

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 124

In Senate, January 29, 1947.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Mr. Cleaves of Cumberland.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Prohibiting Speeding and Racing on the Great Ponds.**

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

**R. S., c. 33, § 56-A, additional.** Chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 56-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 56-A. Speeding on great ponds; exception; penalty. No person shall speed, stunt or otherwise operate boats on the great ponds of the state so as to endanger other persons. Provided, however, that any group of persons may, with the permission of the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, conduct and hold racing meets.

Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500, or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'