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## An Act To Allow Fees To Be Charged for Wild Game Dinners

Reference to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife suggested and ordered printed.

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HEATHER J.R. PRIEST Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator SAVIELLO of Franklin. Cosponsored by Senators: CARSON of Cumberland, DILL of Penobscot, LANGLEY of Hancock.

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

2 Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §11217, sub-§2, ¶I is enacted to read:

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I. A person who has lawfully killed or trapped and registered, if required by this Part,
a wild animal may sell the meat of the animal at a wild game dinner or to the
organizer of a wild game dinner. For the purposes of this paragraph, "wild game
dinner" means a single event where meat from an animal lawfully taken under this
Part is cooked and sold to persons at the event for immediate consumption.

**SUMMARY** 

9 This bill allows a person who has lawfully killed a wild animal to sell the meat of the 10 animal at a wild game dinner or to the organizer of a wild game dinner. The bill defines 11 "wild game dinner" as a single event where meat from a lawfully taken animal is cooked 12 and sold to persons at the event for immediate consumption.