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HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" to H.P. 30, L.D. 39, Bill, "An Act to Increase the Deer Hunting Day by 15 Minutes"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 6 by inserting at the end the following: 'During the open firearm season on deer, the State is divided into 2 zones by a line that begins at the mouth of the Penobscot River, extends along the Penobscot River and the West Branch of the Penobscot River until it reaches the southwestern boundary of Baxter State Park, extends north along the boundary of Baxter State Park to the beginning of the Allagash Wilderness Waterway, extends north along the waterway and the Allagash River until its confluence with the St. John River and extends north along the St. John River until it reaches the Maine border. For purposes of this subsection, sunset during the open firearm season on deer occurs 7 minutes earlier in the zone east of the line described in this subsection than it occurs in the zone west of that line.'

SUMMARY

In recognition that sunset occurs at different times within the State, this amendment provides that, during the open firearm season on deer, the State is divided into 2 zones for determining when sunset occurs. Sunset occurs 7 minutes earlier in the zone east of the Penobscot River, the western boundary of Baxter State Park and the Allagash Wilderness Waterway than it occurs in the zone west of that line.

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