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L.D. 2248

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1693,
L.D. 2248, Bill, "AN ACT Concerning Striped Bass."

Amend the bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following:

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

Whereas, the stocks of striped bass are declining rapidly and are in imminent danger of depletion; 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,'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the beginning of the first line after the enacting clause (page 1, line 22 in L.D.) the following: 'Sec. 1. '

Further amend the bill by adding at the end before the statement of fact the following:

'Sec. 2. Sunset. This section is repealed on December 31, 1987.

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1693, L.D. 2248

1 STATEMENT OF FACT

2 The purpose of this amendment is to make the bill
3 an emergency bill and to add a sunset provision.

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