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HOUSE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to H.P. 1233, L.D. 1723, Bill, “An Act To Improve Enforcement of Marine Resources Laws”

Amend the amendment on pages 9 and 10 by striking out all of section 26 (page 9, lines 40 to 43 and page 10, lines 1 to 3 in amendment) and inserting the following:

'Sec. 26. 12 MRSA §6575-I, as enacted by PL 2013, c. 301, §13, is repealed.'

Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment removes the provision of Committee Amendment "A" making it a Class D strict liability crime with a mandatory \$2,000 fine to assist in the illegal harvest of elvers and repeals the law that makes it a civil violation with a \$2,000 mandatory fine to assist in the illegal harvest of elvers.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

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HOUSE AMENDMENT