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## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 99th LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 720, L. D. 1025, Resolve, Opening Long Lake, Aroostook County, to Smelt Fishing.

Amend said Resolve by inserting at the beginning the following Emergency Preamble:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves do not become effective until 90 days after the Legislature adjourns unless passed as emergencies; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to permit fishing for smelts in Long Lake, Aroostook County, as soon as the ice is out this spring; and

Whereas, the conservation of fish for both the inhabitants of Maine and our summer visitors is vital to the economy of the State; 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'

Further amend said Resolve by adding at the end the following Emergency Clause:

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

Presented by Senator Briggs of Aroostook.

Read and Adopted in the Senate May 8, 1959.

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