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L.D. 637
(Filing No. H-683)

INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
125TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "**B**" to H.P. 467, L.D. 637, "Resolve, To Increase the Amount Tagging Agents Receive for Tagging Game"

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

'An Act To Increase the Amount Tagging Agents Receive for Tagging Game'

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

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §12301-A, sub-§3, ¶C, as amended by PL 2009, c. 213, Pt. OO, §10, is further amended to read:

C. Collect \$5 and retain \$4 \$2 for each seal from the person registering a bear, deer, moose or wild turkey. The remaining \$4 \$3 must be returned to the department by the agent pursuant to section 10801, subsection 3.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the resolve. It amends the law governing the registration fees for tagging game by increasing the amount tagging agents may retain for each registration fee they collect from \$1 to \$2.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See Attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 637

LR 683(04)

Resolve, To Increase the Amount Tagging Agents Receive for Tagging Game

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "B"
Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2011-12	FY 2012-13	Projections FY 2013-14	Projections FY 2014-15
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$0	\$27,500	\$30,000	\$30,000
Revenue				
General Fund	\$0	(\$27,500)	(\$30,000)	(\$30,000)

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This legislation increases by \$1 the amount tagging agents may retain for each registration fee and reduces by \$1 the amount of the tagging fee returned to the state, resulting in a decrease in General Fund revenue of \$27,500 in fiscal year 2012-13 and \$30,000 thereafter.