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No. 815

H.P. 605

House of Representatives, March 14, 1995

An Act to Limit the Size of Drag Nets Used in South Bay in Eastport.

Reference to the Committee on Marine Resources suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative BAILEY of Township 27.
Cosponsored by Representative: BUNKER of Kossuth Township.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6954-B** is enacted to read:

6 **§6954-B. Drag limits in South Bay in Eastport**

8 It is unlawful to fish in South Bay in Eastport, including
10 all waters south and east of a line drawn from Gove Point
12 westerly to Youngs Point, with any one combination of drags or
14 drag in excess of 5 feet 6 inches in width by measuring from the
16 extreme outside edge of the mouth of the drag or drags. In
18 addition, any rock drag used for the taking of scallops is
20 limited to no more than 6 3-inch rings deep.

16 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

18 This bill places size limits on drag nets used in South Bay
20 in Eastport.