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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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Legislatures

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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RESOLVES  
of the  
STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Eighty-seventh Legislature

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Chapter 1.

RESOLVE, Relative to Fishing in Sebago Lake.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the waters of Sebago Lake in the county of Cumberland have been recently stocked with a large quantity of mature trout, and

Whereas, these trout have not had sufficient time to adjust themselves to the new environment, and

Whereas, a large and unusual concentration of fishermen threatens to deplete the entire supply of trout by fishing through the ice before these trout have an opportunity to increase and become an asset and a substantial source of food supply to the inhabitants of the surrounding territory, and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI 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

**Resolved:** That the commissioner of inland fisheries and game be and hereby is directed to issue a rule and regulation closing the waters of Sebago Lake to all ice fishing, except for smelts, pickerel and cusk, and making it unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any kind of fish except smelts, pickerel and cusk, taken through the ice therefrom.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency recited in the preamble this resolve shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 15, 1935.