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### NINETY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

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H. P. 1665 House of Representatives, February 23, 1949.
Referred to Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Bucknam of Whiting.

#### STATE OF MAINE

# IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to the Taking of Smelts from Cobscook River, Cobscook Bay, Orange River, Denny's River and Their Tributaries.

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

Sec. I. Taking of smelts from Cobscook river, Cobscook bay, Orange river, Denny's river and their tributaries, regulated. During the months of April and May of each year it shall be lawful to take smelts in the tidal waters of Cobscook river, Cobscook bay, Orange river, Denny's river and their tributaries, all in the county of Washington, by use of hook and line, bare hands or an ordinary dip net, provided that no person shall take in any I day from any or all of these waters more than 4 quarts of smelts, and provided also, that smelts so taken shall not be sold.

The open season for commercial fishing for smelts in these waters shall be from September 1 to March 31, of the following year, both days inclusive.

Sec. 2. Inconsistent rules and regulations repealed. All rules and regulations that are inconsistent with these provisions are hereby repealed.