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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Closed Season and Minimum Size of Coho Salmon.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 3951-A, additional. Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 3951-A to read as follows:

§ 3951-A. Coho salmon; closed season

It shall be unlawful to take coho salmon from any of the tidal waters of the State of Maine, except as provided in this section.

1. Exception for rod and line. It is lawful to fish for and take coho salmon by rod and single line but not in any other manner.
2. Daily limit. No one shall take more than 2 coho salmon in any one day.
3. Size. The minimum length shall be 14 inches.
4. Penalty. Whoever violates this section shall be punished as provided in section 4504 and by a fine of \$10 for each coho salmon taken.