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S.P. 169

In Senate, February 9, 2017

An Act Regarding Restrictions on the Purchase of Certain Animals

Reference to the Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry suggested and ordered printed.

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST Secretary of the Senate

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Presented by Senator DAVIS of Piscataquis. (BY REQUEST)

1	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2 3	<b>Sec. 1. 7 MRSA §3972, sub-§1, ¶B,</b> as enacted by PL 1987, c. 383, §3, is amended to read:
4 5 6	B. Sell, display, raffle, give away or offer for sale to the public any live fowl, turtles or rabbits under 8 weeks of age in lots of less than 6 for the period beginning 6 weeks before Easter Sunday and ending 6 weeks after Easter Sunday;
7	SUMMARY
8	Current law prohibits a person from selling, displaying, raffling, giving away or
9	offering for sale to the public any live fowl, turtles or rabbits under 8 weeks of age in lots
10	of less than 6. This bill limits that prohibition to the period beginning 6 weeks before
11	Easter Sunday and ending 6 weeks after Easter Sunday.