



126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 348(01)

An Act To Allow Hunting for Deer with a Crossbow during the Expanded Archery Season

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Wood of Sabattus

Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	Projections FY 2015-16	Projections FY 2016-17
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	(\$24,062)	(\$24,062)	(\$24,062)	(\$24,062)
Revenue				
General Fund	\$24,062	\$24,062	\$24,062	\$24,062

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Eliminates Class D and Class E crimes and civil violations.

A reduction in fines will decrease General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This legislation allows a person to hunt with a crossbow during an expanded archery deer hunting season that is to be established in rule. The Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife estimates that this expanded season would increase sales of crossbow and expanded archery permits and result in an increase in General Fund revenue of \$24,062 beginning in fiscal year 2013-14.