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House of Representatives, March 6, 2003

An Act To Extend the Firearm Deer Hunting Season

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

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Clerk

Presented by Representative THOMPSON of China.
Cosponsored by President DAGGETT of Kennebec and
Representatives: DUNLAP of Old Town, DUPREY of Medway, WHEELER of Kittery,
Senator: HALL of Lincoln.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7457, sub-§1-A is enacted to read:

1-A. Regular firearm deer hunting season. Notwithstanding any department rule to the contrary, the regular firearm deer hunting season statewide is from the 5th Monday preceding Thanksgiving to the 2nd Saturday following Thanksgiving, except as provided in subsection 1, paragraph D.

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SUMMARY

This bill extends the regular firearm deer hunting season statewide by 2 weeks, one week before the current season begins and one week after the current season ends.