

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1357

H. P. 1150

House of Representatives, March 30, 1977

On motion of Mrs. Post of Owls Head, referred to the Committee on Marine Resources. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Shute of Stockton Springs.

Cosponsor: Mr. Drinkwater of Belfast.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Prohibit Purse Seining for Menhaden, that is, Pogies, in the Penobscot River.

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

12 MRSA § 4214 is enacted to read:

§ 4214. Purse seining for menhaden, that is, pogies in the Penobscot River

It is unlawful to fish for or take menhaden, that is, pogies, by use of a purse seine inside and up-river of a line drawn from the lighthouse on Dice Head, Castine, to Turtle Head on Islesboro, and thence to the town wharf at Bay-side, Northport.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to prohibit purse seining for menhaden, that is, pogies, in the Penobscot River.