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House of Representatives, February 7, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative RUHLIN of Brewer.

Cosponsored by Representative DUFFY of Bangor, Senator GOULD of Waldo and Representative ROTONDI of Athens.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Archery Hunting Licenses.



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

4 **12 MRSA §7102, sub-§7, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 354, §1, is**
amended to read:

6 **7. Archery hunter training program requirements.** Any
8 person who applies for an archery hunting license, other than a
10 junior license, shall submit proof of having successfully
12 completed an education course of the type described in subsection
14 8 and approved by the commissioner, or satisfactory evidence of
having previously held an adult archery hunting license or a
junior hunting license in this State or any other state, province
or country ~~in any year after 1977~~, or having successfully
completed a hunter safety course as provided in section 7035,
subsection 10.

16 When proof or evidence ~~cannot~~ can not otherwise be provided, the
18 person may substitute a signed affidavit that he the person has
20 previously held the required adult archery hunting license or
junior hunting license or that he the person has successfully
completed the required archery hunter education course.

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24 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

26 This bill changes the archery hunting training program
28 requirements so that those who have held a junior hunting license
30 are not required to submit proof of having completed an archery
32 hunter education program or a hunting safety course. This bill
also allows those who have held at any time an archery hunting
license or junior archery hunting license to avoid the archery
hunter training program requirements.