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H.P. 426

House of Representatives, January 28, 1997

An Act to Increase the Number of High-stakes Beano Games.

Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative MOORE of the Passamaquoddy Tribe.

Cosponsored by Senator CASSIDY of Washington and

Representatives: AHEARNE of Madawaska, BISULCA of the Penobscot Nation, BUNKER of Kossuth Township, DRISCOLL of Calais, GOODWIN of Pembroke, JONES of Bar Harbor, TRUE of Fryeburg, VIGUE of Winslow.

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

- Sec. 1. 17 MRSA §314-A, sub-§3, as repealed and replaced by PL 1991, c. 426, §4, is amended to read:
- 3. Games on weekends. An organization licensed under this section may operate high-stakes beano games on 27-weekends-per year, whether-er-not-eensecutive any weekend. For purposes of this section, a weekend consists of Saturday and the immediately following Sunday. A high-stakes beano game licensed under this section and canceled for any reason may be rescheduled at any time, as long as 5 days prior notice of the new date is given to the Chief of the State Police.

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SUMMARY

This bill allows an organization licensed to operate high stakes beano to hold games on any weekend during the year. Current law limits an organization to 27 weekends per year.