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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 143

H. P. 115 House of Representatives, January 9, 1975 Referred to Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Kelley of Machias.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Prohibit the Use of Motorboats on Simpson's Pond.

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

12 MRSA, § 2084 is enacted to read:

§ 2084. —Simpson's Pond

No person, except officers empowered to enforce this chapter, shall operate a motorboat on a body of water commonly known as Simpson's Pond, situated within the Town of Roque Bluffs in the County of Wsahington.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This Act will prohibit the use of motorboats on Simpson's Pond, a shallow 21-acre pond located in the Town of Roque Bluffs in Washington County.

During the summer approximately 5 motorboats are used each weekend on this small pond, and the gasoline and oil they put into it threatens to seriously pollute it. This Act will ensure that such pollution does not take place.