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House of Representatives, February 7, 2023

**An Act to Allow the Deferral of a Moose Hunting Permit If More
than One Permit Is Awarded Within the Same Household**

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative DILL of Old Town.
Cosponsored by Representatives: LANDRY of Farmington, MASON of Lisbon, THORNE of Carmel, WOOD of Greene, Senator: BLACK of Franklin.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §11154, sub-§18** is enacted to read:

3 **18. Moose permit deferment; multiple permits in single household.** The
4 commissioner may authorize a person who holds a valid moose permit to defer the permit
5 until the next moose hunting season in circumstances in which a member of that permit
6 holder's household also holds a valid moose permit for the same hunting season. For the
7 purposes of this subsection, members of a household must share a legal address.

8 **SUMMARY**

9 This bill allows a holder of a valid moose hunting permit to defer the permit to the next
10 hunting season if another person in the household also holds a valid moose hunting permit
11 for the same hunting season.