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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
123RD LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 799, L.D. 1081, Bill, "An Act To Protect Wild Trout from Exotic Species"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §12757-A is enacted to read:

§12757-A. Stocking splake

The commissioner may not stock or issue a permit to stock splake in a water that drains into or out of wild brook trout waters that are listed in the department rules.'

Amend the bill in section 2 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 13 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "stocking" the following: 'and make that list available to the public no later than December 1, 2007'

SUMMARY

This amendment prohibits the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife from stocking splake or issuing a permit to stock splake in waters that run into or out of wild brook trout waters. The amendment provides that the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife must have the list of waters suitable for splake stocking available to the public no later than December 1, 2007.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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LD 1081

LR 1556(02)

An Act To Protect Wild Trout from Exotic Species

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

Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund