



# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 276

LR 947(01)

**An Act To Require a Game Warden's Certificate To Kill Wild Animals Causing Damage to Crops or Orchards and Notification to Nearby Residents**

**Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill**

**Sponsor: Rep. Pierce of Dresden**

**Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife**

**Fiscal Note Required: No**

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## Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

Minor cost increase - General Fund

### **Fiscal Detail and Notes**

Any additional costs to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to investigate and issue certificates allowing the taking or killing of wild animals causing substantial damage to orchards or crops are anticipated to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.