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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

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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 Relating to Lobster Fishing Licenses.

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

**P. L., 1933, c. 2, § 78, amended.** Section 78 of chapter 2 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 78. Agent of person licensed; employment of person whose license has been revoked; penalty.** If any person, firm, or corporation to whom such license shall be granted shall be incapacitated for any reason, except for the violation of the laws of the state relating to the lobster industry, from using said license, said person, firm, or corporation ~~may permit his agent or employee,~~ shall forthwith notify the commissioner of the nature or extent of his or its incapacity, and said commissioner, upon being satisfied that an incapacity requiring temporary relief exists, may permit said person, firm or corporation to engage a servant or agent, if a citizen of this state, to perform such duties under the license as may be necessary during the period of his or its incapacity; provided that said agent or employee shall, when performing said duties so licensed, exhibit upon demand of any authorized person, the certificate issued to his superior, as provided in the preceding section. No person whose license has been revoked or suspended shall accompany any licensed lobster fisherman nor assist him in any way while he is engaged in catching lobsters. Every person who shall violate

the provisions of this section shall upon conviction be subject to the fines and penalties provided in section 72.'