

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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No. 356

H.P. 282

House of Representatives, February 8, 2011

### An Act To Prohibit the Use of Certain Motorboats on Lily Pond in Deer Isle

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Reference to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Heather J.R. Priest".

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST  
Clerk

Presented by Representative KUMIEGA of Deer Isle.  
Cosponsored by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock and  
Representative: CHAPMAN of Brooksville.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §13068-A, sub-§16, ¶A,** as enacted by PL 2003, c. 655, Pt. B,  
3 §380 and affected by §422, is amended to read:

4 A. A person may not:

5 (1) Operate a motorboat on that portion of Portage Lake in Township T. 13, R. 6,  
6 W.E.L.S., County of Aroostook, known as the Floating Island Area, north and  
7 westerly of a line beginning at the eastern edge of the marshy peninsula running  
8 out from Hutchinson Ridge, running 50 yards outside of the floating islands in a  
9 northerly direction to the mouth of Mosquito Brook;

10 (2) Operate a motorboat on Quimby Pond in the Town of Rangeley, Franklin  
11 County;

12 (3) Operate a motorboat upon the waters of Jerry Pond, so called, situated within  
13 the boundaries, or having a shore line abutting, the incorporated municipality of  
14 Millinocket and the unincorporated Townships being T.1, R. 7 and T.A., R. 7, all  
15 in Penobscot County;

16 (4) Operate a motorboat on Upper and Lower Ox Brook Lakes in the Towns of  
17 T. 6 ND, T. 6 RI and Talmadge in Washington County;

18 (5) Operate a motorboat on Little Nesowadnehunk (Sournahunk) Lake, in T. 5,  
19 R. 11, Piscataquis County;

20 (6) Operate a motorboat having more than 10 horsepower on Eagle Lake and  
21 Jordan Pond, Mt. Desert Island, Hancock County and Long Pond, T.E. and T. D.,  
22 Franklin County;

23 (7) Operate a motorboat on a body of water commonly known as and referred to  
24 in the Dunham-Davee Work Plan as Snow's Pond, situated west of Route 7 in the  
25 Town of Dover-Foxcroft, Piscataquis County;

26 (8) Operate a motorboat having more than 6 horsepower on Long Pond, Town of  
27 Denmark, Oxford County;

28 (9) Operate a motorboat on Lily Pond, Edgecomb, Lincoln County;

29 (10) Operate a motorboat powered by an internal combustion engine on  
30 Nokomis Pond, situated in the Towns of Newport and Palmyra, Penobscot  
31 County;

32 (11) Operate a motorboat in Merrymeeting Bay at a speed in excess of 10 miles  
33 per hour, except within the confines of the buoyed channels;

34 (12) Operate a motorboat equipped with an internal combustion engine on the  
35 following waters on Mount Desert Island in Hancock County: Witch Hole Pond;  
36 Aunt Betty's Pond; Bubble Pond; Round Pond; and Lake Wood;

37 (13) Operate a motorboat equipped with a motor greater than 10 horsepower on  
38 Upper Hadlock Pond or Lower Hadlock Pond on Mount Desert Island in  
39 Hancock County;

- 1 (14) Operate a personal watercraft in violation of section 685-C, subsection 10 or  
2 any rule adopted by the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission to implement  
3 that subsection;
- 4 (15) Operate a watercraft at greater than headway speed on any area of Torsey  
5 Lake within 1/2 mile from the boat launch on Desert Pond Road in the Town of  
6 Mount Vernon;
- 7 (16) Operate a watercraft at greater than headway speed on any area of Torsey  
8 Lake within 1/2 mile from the boat launch on Old Kents Hill Road in the Town  
9 of Readfield;
- 10 (17) Operate a watercraft equipped with a motor greater than 10 horsepower on  
11 Cold Rain Pond in the Town of Naples or on Holt Pond in the Town of Naples  
12 and the Town of Bridgton;
- 13 (18) Operate a watercraft equipped with a motor greater than 5 horsepower on  
14 Moose Pond in the Town of Otisfield;
- 15 (19) Operate a watercraft at greater than headway speed on any area of Pickerel  
16 Pond in the Town of Wayne;
- 17 (20) Operate a motorboat having more than 10 horsepower on Middle Branch  
18 Pond in the Town of Waterboro in York County;
- 19 (21) Operate a motorboat having more than 10 horsepower on Adams Pond,  
20 Foster Pond or Otter Pond in the Town of Bridgton in Cumberland County; ~~or~~
- 21 (22) Operate a motorboat having more than 10 horsepower on Pickerel Pond in  
22 the territory of T.32 MD in Hancock County; or
- 23 (23) Operate a motorboat powered by an internal combustion engine on Lily  
24 Pond in Deer Isle.

25 **SUMMARY**

26 This bill prohibits the use of a motorboat powered by an internal combustion engine  
27 on Lily Pond in Deer Isle.