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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1696, L. D. 1276, Bill "An Act Relating to Licenses to Hunt or Fish for Members of the Armed Services of the United States."

Amend said Bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following emergency preamble;

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, there are members of the armed forces of the United States of America stationed at military and naval posts and bases within the state; and

Whereas, there are no provisions of law permitting such members to purchase licenses to hunt and fish at the resident license fee; and

Whereas, in order to permit such members to fish this spring it is vitally necessary that the following legislation become effective as soon as possible; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend said Bill by striking out the 1st underlined sentence of that part designated "XI" and inserting in place thereof the following underlined sentence:

'A license to hunt or fish shall be issued, at the resident license fee, to any member of the armed forces of the United States of America and his wife who are citizens of the United States and stationed at some military or naval post, station or base within the state.'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end thereof the following emergency clause:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.'

Filed by Mr. Jamieson of Presque Isle.

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