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History and Final Disposition

LD 1844 / HP1365

Original Title: An Act To Provide for Special Fees for Certain Aquaculture Lease Applications and To Amend Other Provisions in the Laws Governing Aquaculture Leases.
New Title: An Act To Amend Provisions in the Laws Governing Aquaculture Leases.
(Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)
Presented by Representative MCCREIGHT of Harpswell. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources. Public Hearing 02/08/22. OTP-AM Accepted 03/24/22.
Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-815. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/04/22, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 557.

Original Bill

[LD 1844 \(130th Legis. 2021\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 1844 / PL 2021, c. 557](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources

- Master file available on request—please include citation: cf130-LD-1844.pdf
[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(MAR\) \(02/08/2022\)](#)
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(MAR\) \(02/15/2022\)](#)
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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-0815\) \(LD 1844 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

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

p. H-1014

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

p. S-1365

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

p. H-1200 (Amendment(s) H-815)

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

p. S-1648 (Amendment(s) H-815)

[HOUSE, March 29, 2022 \(H-1231-1256\)](#)

p. H-1252 (Amendment(s) H-815)

[SENATE, March 31, 2022 \(S-1703-1730\)](#)

p. S-1727 (Amendment(s) H-815)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2021, c. 557](#)

News Articles

New fee proposal would boost cost of aquaculture projects in Maine (Ethen Genter) (Bangor Daily News, 2/10/2022, p. B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1844/BDN 220210D.pdf)

Lawmakers oppose higher fees for large aquaculture projects (Ethan Genter) (Bangor Daily News, 2/21/2022, p. B1, B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1844/BDN 220221E.pdf)

Hike in aquaculture application fees eyed (Edward French) (Quoddy Tides, 2/25/2022, p. 2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1844/Clip22090.pdf)

Aquaculture application fee bill amended (Edward French) (Quoddy Tides, 4/8/2022, p. 2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1844/Clip22168.pdf)

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