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## Chapter 115.

An Act Relating to the Issuance of Permits to Propagate Game Birds, Game and Fur-bearing Animals.

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

P. L., 1917, c. 219, sec. 5; 1917, c. 244; 1919, c. 196; 1925, c. 109; relating to powers and duties of commissioner of inland fisheries and game, amended. The last paragraph of section five of chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter two hundred and forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen and by chapter one hundred and ninety-six of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, and by chapter one hundred and nine of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-five, is hereby amended by striking out the tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth lines thereof and also the word "closing" in the fifteenth line thereof, so that said paragraph, as amended, shall read as follows:

Additional fees for breeders of foxes eliminated. 'He may issue permits to any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of propagating game birds, game or fur-bearing animals under such regulations as he shall establish. He may issue to any person, firm or corporation permit to fence in or enclose land not exceeding twenty-five acres in area for the above named purpose. When it appears that such application is made in good faith, and upon the payment of an annual fee of two dollars, said commissioner may issue to the applicant a breeder's license permitting the breeding and rearing of any species of game birds, game or fur-bearing animals within such enclosure. Such licensed breeders may at any time sell, transport or kill and sell, and any person, firm or corporation may purchase, have in possession or transport any game birds, game or fur-bearing animals raised by virtue of the provisions of this section, under such regulations as said commissioner may establish. Whoever engages in the business of breeding or rearing any game birds or game or fur-bearing animals at any time without first having procured a breeder's license as provided in this section, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten dollars nor more than fifty dollars and costs for each offense and five dollars additional for each game bird or game or fur-bearing animal raised or had in possession in violation of any provision of this section.'

Approved April 11, 1927.