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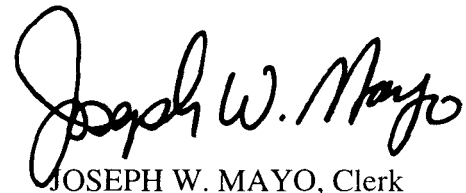
No. 1109

H.P. 792

House of Representatives, March 30, 1995

**An Act to Modify the Kennebec Water District's Authority to Limit
Swimming in a Certain Area on China Lake.**

Reference to the Committee on Utilities and Energy suggested and ordered printed.


JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative VIGUE of Winslow.

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

4 **Sec. 1. P&SL 1931, c. 67** is repealed.

6 **Sec. 2. P&SL 1969, c. 120, §2** is amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read:

8 This section does not prohibit the use of the property of the
10 Kennebec Water District by abutting landowners for recreational
12 purposes that do not interfere with the operation of the water
district or detract from the quality of the water used by the
water district.

14 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

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18 This bill repeals Private and Special Law 1931, chapter 67
20 that prohibited swimming in the west basin of China Lake. The
22 prohibition is no longer necessary because the Kennebec Water
24 District obtains its water in a different location. The bill
also permits property owners abutting the Kennebec Water District
to use the property of the water district for recreational
purposes if that use does not interfere with the operation of the
water district or detract from the quality of the water used by
the district.