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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 280, L.D. 739, Bill, "An Act Regarding Moose and Antlerless Deer Permits for People Who Have Been Called to Active Duty"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act Regarding Moose Permits for People Called to Serve in an Armed Conflict'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the amending clause and inserting in its place the following:

'6-A Persons in armed forces called to serve in armed conflict. Any person who is issued a moose permit under section 7463-A and who is subsequently called to active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States to serve in an armed conflict and is unable to use the permit is entitled to use the same permit during the next appropriate season following that person's return to the State. Permits used under this section do not affect the number of permits that may be issued by the commissioner under section 7463-A, subsection 4. For purposes of this subsection, "armed conflict" means any military action in which participants are exposed to war-risk hazards as defined in 42 United States Code, Section 1711(b).

FISCAL NOTE

It is currently unknown how many people in the armed forces were issued a moose permit and were subsequently called to serve in an armed conflict. It is expected, however, that this bill will have an insignificant impact on the collection of undedicated General Fund revenue by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife.'

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**STATEMENT OF FACT**

This amendment allows a person to carry forward the privilege to hunt with a moose permit to the next appropriate season upon return to the State if that person had previously been issued the permit and had not been able to use the permit because of being called to active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States to serve in an armed conflict. Permits used under this provision do not affect the number of moose permits that may be issued under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 12, section 7463-A, subsection 4. This amendment also adds a fiscal note.

Reported by Senator Twitchell for the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12.  
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