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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
108TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT"B" to HOUSE AMENDMENT"A" to H.P. 2146, L.D.  
2166, Bill, "AN ACT to Revise the Laws Concerning Marine Resources."

Amend the amendment on page 4 by inserting after the 2nd  
paragraph the following:

'Further amend the bill in section 4, in that part designated  
"§6074." by inserting after subsection 5, the following:

6. Renewal. The commissioner shall annually renew the  
license on request 4 times after the initial issuance, unless the  
license holder has not complied with the conditions of the license.  
Renewals shall not require a new application nor filing fee and  
shall not require the advice and consent of the advisory council.

Further amend the bill in section 4, in that part designated  
"§6074." by striking out all of subsection 6 and inserting in  
its place the following:

7. Transportation permit. A transportation permit shall be  
required for a special license holder to ship, transport or sell  
any marine organism raised or harvested under a special license.  
The commissioner may place conditions or limitations on the  
authorized  
activities/by this permit to the extent necessary to provide proper  
controls and to comply with federal or state health or sanitation  
standards. The commissioner shall annually renew the permit on

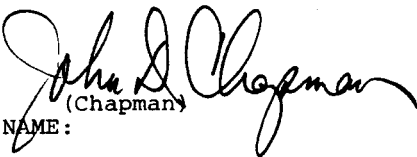
request unless the permit holder has not complied with the conditions of the permit or unless the permit holder no longer holds a special license.'

Further amend the amendment on page 23 by striking out in section 9, all of subsection 2 and inserting in its place the following:

'2. Agreements; leases; contracts or authorizations. All agreements, leases, contracts or authorizations issued under prior marine resources' laws, except licenses, permits or certificates, shall continue to be valid under the terms of issuance until they expire or are rescinded, amended or revoked. Any special license and transportation permit issued under prior marine resources' laws may be renewed under the terms of issuance and the provisions of Title 12, section 3703-A, as in effect on December 31, 1978; provided the special license is not in conflict with this Act or the special license is amended to conform to this Act prior to its renewal.'

#### Statement of Fact

This amendment allows 4 automatic renewals of the special license without the payment of a filing fee and without the advice and consent of the advisory council. This amendment changes this section to more closely conform to present law. The amendment also allows the renewal of present special licenses if the special license is not in conflict with the Act or is amended to conform to the Act.

  
(Chapman)

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