

# EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

#### **No. 68**

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Presented by Mr. Smith of Masardis.

# STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-ONE

#### AN ACT Relative to Issuing Licenses after Violation of the Fish and Game Laws.

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

Section I. Section nineteen of chapter thirty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end of sub-section (6) thereof the following: 'The commissioner may refuse to issue any fishing license for a period of six months after a conviction for any violation of the laws relating to fishing by a person not holding a fishing license at the time of such violation.'

Sect. 2. Section forty-three of chapter thirty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following: 'The commissioner may refuse to issue any license provided for by this chapter for a period of six months after a conviction for any violation of the fish and game laws by a person not holding a proper license at the time of such violation,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 43. Licenses may be revoked or refused for violation of fish and game laws. If the holder of a hunting or trapping license issued by virtue of this chapter violates any of the game laws said license may be revoked by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game at his discretion, and no new certificate shall be issued for a period of six months thereafter to 2 LEGISLATIVE DOCUMENT No. 68

such person. The commissioner may refuse to issue any license provided for by this chapter for a period of six months after a conviction for any violation of the fish and game laws by a person not holding a proper license at the time of such violation.'