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AS PASSED BY THE

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SUBSECTION 4.

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3. Permit limitation. A permit shall only authorize these activities at one location or place of business.

4. Regulations. The commissioner may adopt such regulations as are deemed necessary for implementation and enforcement of this section. These regulations may include provisions for determining that lobster tails processed under this section were removed from legal sized lobsters and other provisions as may be deemed necessary.

5. Report; repeal. The department shall report in writing to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over marine resources on the activities conducted under this section. The report shall be submitted no later than January 15, 1986. This section shall be repealed on May 1, 1986.

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

Effective April 30, 1985.

CHAPTER 130

S.P. 57 - L.D. 76

AN ACT Concerning the Administration of
Public Improvements Under the
Supervision of the Department of
Transportation.

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

5 MRSA §1741, first ¶, as amended by PL 1973, c. 593, §22, is further amended to read:

Whenever the words "public improvement" or "public improvements" shall appear in chapters 141 to 155, they shall be held to mean and include the construction, major alteration or repair of buildings or public works now owned or leased or hereafter constructed, acquired or leased by the State of Maine or any department, officer, board, commission or agency thereof, or constructed, acquired or leased, in whole or in part with state funds, and including the con-

struction, major alteration or repair of school buildings, in excess of \$25,000, by any school administrative unit and for which state school construction aid is to be paid, provided that sections 1743 and 1745 shall not be applicable to construction, major alteration or repair of school buildings. Nothing in this section shall may apply to the construction, improvement or repair of any and all ways, roads or bridges with appurtenances and other public improvements which, by law, are under the supervision of the Department of Transportation.

Effective September 19, 1985.

CHAPTER 131

H.P. 856 - L.D. 1213

AN ACT Concerning Persons on Partial Release from a Mental Health Institution.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, failure to comply with the conditions of release ordered by the court may increase the risk of danger of injury to the person or others due to mental disease or defect; and

Whereas, current law does not provide for emergency return of persons acquitted by reason of insanity who are released by the court, or set forth standards to be used by the court in ordering rehospitalization; 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:

Sec. 1. 15 MRSA §104-A, as amended by PL 1981, c. 493, §2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place: