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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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6. Mousam River, Middle Branch, from bridge near Yeaton Hill to junction with West Branch — Class \in B-2.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 181

AN ACT Increasing Penalties for Violation of Fishing Regulations.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 2560, amended. Section 2560 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2560. Penalties

Whoever violates any provision of sections 2552 and 2553 shall pay a fine of not less than \$20 nor more than \$30, and costs of prosecution, for each offense; and in addition thereto, ~~\$+~~ \$5 for each fish taken, caught, killed or had in possession in violation of any provision of said sections.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 182

AN ACT Relating to Brucellosis in Swine.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, swine brucellosis exists in some Maine herds and can be transmitted to humans by the handling of infected meat; and

Whereas, the eradication of swine brucellosis is now part of the National Brucellosis Program; and

Whereas, under the National Plan the approved uniform methods and rules for the eradication of porcine (swine) brucellosis are based upon sanitation, segregation and testing and this plan does not require indemnity; and

Whereas, infected herds can readily be detected by obtaining blood samples at the time of slaughter; and

Whereas, the procedure of restricting the sale of swine or pork from known infected herds is in line with the law restricting the sale of milk from dairy herds keeping known brucellosis reactors; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,