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House of Representatives, March 31, 1943.

Reported by Committee on Interior Waters. On motion by Mr. Brewer of Presque Isle tabled pending acceptance of report. Specially assigned for Thursday, April 1st. (New draft ordered printed.)

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Storage in Millinocket Lake.

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

P. & S. L., 1921, c. 111, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 111 of the private and special laws of 1921 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

‘Provided, however, that said corporation, its successors and assigns, may store water in said Millinocket lake and flow said lake and its tributaries by building a dam at Millinocket lake or replacing or rebuilding the existing dam prior to July 1, 1944, such flowage not to exceed 15 feet above the flowage caused by the dam as it existed January 1, 1921; subject, however, to all limitations of sections 3 and 4 of this chapter, and to the construction of a fishway in accordance with section 8 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, and granting said corporation, its successors and assigns, all the rights and privileges contained in sections 1 and 2 of this chapter. The provisions of section 13 of chapter 26 of the revised statutes shall not apply to any new or increased flowage on Millinocket lake or its tributaries for a period of 2 years after the termination of the war between the United States and Germany and Japan and thereafter except as cutting of trees, bushes, and stumps on the flowed land shall be ordered by the state forest commissioner.’