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STATE OF MAINE
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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1298, L.D. 1495, Bill, "AN ACT Establishing an Experimental Open Season on Moose."

Amend the Bill in that part designated "§2355-E." in subsection 4 by striking out all of the 1st underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following:

'The Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife is authorized to issue not more than 604 moose hunting permits for Units 1, 2 and 5 for the 1977 season.'

Further amend the Bill in that part designated "§2355-E." in subsection 4 by striking out all of the 3rd underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following:

'Permits shall be chosen by public chance drawing in the following manner. The commissioner shall hold a drawing for the residents of each district for the election of Representatives to the House of Representatives and shall choose in that drawing a number of moose hunting permits to equal 4 times the number of Representatives elected from that district.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment ensures that permits for moose hunting are evenly distributed throughout the State on the basis of population. The commissioner is authorized to hold a drawing for the applicants resident in each House district and to choose in that drawing a number of moose hunting permits equal to 4 permits for each Representative elected from that district.

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