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House of Representatives, February 1, 2007

**An Act To Require the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and
Wildlife To Reserve 250 Moose Permits for Residents Who Have
Never Received One**

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

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Clerk

Presented by Representative THOMAS of Ripley.
Cosponsored by Senator SHERMAN of Aroostook and
Representatives: ANNIS of Dover-Foxcroft, CEBRA of Naples, GIFFORD of Lincoln,
HANLEY of Gardiner, JACKSON of Allagash, JOY of Crystal, LEWIN of Eliot,
RICHARDSON of Greenville.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §11154, sub-§2**, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 414, Pt. A, §2 and
3 affected by c. 614, §9, is amended to read:

4 **2. Issuance of moose hunting permits.** In accordance with section 11552, the
5 commissioner may issue moose hunting permits and may establish the number of moose
6 hunting permits to be issued for each wildlife management district established by the
7 commissioner by rule open to moose hunting. The commissioner shall reserve 250
8 moose permits for resident applicants who have never obtained a moose permit. No more
9 than 10% of the moose hunting permits may be issued to nonresident and alien hunters.

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SUMMARY

11 This bill requires the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to reserve 250
12 moose permits for resident applicants who have never obtained a moose permit.