

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 1832

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**INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
122ND LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1272, L.D. 1832, Bill, "An Act To Prevent the Introduction of Chronic Wasting Disease"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

**'An Act To Prevent the Introduction of Pathogens into the State That Threaten the Health of Maine's Fish and Wildlife Resources'**

Further amend the bill in section 1 by striking out all of subsection 13 (page 1, lines 25 to 35 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'13. Prevention of introduction of harmful pathogens into Maine's fish and wildlife population. To prevent the introduction of pathogens into the State that pose a significant risk to the health of Maine's unique fish and wildlife populations, the commissioner may prohibit or otherwise regulate the transportation of a fish or wildlife species or any part of a fish or wildlife species into or within the State. The commissioner may adopt rules to carry out the purpose of this subsection. Rules adopted pursuant to this subsection are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1272, L.D. 1832

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**SUMMARY**

This amendment authorizes the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to adopt rules to prevent the introduction of pathogens into the State that pose a significant risk to Maine's fish and wildlife resources.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
**(See attached)**

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1832

LR 2614(02)

**An Act To Prevent the Introduction of Chronic Wasting Disease**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"**

**Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund