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TESTIMONY IN OPPOSITION TO LD 2275 An Act to Ensure That Rules Regarding the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission Are Major Substantive Rules"

March 26, 2024

Good afternoon Senator Reny, Representative Hepler, and honorable members of the Legislative Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources.

The public notice for this hearing was not posted until March 25, 2024 and the Public Hearing is being held on March 27, 2024. This does not allow this Board the sufficient time to fully research and understand what this proposal means. We are concerned that neither the Department of Marine Resources or the Joint Standing Committee fully understands the implications of this bill either.

The Select Board for the Town of Penobscot respectfully requests that this Committee vote ought not to pass on LD 2275.

Thank you,

Harold Hatch – Chair

Phil Rapp

Sara Leighton

Select Board
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LD 2275

This file is being submitted by Bailey Bowden on behalf of the Select Board for the
Town of Penobscot