

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

~~SAK~~
RUS

1

L.D. 2026

2

Date: 2/26/24

(Filing No. S-545)

3

MARINE RESOURCES

4

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Secretary of the Senate.

5

STATE OF MAINE

6

SENATE

7

131ST LEGISLATURE

8

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

9

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 854, L.D. 2026, "An Act to Authorize Medical Waivers for Menhaden Fishing Licenses"

10

11

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in the 10th line (page 1, line 13 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "1-A or"

12

13

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

14

15

SUMMARY

16

This amendment removes from the bill the authority for a person who was denied a 2023 commercial menhaden fishing license to appeal that license denial.

17

18

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

19

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 2026

LR 2785(02)

An Act to Authorize Medical Waivers for Menhaden Fishing Licenses

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A(5-545)"

Committee: Marine Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor revenue increase - General Fund
Minor revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill authorizes the Department of Marine Resources to issue a menhaden fishing license to individuals who did not meet the eligibility criteria because a medical issue prevented them from fishing during the qualifying years. Due to the limited number of potential licensees who might qualify, any additional license revenue from the medical waivers is not anticipated to be significant.