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House of Representatives, February 6, 1941.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities and sent up for concurrence.  
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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Sleeper of Rockland.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Conferring Jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission Over  
Vessels or Boats Propelled by Other Motive Power than Steam.**

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

**R. S., c. 62, § 15, amended.** The 23rd paragraph of section 15 of chapter 62 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The term "vessel" when used in this chapter, includes every ~~steamboat~~ **boat or vessel operated by machinery, propelled by steam or other motive power**, which is owned, controlled, operated, or managed for public use, in the transportation of persons or property for compensation ~~within this state.~~ **upon the waters of this state or upon the high seas over regular routes between points within this state in competition with one or more other common carriers over substantially the same routes.'**