

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 203  
(Filing No. H-162)

**INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
126TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 164, L.D. 203, Bill, "An Act To Require Kayakers on Open Salt Water To Use a Personal Flotation Device"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph A in subparagraph (5) in the last line (page 1, line 22 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "internal waters" and inserting the following: 'coastal waters as defined in section 6001, subsection 6'

**SUMMARY**

This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, provides that the requirement in the bill that a kayaker wear a Coast Guard approved Type III personal flotation device applies on the State's coastal waters instead of on the State's internal waters as proposed in the bill.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED  
(See attached)**

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 203

LR 651(02)

## An Act To Require Kayakers on Open Salt Water To Use a Personal Flotation Device

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment 'A' (H-162)  
Committee: Inland Fisheries and Wildlife  
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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### Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund  
Minor revenue increase - General Fund

### Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Establishes Class E crimes and civil violations.

The collection of additional fines may also increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.