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**119th Legislature (1998-2000)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 2581 / HP1843

Original Title: An Act to Prohibit the Importation of Milfoil into State Waters. New Title: An Act to Prevent the Spread of Invasive Aquatic Plants. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.) Presented by Representative THOMPSON of Naples; Cosponsored by Senator TREAT of Kennebec and Representatives: ETNIER of Harpswell, MARTIN of Eagle Lake, Senator BENOIT of Franklin. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources. Public Hearing 03/06/00. OTP-AM Accepted 03/30/00. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-970, HB/CA H-1105. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 04/14/00, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 722.

**Original Bill**

[LD 2581 \(119th Legis. 2000\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**

[LD 2581 / PL 1999, c. 722](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf119-LD-2581.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-970\) \(LD 2581 2000\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment HA/CA \(H-984\) \(LD 2581 2000\)](#)

[Amendment HB/CA \(H-1105\) \(LD 2581 2000\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, February 22, 2000 \(H1815-1835\)](#)

- p. H-1819

[SENATE, February 22, 2000 \(S1692-1704\)](#)

- p. S-1704

[HOUSE, March 30, 2000 \(H2134-2165\)](#)

- p. H-2148 (Amendment(s) H-970)

[SENATE, March 30, 2000 \(S1940-1961\)](#)

- p. S-1948 (Amendment(s) H-970)

[HOUSE, April 3, 2000 \(H2186-2214\)](#)

- p. H-2190 (Amendment(s) H-970)

[HOUSE, April 3, 2000 \(H2186-2214\)](#)

- p. H-2200 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-970, H-984)

[HOUSE, April 8, 2000 \(H2408-2433\)](#)

- p. H-2433 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-970, H-984, H-1105)

[SENATE, April 10, 2000 \(S2222-2255\)](#)

- p. S-2224 (Amendment(s) H-970, H-1105)

[SENATE, April 10, 2000 \(S2222-2255\)](#)

- p. S-2228 (Amendment(s) H-970, H-1105)

[HOUSE, April 11, 2000 \(H2434-2499\)](#)

- p. H-2455 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-970, H-1105)

[SENATE, April 11, 2000 \(S2256-2295\)](#)

- p. S-2278 (Amendment(s) H-970, H-1105)

#### **Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 1999, c. 722](#)

#### **Reports and Other Related Documents**

[Maine Invasive Aquatic Species Work Group. Invasive Aquatic Species Report: Report to the Joint Legislative Committees on Natural Resources and Fish & Wildlife \(January 12, 2001\)](#)

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