

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**House Document**

**No. 366**

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H. P. 1105            House of Representatives, Mar. 10, 1927.

On motion of Mr. Greenleaf of Auburn tabled pending reference to a committee and 500 copies ordered printed.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Ellis of Fairfield.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN

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AN ACT for the Better Protection of Sheep.

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

The last sentence of section one hundred and ten of  
2 chapter four of the revised statutes is hereby amended by  
3 adding thereto the following words: 'Provided, further, that  
4 any person may at any time lawfully kill any dog found  
5 chasing, pursuing, worrying, wounding or killing any deer,  
6 moose, sheep or lambs,' so that said sentence, as amended,  
7 shall read as follows:

'Any person who keeps a dog that kills or injures sheep  
2 or lambs shall be fined not less than \$50.00 nor more than  
3 \$100.00 and costs unless before the final disposition of the  
4 case, the said owner or keeper of the said dog produces

5 satisfactory evidence that the dog has been killed; pro-  
6 vided, further, that any person may at any time lawfully  
7 kill any dog found chasing, pursuing, worrying, wounding  
8 or killing any deer, moose, sheep or lambs.'