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House of Representatives, March 27, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Davis of Calais by request.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Relating to Open Season on Bull Moose in Hancock and Washington Counties.**

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

**R. S., c. 37, § 90, amended.** Section 90 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 90. Hunting of moose and caribou.** No person shall hunt, kill or have in his possession any caribou or moose, or parts thereof, **except as otherwise provided in this section**; provided that no person who has legally killed a caribou or moose beyond the limits of this State shall have in his possession or import such caribou or moose, or parts thereof, into this State, unless he has obtained a permit from the Commissioner to import such caribou or moose, or parts thereof, for the purpose of consumption or for mounting, but not for sale. Such permit authorizing the importation of caribou or moose, or parts thereof, shall set forth the inclusive dates when such possession shall be legal.

Possession of caribou or moose, or parts thereof, without a permit **or license** as set out in this section, or after such permit **or license** has expired, shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of this section.

**There shall be an annual open season to holders of resident hunting licenses on bull moose having antlers over 2 points, in each calendar year beginning the 1st day of November and ending the 5th day of November, both dates inclusive, in the counties of Hancock and Washington. All of the rest of the calendar year, either before or after the open season, shall be a closed season on moose in these counties.'**