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NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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H. P. 837 House of Representatives, March 10, 1959 Referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk Presented by Mr. Maddox of Vinalhaven (by request).

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Lobster Fishing in Waters Adjacent to Criehaven, Knox County.

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

Lobster fishing in waters adjacent to Criehaven, regulated. The waters around the Island of Criehaven within the following magnetic described limits: Beginning at the southern end of Hogshead, so called, running west by north 2 nautical miles; thence southwest by south 3½ nautical miles; thence east, southeast, 3 nautical miles; thence northeast 3 nautical miles; thence to the first mentioned bound, shall be closed or opened to lobster fishing whenever a majority of the lobster fishermen at Criehaven who own real estate on Criehaven so petition the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries. Any person fishing or attempting to fish with lobster traps in the closed waters shall be subject to a fine of \$5 per day for each trap found within the closed limits.