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CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

# STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN

#### AN ACT Relating to Removal of Persons from Service in Department of Inland Fisheries and Game.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 32, repealed and replaced. Section 32 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 32. Removal from service. No person in the game warden service who has permanent status shall be suspended, dismissed or demoted except for cause.

The Commissioner shall present any charges for such suspension, dismissal or demotion to the Civil Service Commission created by section 27 who shall give to the person charged a written specification of such charges, a reasonable notice in writing of the time and place of hearing thereon, an impartial hearing, an adjudication on each charge and an adjudication of suspension, dismissal or demotion.

Copies of charges, notice of hearing, answer and adjudications by the Civil Service Commission shall be made a part of the records of the Department, and copies thereof shall be furnished to the person concerned if requested in writing.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 29, sub-§ II, amended. Subsection II of section 29 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new sentence to read as follows:

'The Civil Service Commission shall establish the length of the Probationary period.'