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History and Final Disposition

LD 1826 / HP1359

Original Title: An Act To Create a Subcommittee of the Interagency Task Force on Invasive Aquatic Plants and Nuisance Species To Recommend Ways To Reduce the Threat of Further Infestations. New Title: An Act To Require Reporting by the Interagency Task Force on Invasive Aquatic Plants and Nuisance Species Regarding Recommendations To Reduce the Threat of Further Infestations. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.) Presented by Representative HASENFUS of Readfield. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources. Public Hearing 01/10/22. OTP-AM Accepted 03/09/22. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-774. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 03/29/22, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 522.

Original Bill

[LD 1826 \(130th Legis. 2021\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 1826 / PL 2021, c. 522](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

- Master file available on request—please include citation: cf130-LD-1826.pdf
[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(ENR\) \(01/10/2022\)](#)
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(ENR\) \(01/19/2022\)](#)
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(ENR\) \(01/31/2022\)](#)
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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-0774\) \(LD 1826 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, January 5, 2022 \(H-1003-1039\)](#)

p. H-1013

[SENATE, January 5, 2022 \(S-1311-1368\)](#)

p. S-1363

[HOUSE, February 23, 2022 \(H-1116-1137\)](#)

p. H-1125 (Amendment(s) H-774)

[SENATE, March 9, 2022 \(S-1515-1581\)](#)

p. S-1564 (Amendment(s) H-774)

[HOUSE, March 22, 2022 \(H-1172-1202\)](#)

p. H-1201 (Amendment(s) H-774)

[SENATE, March 24, 2022 \(S-1642-1666\)](#)

p. S-1662 (Amendment(s) H-774)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2021, c. 522](#)

News Articles

Groups seek new rules protecting Maine lakes from invasive species (Peter McGuire) (Portland Press Herald, 1/18/2022, p. A1, A5) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1826/PPH 220118B.pdf)

Trust lake associations to fight invasive species (Editorial) (Portland Press Herald, 1/24/2022, p. A4) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1826/PPH 220124D.pdf)

Advocates urge officials to do more in invasive lake species fight (Steve Collins) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 1/30/2022, p. C1, C2) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1826/Sun Journal 220130B.pdf)

New law to help tackle invasive plants plaguing Maine's lakes (Chris Bouchard) (Portland Press Herald, 4/18/2022, p. B1, B5) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1826/PPH 220418C.pdf)

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