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INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE

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FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1077, L.D. 1623, "An Act to Amend
10 Certain Fish and Wildlife Laws Related to Landowner Representation Regarding
11 Abandoned Property"

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Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph A in subparagraph (5) in the 2nd blocked
13 paragraph in the 4th and 5th lines (page 1, lines 30 and 31 in L.D.) by striking out the
14 following: "after consultation with the Bureau of Warden Service,"

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Amend the bill in section 8 in §2001 in subsection 3 in the 7th and 8th lines (page 3,
16 lines 41 and 42 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "after consultation with the Bureau
17 of Warden Service,"

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Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
19 number to read consecutively.

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SUMMARY

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This amendment removes language from the bill that requires a landowner or a
22 landowner's representative to consult with the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife,
23 Bureau of Warden Service before taking ownership of an abandoned ladder, observation
24 stand, camera or electronic surveillance equipment.

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

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(See attached)



Approved: 05/28/25 **LRL**

132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1623

LR 1540(02)

An Act to Amend Certain Fish and Wildlife Laws Related to Landowner Representation Regarding Abandoned Property

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment

Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

ACH-440)

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Minor revenue increase – Other Special Revenue Funds

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

The additional workload associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system does not require additional funding at this time. The collection of additional fines will increase General Fund or other dedicated revenue by minor amounts.

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife from the provisions of this bill are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.