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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Transportation of Fish, Game or Fur-Bearing Animals by Aircraft.

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

R. S., c. 33, § 94, repealed and replaced. Section 94 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 94. Fish, game and fur-bearing animals; transportation of, by aircraft. No person shall transport, attempt to transport or offer for transportation by aircraft any fish, game or fur-bearing animals, or parts thereof, unless such fish, game or fur-bearing animals, or parts thereof, shall bear a transportation tag issued by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, stating that the same may be so transported and bearing the signature of the pilot of the aircraft in which transported. The pilot of any aircraft, other than those of regular transport lines, shall procure from the commissioner a permit to transport any such fish, game, furbearing animals or parts thereof by air, together with a supply of tags with directions for using the same and shall tag all fish, game and furbearing animals transported by him as directed by the commissioner. Whoever shall transport, attempt to transport or offer for transportation by aircraft any fish, game or fur-bearing animals shall, as a condition of transporting such fish, game or fur-bearing animals, have such fish, game or fur-bearing animals open to view to the pilot whenever the pilot may request that such fish, game or fur-bearing animals be subject to inspection by him.

Whoever violates any provision of this section shall be punished as set forth in section 119 and in addition thereto all licenses or permits issued by the department may be revoked for 1 year. Any certified aircraft pilot as provided for in chapter 21 of the revised statutes of 1944, who shall be found guilty of transporting fish, game or fur-bearing animals when such fish, game or fur-bearing animals shall not bear a transportation tag as provided for in this section or who shall be found guilty of transporting fish, game or fur-bearing animals illegally in possession, shall have his pilot's certificate suspended by the aeronautics commission for not less than 1 year nor more than 2 years.'