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S.P. 46

In Senate, January 21, 2003

An Act to Allow Hunters to Exchange Assigned Hunting Areas or Zones with Other Hunters

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BRYANT of Oxford.
Cosponsored by Representative McGLOCKLIN of Embden and
Senators: CARPENTER of York, KNEELAND of Aroostook, Representatives: DUNLAP of
Old Town, HATCH of Skowhegan, HONEY of Boothbay, PATRICK of Rumford, PINEAU of
Jay, SMITH of Van Buren.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7112** is enacted to read:

6 **§7112. Transfer of hunting areas or zones**

8 A person who has been assigned a designated hunting area or
10 zone by the department for purposes of hunting a game animal may
12 exchange that designated zone or area with another person
14 assigned a different hunting zone or area for the same game
16 animal for purposes of hunting that same game animal. The
18 commissioner may adopt rules to implement this section and may
20 charge a fee equal to the administrative cost associated with
22 administering this section. Rules adopted pursuant to this
section are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5,
chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.

SUMMARY

This bill allows a hunter assigned a hunting zone or area to exchange that zone or area with another hunter.