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_	L.D. 655
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4	INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE
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10	Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.
12	STATE OF MAINE
14	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 120TH LEGISLATURE
16	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
18	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " \mathcal{A} " to H.P. 516, L.D. 655, Bill, "An
20	Act to Clarify the Rights of Residents Within Wildlife Sanctuaries"
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24	Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:
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28	'Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7654, sub-§3, as amended by PL 1981, c. 644, §30, is repealed.
30	Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7654, sub-§8, ¶¶B and C, as enacted by PL 1979, c. 420, §1, are amended to read:
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34	B. Notwithstanding subsections 1_{τ} and 2 and 3 :
36	(1) If the commissioner determines that the public health and safety is <u>are</u> threatened by diseased animals within Rangeley Plantation Sanctuary, he <u>the</u>
38	commissioner may authorize the use of firearms or any other device hedeems the commissioner determines
40	appropriate to eliminate diseased animals;
42	(2) The Augusta Water District may use Carleton Pond in the Readfield and Winthrop Sanctuary as it deems
44	determines necessary; and
46	(3) These-subsections <u>Subsections 1 and 2</u> apply only to such lands within the Readfield and Winthrop
48	to sweh lands within the Readfield and Winthrop Sanctuary as that are or may be hereafter fenced.

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C. Notwithstanding subsections subsection 1 and-3:

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2	(1)The-Camden-Rifle-Club-may-establish-and-maintain-a
4	<pre>rifle-range-fer-target-practice-within-the-limits-ef Megunticeek-Lake-and-Vicinity-Sanctuary,-this-target practice-te-be-held-under-the-regulations-of-the-United</pre>
6	States - War - Department - as - established - by - the - national beard - for - the - promotion - of - rifle - practice - in - the - United
8	States+-and
10	(2) The use of firearms on Megunticook Lake and Vicinity Sanctuary is prohibited only from the first
12	day of April of each year to the 30th day of September following.
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	Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the
16	summary the following:
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	SUMMARY
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	This amendment repeals the ban on having hunting implements
22	in wildlife sanctuaries.

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