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In Senate, April 4, 1995

An Act to Exempt from Lobster Meat Permit Requirements the Sale of Less Than \$1500 Worth of Lobster Meat.

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

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MAY M. ROSS Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator FERGUSON of Oxford. Cosponsored by Representative: NADEAU of Saco.

	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
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٨	Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6852, sub-§5 is enacted to read:
4	5. Exemption. A person is exempt from the provisions of
6	this section if the person purchases less than \$1,500 worth of
	seafood per year.
8	Sec. 2. 12 MDSA \$6957 out \$2
10	Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §6857, sub-§3, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 661, §5, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:
10	35, is repeated and the fortowing enacted in its place.
12	3. Exceptions. A permit is not required under this section
	under the following circumstances.
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16	A. A permit is not required to remove lobster meat for serving in a hotel and a restaurant if the meat is removed
	from the shell in a hotel or restaurant for serving on the
18	premises.
20	B. A permit is not required if a person purchases less than
22	<pre>\$1,500 worth of lobster per year.</pre>
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26	STATEMENT OF FACT
20	This bill provides exemptions from the retail seafood
28	license and the lobster meat permit if a person purchases less
	than \$1,500 of seafood or lobster per year.

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