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H.P. 1467

House of Representatives, December 20, 2001

**An Act to Require the Owner of a Submerged Snowmobile or Boat to
Remove the Snowmobile or Boat.**

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Received by the Clerk of the House on December 17, 2001. Referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401.

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative CLOUGH of Scarborough.
Cosponsored by President Pro Tem MICHAUD of Penobscot and
Representatives: BOWLES of Sanford, CHICK of Lebanon, COLWELL of Gardiner,
DUNLAP of Old Town, HATCH of Skowhegan, LaVERDIERE of Wilton, NORBERT of
Portland, PERKINS of Penobscot.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 17 MRSA §2267-A, sub-§1,** as enacted by PL 1981, c.
578, is amended to read:

6 **1. Definition.** When used in this section the term "motor
7 vehicle" means any self-propelled vehicle designed to carry
8 persons or property or used to transport persons, ~~---except~~
~~snowmobiles-and-motor-boats.~~

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12 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill requires the owner of a submerged snowmobile or
15 motor boat to remove it from the water by eliminating the
16 exception given to it.