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History and Final Disposition

LD 537 / HP0342

An Act to Remove the Limits on Bass Fishing in Washington County Rivers. Presented by Representative DAVIS of East Machias. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. Public Hearing 03/08/23. Final Disposition: Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report 06/07/23.

Original Bill

[LD 537 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0537.pdf

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(IFW\) \(03/08/2023\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(IFW\) \(03/15/2023\)](#)

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-263\) \(LD 537 2023\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, February 9, 2023 \(H-104-112\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 9, 2023 \(S-131-146\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 6, 2023 \(H-610-653\)](#)

p. H-626 (Amendment(s) H-263)

[SENATE, June 07, 2023 \(S-927-995\)](#)

p. S-947 (Amendment(s) H-263)

News Articles

Bill to remove limits on bass fishing touted as way to restore salmon (Will Tuell) (Machias Valley News Observer, 3/15/2023, p. 1, 17) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD05xx/nc131-LD-0537/Machias Valley News Observer 230315A.pdf)

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