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History and Final Disposition

LD 958 / HP0605

An Act to Expand Protections to Maine's Loons from Lead Poisoning by Prohibiting the Sale and Use of Certain Painted Lead Jigs. Presented by Representative HEPLER of Woolwich. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. Public Hearing 05/08/23. Majority (OTP) Report Accepted 06/12/23. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 06/20/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 231.

Original Bill

[LD 958 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 958 / PL 2023, c. 231](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0958.pdf)

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(IFW\) \(05/08/2023\)](#)

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Floor Proceedings and Debate

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[SENATE, March 2, 2023 \(S-209-225\)](#)

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News Articles

Bill would help loons by banning more tackle (Pete Warner) (Bangor Daily News, 5/22/2023, p. C6, C7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD09xx/nc131-LD-0958/BDN 230520E.pdf)

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