

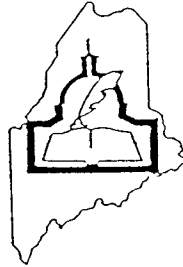
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**One Hundred and Fourteenth Legislature
Second Regular Session**

**Joint Standing Committee
Bill Summaries**

June 1990

This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees and Joint Select Committees of the Maine Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number for each committee.

All Adopted Amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor for floor amendments. Final action is listed to the right of the title. Committee Reports and Floor Action are abbreviated as follows:

OTP
OTP-ND
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OTP-A
ONTP
LVWD
INDEF PP

Ought to Pass
Ought to Pass in New Draft
Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title
Ought to Pass as Amended
Ought Not to Pass
Leave to Withdraw
Indefinitely Postponed

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LD 2159 **An Act to Reduce Hunting Related Accidents**

ONTP

SPONSOR(S)

GOULD R R
SMITH
CARROLL J
DUFFY

COMMITTEE REPORT

ONTP

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill sought to extend the time period during which hunters' are required to wear hunter orange clothing to the 1st of October.

LD 2161 **An Act Concerning the Driving of Deer**

PUBLIC 705

SPONSOR(S)

TWITCHELL
WALKER
HASTINGS
GREENLAW

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

H-857 JACQUES
S-501

SUMMARY

This bill redefines the violation of "driving deer". As amended (by S-501 and H-857) it defines driving deer or moose as "an organized or planned effort to pursue, drive, chase or otherwise frighten or cause a deer or moose to move in the direction of any person or persons who are part of the organized or planned hunt and known to be waiting for the deer or moose." The title was amended to include driving moose as well as deer to conform to the language of the statute.

LD 2183 **An Act to Provide More Equitable Hunting and Trapping
Opportunity for Maine Sportsmen**

**RULED
NOT GERMAINE**

SPONSOR(S)

CARROLL J
ESTY
GREENLAW
WALKER

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP MAJ
ONTP MIN

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill sought to extend the deer-hunting season to the first Saturday in December in any year during which the last day of November falls on a Wednesday, Thursday or Friday. A bill substantially similar to this was defeated during the first regular session. For that reason, this bill was ruled not properly before the body in the House of Representatives.