

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 251**

H. P. 189

House of Representatives, February 3, 1977

Referred to the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Dow of West Gardiner.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT to Establish an Annual Procedure for Updating Open Water  
and Ice Fishing Regulations.**

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

12 MRSA § 1961, 2nd ¶, as enacted by PL 1973, c. 170, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

Fishing regulations as set forth in the 1976 Open Water Fishing Regulations folder and the 1977 Ice Fishing Regulations folder, as printed and distributed to the public, are declared to be official consolidations of fishing regulations, and each subsequent annual revision of these publications shall constitute an official consolidation as printed. Changes in these regulations, except for corrections of printing errors, shall be made according to procedures established in section 1960.

**STATEMENT OF FACT**

This bill establishes an annual procedure for updating the annual open water and ice fishing regulations.