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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1381

H. P. 1147 House of Representatives, March 30, 1977 On Motion of Mrs. Post of Owls Head, referred to 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 Otter Trawling for Scallops in the Penobscot.

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

12 MRSA § 4406 is enacted to read:

§ 4406. Dragging scallops by otter trawl; Penobscot River

It is unlawful to fish for or take scallops by use of an otter trawl 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 Bayside, Northport.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to prohibit otter trawling for scallops in the Penobscot River.