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REP

L.D. 667

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NATURAL RESOURCES

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 487, L.D. 667, "Resolve, Regarding Nonnative Invasive Marine Species"

Amend the bill in section 1 in the 2nd line from the end (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "and governments" the following: ', as determined appropriate by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection and the Commissioner of Marine Resources'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in the 4th line (page 1, line 20 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "Natural Resources" the following: 'and the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources'

SUMMARY

This amendment clarifies that the Commissioner of Environmental Protection and the Commissioner of Marine Resources shall determine which agencies and governments the State should collaborate with regarding nonnative invasive marine species. The amendment also adds the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources as a recipient of the required report.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



Approved: 05/11/05 *MAC*

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LD 667

LR 0276(02)

Resolve, Regarding Nonnative Invasive Marine Species

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Natural Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund