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H.P. 45

House of Representatives, January 19, 1993

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative FARREN of Cherryfield.

Cosponsored by Representative TOWNSEND of Eastport, Senator VOSE of Washington and Representative LOOK of Jonesboro.

STATE OF MAINE

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

**An Act to Establish a Consistent Expiration Date for Shellfish Licenses
and Marine Worm Digger's Licenses.**

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

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Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6301, sub-§2, as amended by PL 1985, c. 52, §1, is further amended to read:

2. Expiration. A license or certificate issued by the commissioner expires on December 31st of the year in which it is issued, except that ~~a---shellfish---sanitation---certificate, authorized under section 6856, shall expire on April 30th of each year.~~

A. A depuration certificate issued under section 6856 expires on April 30th of each year;

B. A shellfish license issued under section 6601 expires on April 30th of each year; and

C. A marine worm digger's license issued under section 6751 expires on April 30th of each year.

Sec. 2. Application. This Act applies to all shellfish and marine worm digger's licenses valid on the effective date of this Act.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill establishes April 30th of each year as the expiration date for shellfish and marine worm digger's licenses issued by the Commissioner of Marine Resources. The new expiration date applies to all shellfish and marine worm digger's licenses valid on the effective date of this Act.