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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1295

S. P. 381

In Senate, March 12, 1969

Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources. Sent down for concurrence and 1,000 copies ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Bernard of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Discharges from Thermal Electric Power Plants.

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

R. S., T. 38, § 418, additional. Title 38 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 418, to read as follows:

§ 418. Discharge from thermal electric power plants; duty of commission

Whenever the commission receives applications for licenses for discharges from thermal electric power plants, it shall require, before granting such licenses, studies of the ecological impact of discharges from such facilities. Such studies shall be conducted by the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries and the cost of such studies shall be borne by the applicant.