

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Minority

**INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE**

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**SENATE**

**128TH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 202, L.D. 587, Bill, "An Act To Allow Fees To Be Charged for Wild Game Dinners"

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

**'An Act To Allow Civic and Charitable Organizations To Serve Wild Game Dinners'**

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

**'Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §11217, sub-§2, ¶I is enacted to read:**

I. A civic or charitable organization may serve meat from lawfully killed and registered, if required by this Part, wild game that was donated to that organization as part of a meal at a wild game dinner. For the purposes of this paragraph, "wild game dinner" means a single event where meat from an animal lawfully taken under this Part is cooked and sold to persons at the event for immediate consumption.'

**SUMMARY**

This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, removes the provisions of the bill that allow a person to sell the meat of a lawfully killed wild animal at a wild game dinner or to the organizer of a wild game dinner, instead providing that a civic or charitable organization may serve at a wild game dinner meat from lawfully killed wild game that was donated to that organization.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED  
(See attached)**

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 587

LR 594(02)

An Act To Allow Fees To Be Charged for Wild Game Dinners

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-84)  
Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife  
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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## Fiscal Note

Minor cost impact - General Fund  
Minor revenue decrease - General Fund

### Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Eliminates Class D crimes.  
A reduction in fines will decrease General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife as a result of the provisions allowing a civic or charitable organization to serve donated meat from a legally killed or trapped wild animal for consumption at a wild game dinner are anticipated to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.