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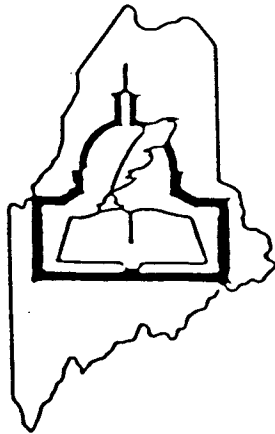
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This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees and Joint Select Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the Second Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number under each committee.

All Amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor if it is a floor amendment or the designation "CA" if it is a committee amendment. If the amendment was adopted in the House, the letter H appears after the sponsor. If it was adopted in the Senate, the letter S appears.

Final action for each bill is listed to the right of the title. If final House action and Senate action differ, both are listed.

Key to Committee Reports and Floor Action:

OTP	Ought to Pass
OTP-ND	Ought to Pass in New Draft
OTP-ND-NT	Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title
OTP-AM	Ought to Pass as Amended
ONTP	Ought Not to Pass
LVWD	Leave to Withdraw
INDEF PP	Indefinitely Postponed

LD
1720

AN ACT TO CONSERVE STRIPED BASS

ND LD 2041

Sponsor: CARTER, Crowley
Committee Report: OTP-ND

SUMMARY: See New Draft, LD 2041.

LD AN ACT TO PROHIBIT SCALLOP DRAGGING FROM
1803 SUNSET TO SUNRISE DURING THE ENTIRE SCALLOP
SEASON

LVWD

Sponsor: ZIRNKILTON, Salsbury, Crowley, Holloway
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: This bill proposed a ban on night-time scallop dragging throughout the scallop season. The Committee granted a leave to withdraw on the grounds the DMR regulations were effectively reducing the gear conflict problems that were of concern to the sponsor.

LD AN ACT TO CREATE A PARALYTIC SHELLFISH
1823 POISON MONITORING PROGRAM

PL 1985
c. 784

Sponsor: VOSE, Brown
Committee Report: ONTP

SUMMARY: This bill proposes a monitoring program to track the incidence of red tide poisoning in shellfish. The program is specifically targeted to soft-shell clams at present. This bill provides additional funding, through a tax on mahogany quahogs, to expand the program to cover sampling and testing mahogany quahogs for red tide. The bill was referred to the Appropriations Committee which reported it out "ought-not-to-pass". The bill was recalled from legislative files and accepted with an amendment attached in the Senate (SA-528). A House amendment (HA-725) was rejected.

LD AN ACT EXEMPTING MERCINARIA MERCINARIA
1824 RAISED BY MEANS OF AQUACULTURE FROM THE
2-INCH CLAM LAW

PL 1985
c. 586NE

Sponsor: ROLDE, McPherson
Committee Report: OTP-AM

H-547 CA H S