

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Fisheries Development Fund

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Positions		
Personal Services	\$32,445	\$48,667
All Other	10,000	20,000
Capital Expenditures	12,000	3,000
Total	<u>\$54,445</u>	<u>\$71,667</u>
TOTAL	\$160,306	\$179,658
1185	AN ACT TO CHANGE THE SEASON DURING WHICH SCALLOPS MAY BE TAKEN	Zirnkilton LV/WD
1186	AN ACT TO PLACE A LIMIT ON THE NUMBER OF LOBSTER TRAPS A PERSON MAY USE TO TAKE LOBSTER	Zirnkilton LV/WD
1187	AN ACT RELATING TO CLAM REGULATION IN THE UNORGANIZED TERRITORIES	Vose ENACT. PL 283

SUMMARY: This bill authorizes unorganized townships to adopt shellfish conservation programs similar to programs in organized municipalities. The county commissioners will act as the municipal legislative body, provided that the majority of the inhabitants have voted to adopt a conservation program. Any necessary funding could be raised through the unorganized territories educational and services tax.

1207	AN ACT CONCERNING MENHADEN FISHING IN CASCO BAY	Livesay	REF'D TO COMMITTEE
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SUMMARY: There is a gear conflict between large and small menhaden seiners in Casco Bay. This bill would have prohibited the taking of menhaden by seine in the area from Princess Point to Cape Small without a permit from the Department of Marine Resources. The bill also would have prohibited the transportation of more than 50,000 pounds of menhaden within this area. The bill was carried over for further study during the interim.

1212	RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE ATLANTIC SEA RUN SALMON COMMISSION TO CONVEY SALMON SMOLT TO OCEAN PRODUCTS, INC	Brown, L	ENACT. RESOLVE 22
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SUMMARY: This resolve authorizes the Atlantic Sea Run Salmon Commission to convey 100,000 salmon smolt to Ocean Products, Inc., for use in private pen-culture aquaculture operations in Washington County upon 2