## Maine State Legislature

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(New Draft of H.P. 312, L.D. 371)
(New Title)
FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document
No. 1720
H.P. 1296

House of Representatives, June 1, 1983
Reported by Representative Ridley from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources and printed under Joint Rule 2.

Original bill presented by Representative Rolde of York.
EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

State of MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE

> AN ACT to Identify Areas Requiring Further Protection within the Allagash Wilderness Waterway.

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

Sec. 1. Study. The Joint Standing Committee on Energy and Natural Resources shall study timber harvesting within the Allagash Wilderness Waterway and identify specific areas that may require limited or special harvesting methods because of their natural character, habitat or other resources.

Sec. 2. Consultation and assistance. The committee shall consult with affected landowners for this study. The Bureau of Parks and Recreation shall provide assistance to the committee.

Sec. 3. Report. The committee shall submit its report, including any proposed legislation, to the Second Regular Session of the lllth Legislature.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

Timber harvesting is permitted in much of the Allagash Wilderness Waterway. This bill requires the Joint Standing Committee on Energy and Natural. Resources to study specific areas within the waterway where cutting restrictions may be necessary and appropriate.

