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#### **ACTS AND RESOLVES**

AS PASSED BY THE

# One Hundred and Third Legislature

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

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### **PUBLIC LAWS**

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- E. Any area of land largely in a natural condition and containing natural features of scenic, ecological or scientific interest or importance. The presence of man-made development shall not preclude an area from this classification if such developments either are not likely to remain or leave a permanent mark upon the natural character of the area, or if they are essential to the operation of the area as a wilderness or natural area, or both, and detract minimally from its natural character.
- Sec. 2. R. S., T. 12, § 602, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 602 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended by inserting after the first sentence, a new sentence, to read as follows:

Wilderness or natural areas, or both, shall be established and managed primarily to preserve the natural character and features of such areas, and any use or development which threatens such character and features shall be prohibited.

Effective October 7, 1967

#### Chapter 191

AN ACT Requiring Trucks Carrying Explosive or Inflammable Cargoes to Stop at Railroad Crossings.

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

- R. S., T. 29, § 950, additional. Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 950, to read as follows:
- § 950. Trucks carrying explosive or inflammable cargoes

All motor trucks used for the transportation of high explosives or poisonous or compressed inflammable gasses, or inflammable or corrosive liquids in bulk, whether loaded or empty, shall come to a full stop before crossing any railroad grade crossing, such stop to be made at a point not more than 50 feet and not less than 10 feet from the nearest rail. The operator of such vehicle failing to so stop shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$200.

Effective October 7, 1967

#### Chapter 192

AN ACT Establishing Two Zones for Open Season on Deer.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, § 2353, amended. The first 10 paragraphs of section 2353 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, are repealed and the following enacted in place thereof: