

SP0364, LD 1038 An Act To Amend the Emergency Rule-making Authority of the Department of Marine Resources

Senator Baker, Representative Kumiega, distinguished members of the joint standing Marine Resources Committee, good afternoon. My name is Virginia Olsen, I'm from Deer Isle-Stonington. I go lobstering with my husband, and I am a member of IMLU (International Maine Lobster Union) Local 207. We are in support of LD 1038 An Act To Amend The Rulemaking Authority. Fishermen have historically had multiple fisheries to participate in with the changing seasons. As stocks rebuild and regulations change, we need a tool to access the fisheries again.

Thank you,

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