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Referred to the Committee on Interior Waters. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary. Presented by Senator Slocum of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Building and Maintaining Dams.

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

R. S., c. 166, § 47-A, additional. Chapter 166 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 47-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 47-A. Building and maintaining dams. The building and maintaining of a dam under the provisions of this chapter or the provisions of any other law or otherwise shall not grant a prescriptive right to flow the land of another beyond that which shall have been continuously flowed for 20 years.'