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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
108TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1533, L.D. 1765, RESOLVE,
Designating Weskeag Marsh at Thomaston as the "R. Waldo Tyler
Wilderness Area."

Amend the Resolve in the Title by striking out the words
"Wilderness Area" and inserting in their place the words 'Wild-
life Management Area'

Further amend the Resolve by striking out everything
after the Title and inserting in its place the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts and Resolves of the
Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjourn-
ment, unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the preservation of Maine's land and wildlife in
their natural state is a matter of critical importance to the
citizens of this State; and

Whereas, it is of utmost importance that those areas of
the State set aside for the preservation of wildlife be clearly
designated as wildlife areas; and

Whereas, R. Waldo Tyler, through his writings and photography,
contributed greatly to arousing interest in the natural beauties
of Maine; and

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Whereas, the summer months, when Maine's natural beauty attracts people from all parts of the country, are the most appropriate time to designate the Weskeag Marsh as a wildlife area and to honor the man whose talents contributed to the preservation of Maine's natural beauty; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

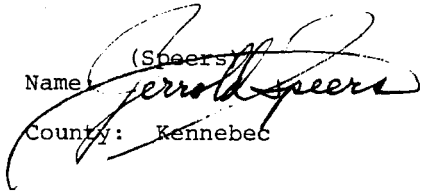
R. Waldo Tyler Wildlife Management Area. Resolved: That in recognition of the inspiring writings, photography and deep love for the great outdoors of R. Waldo Tyler, a tract of land, located in Rockland, Thomaston, South Thomaston and Owls Head, be named the "R. Waldo Tyler Wildlife Management Area" and that an appropriate plaque designating the name of the area be erected and maintained by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife at such location as the department shall select.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Resolve shall take effect when approved.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to change the designation of the Weskeag Marsh from the R. Waldo Tyler Wilderness Area

to the R. Waldo Tyler Wildlife Management Area. The amendment also adds an emergency preamble and emergency clause to the Resolve.

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County: Kennebec

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