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LD 2021 / HP1487 (ND 2206 / HP1613)

AN ACT to Postpone the Effective Date for the Use of Biodegradable Escape Panels on Lobster Traps. Presented by Rep. Salsbury of Bar Harbor. Marine Resources Hearing 01/25/88. OTP-ND Accepted 02/08/88. NEW DRAFT: HP1613 / LD 2206. Emergency Enacted, Approved 02/10/88, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 569.

Original Bill

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Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

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- High turnout expected at lobster trap hearing (Associated Press) (Lewiston Journal, 1/19/1988) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 113/LD20XX/nc113-LD-2021/SB113029.pdf)
- Hearing in Augusta Monday on ghost panel postponement (Ellsworth American, 1/21/1988) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 113/LD20XX/nc113-LD-2021/SB113033.pdf)
- Delay urged for mandatory 'ghost panels' for traps (Hale, John) (Bangor Daily News, 1/26/1988) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 113/LD20XX/nc113-LD-2021/SB113046.pdf)
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