

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 346

House of Representatives, February 8, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Marine Resources suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative FARREN of Cherryfield.

Cosponsored by Representative CARROLL of Southwest Harbor, Representative TOWNSEND of Eastport and Senator VOSE of Washington.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

**An Act Concerning the Lobster Harvesting License Fee for Persons 70
Years of Age or Older.**



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

12 MRSA §6421, sub-§7-A, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 455, §2,
is amended to read:

7-A. Fee. The fee for the license shall-be is:

A. \$26 for a Class I license for applicants under 17 years
of age;

B. \$53 for a Class I license for applicants 17 years of age
or older; and

B-1. Notwithstanding paragraph B, \$53 for a Class I license
for applicants 70 years of age or older who have held
lobster and crab fishing licenses for 5 of the previous 10
years. The fee established in this paragraph may not be
increased above \$53; and

C. \$159 for a Class II license.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill freezes the license fee for lobster licenses at
\$53 for applicants 70 years of age or older and requires that
anyone applying must have had a license for 5 years.