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In Senate, February 19, 2019

An Act To Preserve Maine's Heritage by Expanding Maine Youth Hunting

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

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DAREK M. GRANT Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator KEIM of Oxford.

Cosponsored by Senator: DAVIS of Piscataquis, Representatives: DRINKWATER of Milford, MASON of Lisbon.

1	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2	Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §11251, sub-§3, as enacted by PL 2017, c. 357, §1, is amended
3	to read:
4	3. Youth bear hunting days. The commissioner may establish by rule $\frac{1}{2}$
5	consecutive days, Thursday to Saturday, as youth hunting day days for hunting bear.
6	Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §11402, sub-§4, ¶C, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 414, Pt. A, §2
7	and affected by c. 614, §9, is amended to read:
8	C. Establish a 3 consecutive days, Thursday to Saturday, as youth deer hunting day
9	<u>days</u> .
10	SUMMARY
11	This bill allows the Commissioner of Inland and Fisheries and Wildlife to establish 3
12	consecutive days as youth hunting days for hunting bear and deer.