

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

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S.P. 448

In Senate, April 28, 1987

Reference to the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife suggested and ordered printed.

JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate  
Presented by Senator TUTTLE of York.

Cosponsored by Representative JACQUES of Waterville,  
Representative DUFFY of Bangor, Representative GREENLAW of  
Standish.

STATE OF MAINE

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

1                   **Resolve, to Create the Commission on Sport**  
2                   **Fisheries to Study the Possibility of Enhancing**  
3                   **and Upgrading Fishing Opportunities**  
4                   **in the State.**  
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6                   **Commission established. Resolved:** That the Com-  
7                   mission on Sport Fisheries is established. The com-  
8                   mission shall consist of the following 8 members, ap-  
9                   pointed in the following manner: Two members from  
10                  the Joint Standing Committee on Fisheries and Wild-  
11                  life and 2 members from the Joint Standing Committee  
12                  on Marine Resources, to be appointed by the chairman  
13                  of each committee; 2 members from the public, repre-  
14                  senting organizations with an interest in sport fish-  
15                  ing, to be appointed by the Governor; and one member  
16                  from the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife  
17                  and one member from the Department of Marine Re-

1 sources, both members being fisheries' management  
2 biologists, to be appointed by the Governor; and be  
3 it further

4 **Study. Resolved:** That the commission shall  
5 study the State's sport fisheries' management program  
6 and subsequently draft a report that specifically ad-  
7 dresses the feasibility of introducing exotic species  
8 and improving the fisheries with a state-of-the-art  
9 hatchery, such as the one on the Salmon River in New  
10 York; and be it further

11 **Report submitted. Resolved:** That the commission  
12 shall submit its report and any necessary legislation  
13 to the Second Regular Session of the 113th Legisla-  
14 ture; and be it further

15 **Expenses. Resolved:** That the commission members  
16 shall receive compensation for their expenses only;  
17 and be it further

18 **Appropriation. Resolved:** That there is appropri-  
19 ated from the General Fund \$5,000 to carry out the  
20 purposes of this resolve.

21 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

22 This resolve creates the Commission on Sport  
23 Fisheries to study the State's sport fisheries' man-  
24 agement program.

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