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Protection of shorelines and waterways impacts many ecosystems beyond ocean environments which are essential toall life on this Planet. Using nets that go deep to ocean floors disturb all ocean plants, fish and animals that swim and breed in these waters and sometimes return inland for food sources and to help wildlife and plants and waterways inland.

Support the HB 2965 Bill to protect our coastlines and offshore areas beyond the coasts for species, plants and food supplies for those under and above water. Thank you for your vote to protect this essential part of the Planet and keep the balance of Ocean environments so necessary to address larger atmospheric warming and stability of coastlines, weather and multiple birds and other species. Don:t mess with the Ocean!

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