

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 995

S. P. 302

In Senate, February 25, 1969

Referred to Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent down for concurrence and 1,000 ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Wyman of Washington.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Operation of Purse Seines Within Territorial Waters
of Washington County.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., T. 12, § 4209, additional. Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 4209, to read as follows:

§ 4209. Purse seines in Washington County

The use of a purse seine within the territorial waters of Washington County is prohibited from April 1st to November 30th each year.

For the purpose of this section a purse seine is defined as any seine or net which is over 400 feet in length and rigged with a purse line to draw in the bottom of the seine.

Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$200 nor more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or by both.