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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
94th LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1536, L. D. 811, Bill, "An Act Relating to the Packing of Sardines."

Amend said Bill by adding after the Title thereof and before the enacting clause, the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, the present statute, sections 198 to 205, inclusive, of chapter 27 of the revised statutes, do not plainly and definitely establish a standard governing the packing of 15 ounce oval cans of sardines; and

Whereas, such definite standards are most desirable in order to secure the proper labelling of such class of sardines; and

Whereas, it is desirable to pack this class of goods for only a limited time each year; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning 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'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end thereof the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.'

Reported by the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

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