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S.P. 99

In Senate, January 23, 1997

An Act to Amend the Hunting Laws as They Pertain to Hunting from a Vehicle.

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

JOY J. O'BRIEN Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator RUHLIN of Penobscot. Cosponsored by Senators: FERGUSON of Oxford, HALL of Piscataquis, Representatives: FISHER of Brewer, PAUL of Sanford.

	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2	Co. 1 12 MDCA 87406 cub 820 ff A
4	Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7406, sub-§20, \P A, as amended by PL 1983, c. 797, §10, is further amended to read:
6	A. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 8:
8	 A person may hunt migratory waterfowl from a motorboat in accordance with federal regulations;
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12	(2) A person who has a valid Maine permit to carry a concealed weapon may have in or on a motor vehicle or trailer a loaded pistol or revolver covered by such
14	permit; and
16	(3) Paraplegics and, single or double amputees of the legs and anyone severely limited in the ability to walk
18	due to an arthritic, neurological or orthopedic condition as determined and certified by a licensed
20	<pre>physician may hunt from motor vehicles which that are not in motion.</pre>
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24	SUMMARY
26	This bill allows any person limited by arthritis and similar health conditions to hunt from motor vehicles that are not in
28	motion.