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1 SECOND REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 1719

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7 H. P. 1734

Office of the Clerk of the House

8 Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to
9 Joint Rule 24. Reference to the Committee on Marine Resources sug-
10 gested and 1,400 ordered printed. Approved for introduction by the Legis-
lative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26.

11 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

12 Presented by Representative Fowlie of Rockland
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14 STATE OF MAINE
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16 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
17 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO
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19 AN ACT Relating to Emergency Closure of
20 Contaminated Shellfish Areas.
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22 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

23 Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6172, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1977,
24 c. 661, §5, is repealed.

25 Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §6172, sub-§4-A, is enacted to read;

26 4-A. Effective date. Notwithstanding any provisions
27 of the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, Title 5, chapter
28 375, an emergency regulation authorized by subsection 2
29 shall be effective immediately upon signature by the commis-
30 sioner or his authorized designee. Upon promulgation of
31 such an emergency regulation, the commissioner shall give
32 oral notice of the emergency closure to local governmental

