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To modify, and to deauthorize certain portions of, the project for navigation  
at Wells Harbor, Maine.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Ms. SNOWE (for herself and Ms. COLLINS) introduced the following bill; which  
was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public  
Works

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## A BILL

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for navigation at Wells Harbor, Maine.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. PROJECT FOR NAVIGATION, WELLS HARBOR,**  
4               **MAINE.**

5       (a) IN GENERAL.—The project for navigation, Wells  
6 Harbor, Maine, authorized by section 101 of the River and  
7 Harbor Act of 1960 (74 Stat. 480), is modified to author-  
8 ize the Secretary of the Army to realign the channel and  
9 anchorage areas based on a harbor design capacity of 150  
10 craft.

1 (b) DEAUTHORIZATION OF CERTAIN PORTIONS.—

2 The following portions of the project are not authorized  
3 after the date of enactment of this Act:

4 (1) The portion of the 6-foot channel the  
5 boundaries of which begin at a point with coordi-  
6 nates N177,992.00, E394,831.00, thence running  
7 south 83 degrees 58 minutes 14.8 seconds west  
8 10.38 feet to a point N177,990.91, E394,820.68,  
9 thence running south 11 degrees 46 minutes 47.7  
10 seconds west 991.76 feet to a point N177,020.04,  
11 E394,618.21, thence running south 78 degrees 13  
12 minutes 45.7 seconds east 10.00 feet to a point  
13 N177,018.00, E394,628.00, thence running north  
14 11 degrees 46 minutes 22.8 seconds east 994.93 feet  
15 to the point of origin.

16 (2) The portion of the 6-foot anchorage the  
17 boundaries of which begin at a point with coordi-  
18 nates N177,778.07, E394,336.96, thence running  
19 south 51 degrees 58 minutes 32.7 seconds west  
20 15.49 feet to a point N177,768.53, E394,324.76,  
21 thence running south 11 degrees 46 minutes 26.5  
22 seconds west 672.87 feet to a point N177,109.82,  
23 E394,187.46, thence running south 78 degrees 13  
24 minutes 45.7 seconds east 10.00 feet to a point  
25 N177,107.78, E394,197.25, thence running north

1        11 degrees 46 minutes 25.4 seconds east 684.70 feet  
2        to the point of origin.

3            (3) The portion of the 10-foot settling basin the  
4        boundaries of which begin at a point with coordi-  
5        nates N177,107.78, E394,197.25, thence running  
6        north 78 degrees 13 minutes 45.7 seconds west  
7        10.00 feet to a point N177,109.82, E394,187.46,  
8        thence running south 11 degrees 46 minutes 15.7  
9        seconds west 300.00 feet to a point N176,816.13,  
10       E394,126.26, thence running south 78 degrees 12  
11       minutes 21.4 seconds east 9.98 feet to a point  
12       N176,814.09, E394,136.03, thence running north  
13       11 degrees 46 minutes 29.1 seconds east 300.00 feet  
14       to the point of origin.

15           (4) The portion of the 10-foot settling basin the  
16        boundaries of which begin at a point with coordi-  
17        nates N177,018.00, E394,628.00, thence running  
18        north 78 degrees 13 minutes 45.7 seconds west  
19        10.00 feet to a point N177,020.04, E394,618.21,  
20        thence running south 11 degrees 46 minutes 44.0  
21        seconds west 300.00 feet to a point N176,726.36,  
22        E394,556.97, thence running south 78 degrees 12  
23        minutes 30.3 seconds east 10.03 feet to a point  
24        N176,724.31, E394,566.79, thence running north

1        11 degrees 46 minutes 22.4 seconds east 300.00 feet  
 2        to the point of origin.

3        (c) REDESIGNATIONS.—The following portions of the  
 4 project shall be redesignated as part of the 6-foot anchor-  
 5 age:

6            (1) The portion of the 6-foot channel the  
 7 boundaries of which begin at a point with coordi-  
 8 nates N177,990.91, E394,820.68, thence running  
 9 south 83 degrees 58 minutes 40.8 seconds west  
 10 94.65 feet to a point N177,980.98, E394,726.55,  
 11 thence running south 11 degrees 46 minutes 22.4  
 12 seconds west 962.83 feet to a point N177,038.40,  
 13 E394,530.10, thence running south 78 degrees 13  
 14 minutes 45.7 seconds east 90.00 feet to a point  
 15 N177,020.04, E394,618.21, thence running north  
 16 11 degrees 46 minutes 47.7 seconds east 991.76 feet  
 17 to the point of origin.

18            (2) The portion of the 10-foot inner harbor set-  
 19 tling basin the boundaries of which begin at a point  
 20 with coordinates N177,020.04, E394,618.21, thence  
 21 running north 78 degrees 13 minutes 30.5 seconds  
 22 west 160.00 feet to a point N177,052.69,  
 23 E394,461.58, thence running south 11 degrees 46  
 24 minutes 45.4 seconds west 299.99 feet to a point  
 25 N176,759.02, E394,400.34, thence running south

1        78 degrees 13 minutes 17.9 seconds east 160 feet to  
 2        a point N176,726.36, E394,556.97, thence running  
 3        north 11 degrees 46 minutes 44.0 seconds east  
 4        300.00 feet to the point of origin.

5            (3) The portion of the 6-foot anchorage the  
 6        boundaries of which begin at a point with coordi-  
 7        nates N178,102.26, E394,751.83, thence running  
 8        south 51 degrees 59 minutes 42.1 seconds west  
 9        526.51 feet to a point N177,778.07, E394,336.96,  
 10        thence running south 11 degrees 46 minutes 26.6  
 11        seconds west 511.83 feet to a point N177,277.01,  
 12        E394,232.52, thence running south 78 degrees 13  
 13        minutes 17.9 seconds east 80.00 feet to a point  
 14        N177,260.68, E394,310.84, thence running north  
 15        11 degrees 46 minutes 24.8 seconds east 482.54 feet  
 16        to a point N177,733.07, E394,409.30, thence run-  
 17        ning north 51 degrees 59 minutes 41.0 seconds east  
 18        402.63 feet to a point N177,980.98, E394,726.55,  
 19        thence running north 11 degrees 46 minutes 27.6  
 20        seconds east 123.89 feet to the point of origin.

21        (d) REALIGNMENT.—The 6-foot anchorage area de-  
 22        scribed in subsection (c)(3) shall be realigned to include  
 23        the area located south of the inner harbor settling basin  
 24        in existence on the date of enactment of this Act beginning  
 25        at a point with coordinates N176,726.36, E394,556.97,

1 thence running north 78 degrees 13 minutes 17.9 seconds  
 2 west 160.00 feet to a point N176,759.02, E394,400.34,  
 3 thence running south 11 degrees 47 minutes 03.8 seconds  
 4 west 45 feet to a point N176,714.97, E394,391.15, thence  
 5 running south 78 degrees 13 minutes 17.9 seconds 160.00  
 6 feet to a point N176,682.31, E394,547.78, thence running  
 7 north 11 degrees 47 minutes 03.8 seconds east 45 feet  
 8 to the point of origin.

9 (e) RELOCATION.—The Secretary of the Army may  
 10 relocate the settling basin feature of the project to the  
 11 outer harbor between the jetties.

12 (f) ENFORCEMENT OF CONSERVATION EASEMENT.—  
 13 The Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Director  
 14 of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, may accept  
 15 the conveyance of the right, but not the obligation, to en-  
 16 force a conservation easement to be held by the State of  
 17 Maine over certain land owned by the town of Wells,  
 18 Maine, that is adjacent to the Rachel Carson National  
 19 Wildlife Refuge.

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