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# 117th MAINE LEGISLATURE

### **SECOND REGULAR SESSION-1996**

Legislative Document

No. 1695

H.P. 1235

House of Representatives, January 11, 1996

An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Drag Limits in South Bay.

Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 24. Reference to the Committee on Marine Resources suggested and ordered printed.

SOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative LOOK of Jonesboro. Cosponsored by Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, BAILEY of Township 27, VOLENIK of Sedgwick, Senator: CASSIDY of Washington.

| Be it | enacted | by the | People | of the | State of | Maine | as follows: |
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Sec. 1. 12 MRSA  $\S6954$ -B, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 278,  $\S1$ , is amended to read:

### §6954-B. Drag limits in South Bay in Lubec

It is unlawful to fish in South Bay in Eastport <u>Lubec</u>, including all waters south and east of a line drawn from Gove Point westerly to Youngs Point, with any one combination of drags or drag in excess of 5 feet 6 inches in width by measuring from the extreme outside edge of the mouth of the drag or drags. In addition, any drag used for the taking of scallops is limited to no more than 8 rings deep. The-ring-size-must-be-the-legal-size in-effect-that-applies-te-a-helder-ef-a-license-er-federal-permit-

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#### STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill amends the law regarding drag limits in South Bay by clarifying that South Bay is in Lubec, not Eastport and by repealing the requirement that the ring size be the legal size in effect that applies to a holder of a license or federal permit.