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L.D. 271

Date: 3-23-11

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INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE

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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
125TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 80, L.D. 271, Bill, "An Act To Establish Standards Pertaining to the Feeding of Deer"

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

'Resolve, To Direct the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife To Prepare a Deer Winter Feeding Strategy'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. Deer winter feeding strategy. Resolved: That the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife shall prepare a comprehensive deer winter feeding strategy, including but not limited to a public outreach program regarding the winter feeding of deer; and be it further

Sec. 2. Report. Resolved: That the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife shall report on the deer winter feeding strategy developed pursuant to section 1 and provide its findings, recommendations and any proposed legislation to the Joint Standing Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife by January 5, 2012.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill with a resolve directing the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to prepare a comprehensive deer winter feeding strategy and to report to the Joint Standing Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife by January 5, 2012.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



Approved: 03/11/11 *mac*

125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 271

LR 732(02)

An Act To Establish Standards Pertaining to the Feeding of Deer

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" S-15

Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife associated with preparing a comprehensive deer winter feeding strategy and reporting the results can be absorbed with existing staff and within existing budgeted resources.