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No. 1410

H. P. 1093

House of Representatives, March 27, 1969

Referred to Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Erickson of Warren.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Taking of Alewives in Georges River.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, fishing is one of Maine's greatest natural resources; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to prevent the fishing for alewives in Georges River; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

P. & S. L., 1959, c. 155, § 54, amended. Section 54 of chapter 155 of the private and special laws of 1959 is amended by adding at the end, a new paragraph, as follows:

No one shall fish, disturb or molest the alewives in the waters of Georges River in any way from April 20th to June 15th, including any boat operated within 1,000 feet of the alewife trap located approximately 500 feet south of the Lower Warren Village Bridge.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.