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1	MINORITY L.D. 514
2	Date: $0/5/2013$ (Filing No. S- 210)
3	INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE
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5	STATE OF MAINE
6	SENATE
7	126TH LEGISLATURE
8	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
9 10	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 204, L.D. 514, Bill, "An Act To Allow Boards and Associations of Lakes and Ponds To Stock Fish"
11 12	Amend the bill in section 1 in §12758-B by striking out all of subsection 1 (page 1, lines 6 to 13 in L.D.) and inserting the following:
13 14	'1. Authority to stock fish. A lake association may stock with fish a pond subject to the association's activities as long as the lake association:
15	A. Receives approval from the department for the fish being stocked;
16 17	B. Purchases the fish to be used for stocking from a hatchery approved by the department; and
18 19	C. Pays all costs incurred by the department for activities related to stocking by the lake association;'
20	SUMMARY
21 22 23 24 25	This amendment adds a stipulation that a lake association's authority to stock with fish a pond subject to the association's activities also requires the association to receive prior approval of the fish being stocked from the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. This amendment removes the requirement that the association provide the public with year-round boat access to the pond being stocked by the association.
26	FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
27	(See attached)

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## 126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Allow Boards and Associations of Lakes and Ponds To Stock Fish

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment A 210 Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

## **Fiscal Note**

Minor cost increase - General Fund

## Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife associated with the provisions of this legislation can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.