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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Authorizing Construction of a Breakwater Across Mill Cove,  
Hancock County.**

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**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, considerable time is needed to construct the proposed breakwater across the entrance of Mill Cove, Hancock County; and

Whereas, winter conditions are unfavorable for building such a structure; and

Whereas, a partly constructed breakwater might be damaged and deteriorated by tide and ice during the winter months; and

Whereas, time is the essence in commencing the construction of said breakwater so that the construction of the same may be completed before winter; 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,

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

**Breakwater across entrance of Mill Cove, Crotch Island, Stonington Harbor, authorized.** John L. Goss Corporation and Deer Isle Granite Corporation, both of Stonington, in the county of Hancock and State of Maine, their successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to extend and maintain the existing breakwater on Crotch Island in Stonington Harbor across the easterly end of Mill Cove, so called. Said extension shall begin on the southern end of the present breakwater which extends into the tidewaters from the property owned by Deer Isle Granite Corporation and run south for a distance of approximately 240 feet to the shore line of the John L. Goss Corporation property. It

shall be constructed of grout and rubble granite and be of sufficient width for the safety and convenience of travel with necessary and convenient equipment in granite quarrying undertaking.

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