

**Maine Revised Statutes**  
**Title 12: CONSERVATION**

**Chapter 923: FISH: FISHING SEASONS AND RESTRICTIONS**

**§12511. PERMIT TO INTRODUCE FISH OR FISH SPAWN INTO PRIVATE POND**

**1. Permit required.** Except as otherwise authorized pursuant to this Part, a person may not introduce fish or fish spawn into a private pond without a valid permit issued under this section. A person who violates this subsection commits a Class E crime, except that, notwithstanding Title 17-A, section 1301, the fine may not be less than \$1,000 nor more than \$10,000.

[ 2003, c. 655, Pt. B, §257 (NEW); 2003, c. 655, Pt. B, §422 (AFF) .]

**2. Issuance.** The commissioner may issue a written permit to introduce fish or fish spawn into a private pond.

[ 2003, c. 655, Pt. B, §257 (NEW); 2003, c. 655, Pt. B, §422 (AFF) .]

**SECTION HISTORY**

2003, c. 414, §A2 (NEW). 2003, c. 414, §D7 (AFF). 2003, c. 614, §9 (AFF). 2003, c. 655, §B422 (AFF). 2003, c. 655, §B257 (RPR).

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