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An Act To Remove Prior-operation Requirements for Commercial Large Game Shooting Area Licensing

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

Sec. 1. 7 MRSA §1342, 2nd ¶, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 765, §3, is repealed.

Sec. 2. 7 MRSA §1342, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 765, §3, is amended to read:

1. Application. An applicant for a commercial large game shooting area license must submit an application on a form provided by the commissioner along with the required license fee as provided under subsection 3. An application must be submitted for a specific parcel of land, ~~and the applicant must demonstrate in accordance with subsection 9 that the applicant has operated a commercial large game shooting area on that parcel of land between October 1, 1999 and March 15, 2000.~~ The application must include the name and address of the person applying for the license and a map locating the proposed site in relation to known or easily identifiable terrain features, such as a road junction or a stream and road junction. The map must be a copy of a 7.5 or 15 minute series topographical map produced by the United States Geological Survey or a map of equivalent or superior detail in the location of roads.

Sec. 3. 7 MRSA §1342, sub-§9, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 765, §3, is repealed.

SUMMARY

This bill removes the provisions that prevent any person who did not operate a commercial large game shooting area between October 1, 1999 and March 15, 2000 from obtaining a license to operate a commercial large game shooting area.