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**An Act To Require the Department of Inland Fisheries
and Wildlife To Track All Stocking and Transfers of Fish**

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §12758-A is enacted to read:

§ 12758-A. Fish stocking and transfers

Beginning January 1, 2008, the commissioner shall track and record all the department's fish stocking events and transfers in inland waters, including, but not limited to, accidental releases. The data collected pursuant to this section must be made available to the public.

SUMMARY

This bill requires the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to track and record all stocking and transfers of fish in inland waters and to make that information publicly available.