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# 115th WAINE LEGISLATURE

### FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1991

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In Senate, May 13, 1991

Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 24.

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

JOY J. O'BRIEN Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator HOLLOWAY of Lincoln Cosponsored by Representative HEINO of Boothbay.

#### STATE OF MAINE

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

Resolve, to Allow the Department of Marine Resources to Convey Land.



Department of Marine Resources; property transferred. Resolved: That the the Department of Marine Resources is authorized to convey to the Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences a reasonable subdivision of land and buildings to be transferred from the State to the Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences. The transfer must be on equitable terms to benefit the people of the State.

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

This resolve gives the Department of Marine Resources the ability to enter into an agreement with the Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences for the sale or transfer of property. The laboratory currently has a lease interest in facilities on the McKown Point in Boothbay Harbor. The facilities are owned by the Department of Marine Resources. Deed interest by the Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences is intended to enable the laboratory to attain federal and private support for improving facilities and support operations, an objective that can not be obtained with a leasehold interest.