

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

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# Seventy-first Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 143

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND THREE.

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AN ACT to prevent pollution of the waters of Sebago Lake.

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in  
Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Section 1. No person or corporation shall use or occupy  
2 any structure hereafter built upon or near the shores of  
3 Sebago lake in the county of Cumberland, or upon any of the  
4 islands of said lake, for such purposes or in such manner that  
5 the sewage or drainage therefrom shall enter the waters of  
6 said lake or pollute the same.

Sect. 2. No sewage, drainage, refuse or polluting matter  
2 of such kind and amount as either by itself or in connection  
3 with other matter will corrupt or impair the quality of the

4 water of said Sebago lake, or render it injurious to health,  
5 shall be discharged into said lake, but nothing herein shall  
6 prohibit the cultivation and use of the soil in the ordinary  
7 methods of agriculture if no human excrement is used  
8 thereon within three hundred feet of the shores of said lake.

Sect. 3. The supreme judicial court shall have jurisdiction  
2 in equity to enjoin, prevent or restrain any violation of the  
3 provisions of this act.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.



STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
AUGUSTA, February 19, 1903.

Reported by Mr. DREW of Portland, from Committee on the  
Judiciary, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*