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L.D. 349

We note that L.D. 349, An Act Relating to Pollution of Waters Forming an International Boundary, in effect directs a state agency to adopt standards of an authority other than that within the control of the Maine State Legislature. We question the constitutionality of this bill and suggest you ask that it be withdrawn.

The legislature, of course, may set proper standards for the waters in question.

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