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## EIGHTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

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H. P. 1564 House of Representatives, February 14, 1939. Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. Sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Peakes of Milo.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relative to Protection of Fur-bearing Animals Owned by Breeders.

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

R. S., c. 38, § 76, amended. Section 76 of chapter 38, of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby repealed and the following inserted in place thereof:

'Sec. 76. Persons shall not enter enclosure of, kill or injure fur-bearing animals owned or bred by another. Any person owning or breeding fur-bearing animals under the provisions of sections 9 and 9-B of this chapter, shall have the same property rights therein as enjoyed by owners or breeders of domestic animals.

No person shall enter the enclosure wherein said fur-bearing animals are kept or shall knowingly and wilfully, kill, trap or injure any fur-bearing animal without the consent of the owner thereof.'