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**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE  
BILL SUMMARIES  
MAY 1988**

*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. The summaries are arranged by LD number under each committee.*

*All Adopted Amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor for floor amendments. Final action is listed to the right of the title. If final House and Senate action differ, both are listed. Committee Reports and Floor Action are indicated as follows::*

<b>OTP</b>	<b>Ought to Pass</b>
<b>OTP-ND</b>	<b>Ought to Pass in New Draft</b>
<b>OTP-ND-NT</b>	<b>Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title</b>
<b>OTP-A</b>	<b>Ought to Pass as Amended</b>
<b>ONTP</b>	<b>Ought Not to Pass</b>
<b>LVWD</b>	<b>Leave to Withdraw</b>
<b>INDEF PP</b>	<b>Indefinitely Postponed</b>

*Each individual summary was prepared by the analyst assigned, as noted for each committee. But, this document was produced by the efforts of all the office staff, including Secretaries: Charlene Brann, Janet Jean, Earl Knox, Valarie Parlin; Research Assistant Hartley Palleschi. Finally, Secretary Laurette Knox, Legal Assistant Carolyn Chick, and Research Assistant Robert Dunn had special responsibilities in the preparation of the overall document.*

*Please give us your suggestions and comments on these summaries and tell us of any inaccuracies.*

LD An Act Concerning Marine Recreational Fisheries  
1991

PUBLIC  
599

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
PERKINS RUHLIN ESTES BEGLEY	OTP	

SUMMARY

This bill clarifies the role of the Department of Marine Resources with respect to recreational and anadromous fisheries by placing those terms into its research and general responsibilities as specified in Title 12 MRSA Part 6.

LD An Act to Postpone the Effective Date for the Use of  
2021 Biodegradable Escape Panels on Lobster Traps

ND 2206

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
SALSBURY	OTP-ND	

SUMMARY

Replaced By LD 2206

**LD** An Act to Conserve Striped Bass  
**2037**

PUBLIC  
622  
EMERGENCY

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
CAHILL RUHLIN ESTES BEGLEY	OTP-AM	S-326

SUMMARY

This bill conforms Maine law on the taking of striped bass to national requirements of a 33 inch maximum length limit and a limit of no more than two per day.

The Committee Amendment gave authority to the Commissioner of Marine Resources to incorporate, by rule, future national requirements.