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## 116th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1993

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No. 213

H.P. 161

House of Representatives, January 28, 1993

An Act Concerning the Employment of Personnel by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife.

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

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative ROTONDI of Athens.
Cosponsored by Representative: JOSEPH of Waterville, Senators: BERUBE of Androscoggin, LUTHER of Oxford.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follow
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Sec. 1.	12 MRSA	§7034, sub-§2-A,	as	amended	by	PL	1985,	c.
785, Pt. B,	§69, is fu	irther amended to	rea	ad:				

- 2-A. Employment of personnel. The commissioner shall employ, subject to the Civil Service Law, such employees as are necessary to carry out the duties of his-erganization the department, except that persons in the following positions shall be are appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the commissioner: Deputy Commissioner; Game Warden Colonel; and Assistant to the Commissioner for Public Information.
- 14 The Game Warden Colonel shall-be is appointed from among the game wardens of the department with-the-rank-ef-sergeant-er-higher. In the event that the Game Warden Colonel is not reappointed, he 16 shall-have the Game Warden Colonel has the right to be restored 18 to the classified position from which he-shall-have-been the Game Warden Colonel was promoted or to a position equivalent therete in salary grade in an agency, without impairment of his personnel status or the loss of seniority, retirement or other rights to 22 which uninterrupted service in the classified position would have entitled him the Game Warden Colonel. If his service in that unclassified supervisory position shall-have-been is terminated 24 for cause, his the right to be se restored shall to that position 26 must be determined by the State Civil Service Appeals Board.

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## STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill allows all game wardens of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to be considered in the selection of Game Warden Colonel.