

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7102, sub-§5, ¶1, as repealed and replaced by PL 1979, c. 543, §9, is amended to read:

I. A person shall not carry firearms of any kind, excluding handguns, while hunting with a bow and arrow during the special archery season on deer, as described in subsection 4, paragraph B;

Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7102, sub-§6 is enacted to read:

6. Repeal. That part of subsection 5, paragraph I, that pertains to the exclusion of handguns shall be repealed on October 1, 1987. The Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife shall comply with Title 1, sections 2502 and 2503 in regard to this repeal.

Effective September 19, 1985.

CHAPTER 92

H.P. 345 - L.D. 462

AN ACT to Simplify the Appointment of
Directors to the Maine Municipal and
Rural Electrification Cooperative
Agency.

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

35 MRSA §4101, sub-§2, as amended by PL 1983, c. 192, §2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

2. Powers. The powers of the agency shall be exercised by a board of directors. The governing body or board of directors of any municipality and the board of trustees or directors of any cooperative shall each select a single director to serve on the board, provided that no director may be selected by more than one cooperative or municipality.

The Governor shall also appoint as a member a person who is not affiliated with any municipality or cooperative, as defined in section 4003, subsection 5, to represent the general public.

The Director of the Office of Energy Resources, or another employee of the Office of Energy Resources, as the director may from time to time designate in writing filed with the clerk of the agency, shall serve as a member of the board of directors.

Each director, before entering upon his duties, shall take and subscribe an oath to perform the duties of office faithfully, impartially and justly to the best of his ability. A record of such oaths shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

Of the directors who are first appointed, 2 directors shall be appointed for a term ending July 1, 1982; 2 directors shall be appointed for a term ending July 1, 1983; 2 directors shall be appointed for a term ending July 1, 1984; 2 directors shall be appointed for a term ending July 1, 1985; and the balance, if any, of the directors shall be appointed for a term ending July 1, 1986. Their successors shall serve for terms of 5 years each. Each director shall hold office until his successor is appointed and qualified. A director is eligible for reappointment. Any vacancy in the office of director occurring other than by expiration of term shall be filled by a successor director, who shall serve for the remaining term of office so vacated. Each director may be removed from office by the Governor for cause, after a public hearing, and may be suspended by the Governor pending the completion of the hearing.

Effective September 19, 1985.

CHAPTER 93

H.P. 813 - L.D. 1134

AN ACT to Amend the Laws Relating to Games of Chance.

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

Sec. 1. 17 MRSA §337, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 350, §8, is amended to read: