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H.P. 660 House of Representatives, March 24, 1987 Reference to the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife suggested and ordered printed.
EDWIN H. PERT. Clerk

Presented by Representative GREENLAW of Standish.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN

| 1 2 3 | AN ACT to Extend the Freshwater Fishing Season for Nongame Fish in Southern Maine. |
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| 4 5 | Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: |
| 6 7 | Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7552, sub-§5, ¶F, as amended by PL 1983, c. 274, §2, is further amended to read: |
| 8 9 10 | F. The open season in Aroostook County for all fish in rivers, brooks and streams is May 1st to September 15th; and |
| 11 12 | <pre>Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7552, sub-§5, ¶G, as enacted by PL 1983, c. 274, §3, is amended to read:</pre> |
| 13 14 15 | G. There shall be a continued closed season on the dipping of smelts from Morrill Pond and its tributaries in Somerset County: and |

| 2 . | Sec. 3. 12 MRSA \$7552, sub-\$5, ¶H is enacted to read: |
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| 3 | H. The open season for bass, pickerel and perch |
| 4 | for all waters within York, Cumberland and Oxford |
| 5 | Counties shall be from April 1st to November 1st. |

6 STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill proposes to extend the fishing season for nongame fish species in southern Maine through the month of October.

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