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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

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necessary staffing services to the committee; and be it further

Sec. 6. Compensation. Resolved: That the committee members serve on a voluntary basis; and be it further

Sec. 7. Report. Resolved: That the committee shall submit a report with its findings and recommendations to the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources by December 31, 1999. The recommendations must include provisions for hatcheries to produce Stage IV lobsters for the entire coast and for the establishment of up to one hatchery per zone; and be it further

Sec. 8. Legislation. Resolved: That the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources may report out legislation during the Second Regular Session of the 119th Legislature regarding lobster hatcheries.

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

Effective May 11, 1999.

CHAPTER 22

S.P. 295 - L.D. 867

Resolve, to Amend the Requirements for Alcohol and Drug Treatment Programs

Sec. 1. Rulemaking. Resolved: That by November 1, 1999 the Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse Services shall adopt rules regarding alcohol and drug treatment programs to allow program staffing and supervision by personnel professionally qualified and experienced in alcohol and drug abuse treatment and to eliminate the requirement that personnel be qualified as one particular type of alcohol and drug abuse professional. Rules adopted pursuant to this resolve are major substantive rules as defined by the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter II-A.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 23

H.P. 738 - L.D. 1028

Resolve, to Prevent Tampering With Indian Archeological Sites

Sec. 1. Maine Historic Preservation Commission report on protection of Indian

archeological sites. Resolved: That the Maine Historic Preservation Commission and the Representatives of the Penobscot Nation and the Passamaquoddy Tribe jointly shall conduct a review of the threats to Native American archeological sites from looting and vandalism and report their recommendations for implementing a monitoring or stewardship program for site protection and preservation. The review must also involve the following law enforcement agencies: the Maine Warden Service, the Maine Forest Service, the Bureau of Marine Patrol and local and state law enforcement. The review must also involve the Native American community and other interested parties. The Maine Historic Preservation Commission must report to the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs by January 15, 2000 with their findings, recommendations and any necessary implementing legislation.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 24

H.P. 264 - L.D. 368

Resolve, Naming the Beach Next to the Lincolnville Ferry Terminal French Beach

Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, two thirds of all of the members elected to each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.

Sec. 1. French Beach. Resolved: That the beach next to the Lincolnville Ferry Terminal in the Town of Lincolnville be named French Beach.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 25

H.P. 183 - L.D. 261

Resolve, to Direct the Department of Labor to Determine the Cost of Providing Toll-free Telephone Access to All Mainers to Apply for Unemployment Compensation Benefits

Sec. 1. Toll-free telephone access. Resolved: That the Department of Labor shall investi-