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H.P. 31	House of Representatives, January 6, 2011

An Act To Allow Holders of Junior Hunting Licenses To Take Antlerless Deer

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

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST
Clerk

Presented by Representative HARVELL of Farmington.
Cosponsored by Representatives: CRAY of Palmyra, CROCKETT of Bethel, GIFFORD of Lincoln, LIBBY of Waterboro, LUCHINI of Ellsworth, PARRY of Arundel, PLUMMER of Windham, RUSSELL of Portland.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §11152, sub-§8 is enacted to read:

8. Junior hunters; antlerless deer. A junior hunter who possesses a valid resident license may take an antlerless deer during the open season on deer. The department shall designate which wildlife management districts are open to the taking of antlerless deer by a junior hunter based on the department's management of the deer herd statewide.

SUMMARY

This bill allows a junior hunter to lawfully take an antlerless deer during the open season on deer. The Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife shall designate which wildlife management districts are open to the taking of antlerless deer by a junior hunter.