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S.P. 136

In Senate, February 12, 2013

**An Act To Allow a Person Who Is 60 Years of Age or Older To Use
a Crossbow during the Open Seasons on Wild Birds and Animals**

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D M Grant'.

DAREK M. GRANT
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator TUTTLE of York.
Cosponsored by Senators: DUTREMBLE of York, HASKELL of Cumberland, PATRICK of Oxford.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §10952, sub-§2**, as enacted by PL 2011, c. 61, §1, is amended
3 to read:

4 **2. Hunting with a crossbow; 60 years of age or older.** A person ~~70~~ 60 years of age
5 or older may hunt a wild bird or a wild animal with a crossbow during any open season
6 on that wild bird or wild animal subject to the laws of this Part.

7 ~~This subsection is repealed January 1, 2015.~~

8 **SUMMARY**

9 Current law allows a person 70 years of age or older to hunt a wild bird or wild
10 animal with a crossbow during any open season; the provision is repealed January 1,
11 2015.

12 This bill extends the provision to a person 60 years of age or older and removes the
13 repeal.