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1	L.D. 1307
2	(Filing No. S-186)
3 4 5 6	STATE OF MAINE SENATE 113TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION
7 8 9	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 427, L.D. 1307, Bill, "AN ACT to Enhance Public Access and Outdoor Recreation Opportunities."
10 11	Amend the bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following:
12 13	'AN ACT Establishing the Maine Commission on Outdoor Recreation.'
14 15 16	Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:
17 18	'Sec. 1. Commission established. There is created the Maine Commission on Outdoor Recreation.
19 20 21 22	Sec. 2. Purpose. The purpose of the commission is to examine the present outdoor recreation needs of the public and to determine whether current public policies properly address that need.
23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37	Sec. 3. Appointment. The commission shall be comprised as follows: Six members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House and 3 members of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate with expertise in natural resources, fisheries and wildlife and taxation; and 7 members appointed by the Governor, one of whom shall be a representative of organized sportsman's groups, one of whom shall be a large industrial landowner presently engaged in exclusive recreational leasing of forest land, one of whom shall be a representative of organized forest landowners' groups, one of whom shall be a representative of sporting camp owners, one of whom shall be a representative of organized snowmobilers' groups, one of whom shall be a repre-

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1 2 3 4 5 6	sentative of small landowners and one of whom shall be appointed from the public at large. The Commissioner of Conservation or his designee and the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife or his designee also shall serve as ex officio members of the commission.
7 8 9 10 11	Sec. 4. Report. The commission shall file a preliminary report with the Legislative Council no later than December 15, 1987, and a final report including any necessary implementing legislation by January 15, 1988, to the Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources.
13 14	Sec. 5. Staff. The commission may request staff assistance from the Legislative Council.
15 16 17	Sec. 6. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.
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22 23	Personal Services \$ 2,475 All Other 7,550
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This amendment replaces the bill and establishes
the Maine Commission on Outdoor Recreation to examine
the outdoor recreation needs of the public and makes
a final report to the Legislature by January 15,
1988.

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Reported by Senator Usher for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12. (6/11/87) (Filing No. S-186)