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S. P. 92

In Senate, January 28, 1959.

Referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Carpenter of Somerset.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-NINE

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AN ACT Regulating Open Season on Deer by Zones.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 91, amended. The first 2 paragraphs of section 91 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, are repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'For the purposes of regulating open seasons on deer, the State shall be divided into the following 3 zones:

Zone 1. West of the Penobscot River (west bank) and south of a line formed by the north shore of the Piscataquis River beginning at its mouth in Howland, Penobscot County, thence westerly up the river to the junction of the Appalachian Trail near Blanchard, Piscataquis County, thence along the Appalachian Trail to a point where it crosses the Maine-New Hampshire line. Such area will include those islands in Penobscot Bay which are situated in Waldo and Knox Counties.

Zone 2. East of the west bank of the Penobscot River and south of the Maine Central Railroad tracks used by the Canadian Pacific Railway between Mattawamkeag, and the point where these tracks enter Canada near Vanceboro, Washington County. In Penobscot Bay this area shall include those islands situated in Hancock County.

Zone 3. All that area north of a zone line following the Appalachian Trail from the point where it crosses the Maine-New Hampshire line to a point where it crosses the Piscataquis River near Blanchard, Piscataquis County, thence easterly along the north shore of this river to its mouth in Howland, Penobscot County, thence northerly along the west bank of the Penobscot River to the

junction of the Canadian Pacific Railroad tracks in Mattawamkeag, Penobscot County, thence easterly along the Maine Central Railroad tracks used by the Canadian Pacific Railway to the point where they cross the Canadian border near Vanceboro, Washington County.

There shall be an open season on deer in each calendar year in the zones described above as follows:

Zone 1. November 1st to November 30th.

Zone 2. November 1st to December 5th

Zone 3. October 15th to November 30th.'

Sec. 2. Effective date. This act shall take effect January 1, 1960.