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Submitted by the Depa 24.	rtment of Marine Resources pursuant to	Joint Rule
Speaker laid before the of Winslow, referred to the Affairs. Sent up for concur	EDWIN H. PI	ncial
Presented by Representative	Ainsworth of Yarmouth. Nute of Waldo, Representative Manning	of
Portland and Representative		01
	STATE OF MAINE	
	THE YEAR OF OUR LORD HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE	
	reate a Revolving Fund for	
Publications	of the Department of Marine Resources.	
Be it enacted by th follows:	e People of the State of Ma	ine as
Sec. 1. 12 MF read:	SA §6022, sub-§15 is ena	cted to
15. Revolving f	und. The commissioner may	prepare
and distribute pri	nted and audio-visual mater	ials on
	statutory jurisdiction. Th	
	the department a revolving and distribution costs o	
	issioner shall fix the pri	
which publications	of the department may be	sold or
		without
charge, an appropri	ate number of each publicat	ion for
complimentary dist	ribution. Income from the	sale of

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publications that were charged to the revolving fund and any other moneys the commissioner may receive, from whatever source, consistent with the purposes of this section, shall be credited to the revolving fund to be used as a continuing carrying account to carry out the purposes of the fund.

7 Sec. 2. Transition provision. For 2 years fol-8 lowing the effective date of this Act, the commissioner may credit to the revolving fund, established 9 by the Revised Statutes, 10 Title 12, section 6022, 11 income from the sale of any publication whose print-12 ing or distribution was funded by the General Fund, provided that the income credited may be no greater 13 14 than the difference between the funds received from the sale of the publication and actual General Fund 15 16 costs of printing and distribution.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

18 This bill authorizes the commissioner to set 19 prices for departmental informational materials and 20 creates a revolving fund to cover the cost of prepar-21 ing, printing and distributing these materials.

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