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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE

RESOLVE, Relating to Open Season for Fishing in Aroostook and Piscataquis Counties.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the recreational industries of both Aroostook and Piscataquis counties constitute a major share of all the industries in said counties; and

Whereas, the sporting camp proprietors in both counties are dependent for their continued existence upon being able to book sportsmen now for the time immediately after the ice is out; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Opening lakes in certain counties to fishing. Resolved: That, notwithstanding any law or rule and regulation governing the opening for fishing in the lakes in Aroostook and Piscataquis counties, the commissioner of inland fisheries and game be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to issue a rule and regulation to open for fishing each and every lake in Aroostook and Piscataquis counties on April 15 in open water. **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.