

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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S.P. 27

In Senate, January 3, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Legal Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec (BY REQUEST).

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

An Act Related to Pool Enclosures within 150 Feet of a Lake or Stream.



Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

22 MRSA §1632, as enacted by PL 1983, c. 436, is amended to read:

§1632. Enclosure of swimming pool required

A fence shall must be erected and maintained around every swimming pool, except that portable above-ground swimming pools with sidewalls of at least 24 inches in height and swimming pools located within 150 feet of a great pond, stream or other shoreland zoning area are exempted. A dwelling house or accessory building may be used as part of this enclosure. All gates or doors opening through this enclosure shall must be capable of being securely fastened at all times when not in actual use.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Under this bill, a swimming pool located within 150 feet of a great pond, stream or other shoreland zoning area is exempt from the law requiring fences around swimming pools.