

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
**December 7, 1994 to June 30, 1995**

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**IN ACCORDANCE WITH MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,**  
**TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4**

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**J.S. McCarthy Company**  
**Augusta, Maine**  
**1995**

(6) Coordinate with other related land-owner relations activities, including Landowner Recognition Day; and

B. A program called the Sport Hunter Program. The Sport Hunter Program is established to combat disrespect and misconduct and to improve the hunter's image through landowner relations, coordination with hunter safety programs and conservation ethics. Three dollars of each \$15 collected under section 7101, subsection 5-A, section 7133, subsection 4-A and section 7151, subsection 5-A is dedicated to the Sport Hunter Program.

The Support Landowners Program and the Sport Hunter Program must operate within the department and must be implemented no later than January 1, 1996.

**Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7101, sub-§5, ¶E,** as repealed and replaced by PL 1993, c. 419, §5, is repealed.

**Sec. 3. 12 MRSA §7101, sub-§5-A** is enacted to read:

**5-A. Supersport hunting license.** In addition to the fees listed in subsection 5, a person may purchase a supersport license from the commissioner for \$15.

**Sec. 4. 12 MRSA §7133, sub-§4-A** is enacted to read:

**4-A. Supersport trapping license.** In addition to the fees listed in subsection 4, a person may purchase a supersport trapping license from the commissioner for \$15.

**Sec. 5. 12 MRSA §7151, sub-§5-A** is enacted to read:

**5-A. Supersport fishing license.** In addition to the fees listed in subsection 5, a person may purchase a supersport fishing license from the commissioner for \$15.

**Sec. 6. Allocation.** The following funds are allocated from Other Special Revenue funds to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	1995-96	1996-97
INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE, DEPARTMENT OF Support Landowners Program		
All Other	\$18,000	\$36,000

Allocates funds for the operating costs of the newly established Support Landowners Program.

**Sport Hunter Program**

All Other	4,500	9,000
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Allocates funds for the operating costs of the newly established Sport Hunter Program.

**DEPARTMENT OF INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE**

	\$22,500	\$45,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		

See title page for effective date.

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**CHAPTER 437**

**S.P. 21 - L.D. 52**

**An Act Concerning the Labeling of Refundable Beverage Containers**

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

**Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §1865, sub-§1-B** is enacted to read:

**1-B. Labels; nonrefillable containers; exclusive distributorships.** Notwithstanding subsection 1 and with respect to nonrefillable beverage containers, for the deposits that are initiated pursuant to section 1863-A, subsection 2, the refund value and the word "Maine" or the abbreviation "ME" may be clearly indicated on refundable beverage containers sold or offered for sale by a dealer in this State by use of stickers or similar devices if those containers are not otherwise marked in accordance with subsection 1. A redemption center shall accept containers identified by stickers in accordance with this subsection or by embossing or stamping in accordance with subsection 1.

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**CHAPTER 438**

**H.P. 536 - L.D. 732**

**An Act to Increase the Compensation of Members of the State Claims Commission**