, § 13, is repealed.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill eliminates the eye test requirement for complimentary hunting licenses issued to persons over 70 years of age. The cost of an eye test is often greater than the cost of a license, and a person over 70 may now, if he wishes, buy a license without submitting to any eye test. The test requirement is therefore of no real value and should be repealed.