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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

OF THE

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Chapter 394

AN ACT Relating to Hunting with Bow and Arrow.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 108, repealed and replaced. Section 108 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 108. Open season. There shall be an annual open season on deer during the month of October in each calendar year in the counties of Androscoggin, Cumberland, Hancock, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Oxford, Sagadahoc, Waldo, Washington and York for the purpose of hunting deer with bow and arrow only.

There shall be an annual open season on deer in each calendar year beginning the first day of October and ending the 20th day of October, both dates inclusive, in the counties of Aroostook, Franklin, Penobscot, Piscataquis and Somerset, for the purpose of hunting deer with bow and arrow only.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 110, amended. Section 110 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 110. Equipment. Deer may be taken under the provisions of sections 108 to 112, inclusive, only by means of ~~long bow with a minimum pull of 40 pounds~~ hand bow and broad head arrow. The use of crossbow or set bow is prohibited. The strength of a bow shall be determined by flight of an arrow, each bow to shoot an arrow at least 150 yards. The arrow head shall be ~~not more than 2½ inches in length and~~ not less than ⅞ inch in width. No person shall use arrows with either poisonous or explosive tips. No person shall carry firearms of any kind while hunting with bow and arrow. No deer shall be shot from a raised platform or standing tree.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 395

AN ACT Amending the Maine Housing Authorities Act.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 93, § 4, amended. Section 4 of chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 441 of the public laws of 1949, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 4. Appointment, qualifications, tenure and meetings of commissioners. Each authority shall have 5 commissioners appointed, in the case of a city, by the mayor with the advice and consent of the governing body of the city, and appointed, in the case of a town, by the selectmen; provided that no commissioner shall be appointed until the authority is authorized to function as provided in section 3. The commissioners who are first appointed pursuant to this chapter shall be designated to serve for terms of 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years, respectively, from the date of their appointment; and thereafter commissioners shall