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1	(New Draft of S.P. 173, L.D. 528)
2 3	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
4 5	ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
6 7	Legislative Document No. 1172
8 9 10 11	S.P. 389 Reported by Report B from the Committee on Marine Resources and printed under Joint Rule 2. JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate
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13 14	STATE OF MAINE
15 16 17	IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE
18 19 20	AN ACT to License the Harvest of Seaweeds.
21 22	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
23 24	Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6001, sub-§38-A is enacted to read:
25	38-A. Seaweed. "Seaweed" means all marine algae.
26 27	<pre>Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §6801, as amended by PL 1981, c. 480, §7, is repealed.</pre>
28	Sec. 3. 12 MRSA §6802 is enacted to read:
29	§6802. Seaweed permit

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- 2. Other licenses. The holder of a current marine worm dealer or wholesale seafood license may engage in the activities authorized under this section without paying any additional fees.
- 3. Permitted activities. The holder of a seaweed permit may take seaweed or possess, ship, transport or sell seaweed that he has harvested for commercial purposes.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This new draft exempts holders of marine worm dealers and wholesale seafood licenses from the requirement to obtain a seaweed permit and deletes any charge for seaweed licenses.

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