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House of Representatives, February 19, 1947.

Transmitted by revisor of statutes pursuant to joint order.

Referred to Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Williams of Topsham.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to the Setting of Traps on Trawls.

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

R. S., c. 34, § 129, amended. Section 129 of chapter 34 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 129. Traps on trawls; permission to be obtained; penalty. When pots or traps are set on trawls, when conditions make it impossible to set otherwise, buoys plainly marked, as provided in the laws of this state governing the lobster industry, shall be set at both ends of the trawls; but permission for setting such trawls must be obtained from the commissioner and so stated on the licenses issued under the provisions of section 118. **Provided, however, that no traps on trawls shall be set in Casco Bay inside a line drawn from the south end of Wood Island to the south end of Ragged Island.** Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$25 and costs.'