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An Act To Amend Maine's Endangered and Threatened Species List by Removing the Bald Eagle

Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 204.
Reference to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife suggested and ordered
printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BRYANT of Oxford.
Cosponsored by Representative BRYANT of Windham.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §12803, sub-§3, ¶U**, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 573, §6 and
3 affected by §8 and c. 655, Pt. C, §§3 and 6, is repealed.

4 **SUMMARY**

5 This bill removes the bald eagle from the list of threatened species in the State. As
6 provided in statute, the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife conducted public
7 hearings regarding the recommendation to remove the bald eagle from the list of state
8 endangered or state threatened species, having proposed that recommendation.