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House of Representatives, January 11, 2001

An Act to Change the Noncommercial Scallop Diving Season.

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

Millicent M. MacFarland

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative DAIGLE of Arundel.
Cosponsored by Senator KILKELLY of Lincoln and
Representatives: BRYANT of Dixfield, BULL of Freeport, DUGAY of Cherryfield,
GOODWIN of Pembroke, HONEY of Boothbay, McNEIL of Rockland, PINKHAM of
Lamoine, USHER of Westbrook.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6722**, as amended by PL 1999, c. 94, §1, is
4 further amended to read:

6 **§6722. Closed areas**

8 Unless modified by regulation adopted under section 6171-A,
10 it is unlawful to fish for or take scallops in the coastal waters
12 from April 16th to November 30th, both days inclusive; except
14 that, for persons fishing pursuant to a license issued under
section 6703, it is unlawful to fish for or take scallops in the
coastal waters from April 16th to October 31st, both days
inclusive.

16 **SUMMARY**

18 This bill returns the beginning of the noncommercial scallop
20 diving season to November 1st.