

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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The House Calendar

The Advance Journal and Calendar of the House of Representatives

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH MAINE LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

4th Legislative Day

Thursday, January 11, 2001

Calling of the House to Order by Speaker.

Prayer by Reverend Donald Miller, Emmanuel Reformed Presbyterian Church, Minot.

National Anthem by Lawrence High School Symphonic Band, Fairfield.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Doctor of the day, Mark Perlmutter, M.D., Camden.

Reading of the Journal of Tuesday, January 9, 2001.

SENATE PAPERS

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) HOUSE JOINT ORDER - Relative to printing of history and final disposition of each Bill and Resolve (H.P. 4)

READ and **PASSED** in the House on December 6, 2000.

Comes from the Senate **PASSED AS AMENDED BY SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-1)** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Michael V. Saxl, Speaker

Millicent M. MacFarland, Clerk

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(4-3) On motion of Representative BROOKS of Winterport, the following Joint Order: (H.P. 87)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Joint Rules be amended by amending Joint Rule 310, subsection 5, by adding after the 3rd blocked paragraph the following:

The member of the Penobscot Nation and the member of the Passamaquoddy Tribe elected to represent their people at each biennial Legislature may vote and sign any report in the committee to which the member is assigned on legislation sponsored by a legislator who is not an Indian Representative that specifically relates to Indians or Indian land claims.

(4-4) On motion of Representative GLYNN of South Portland, the following Joint Order: (H.P. 88)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Joint Rules be amended by striking out all of Joint Rule 303 and inserting in its place the following:

Rule 303. Committee Clerks.

1. Until February 1, 2001, the hiring of all committee clerks must be mutually agreeable to both the Senate and House chairs. If not agreeable to both, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House shall decide. Until February 1, 2001, committee clerks serve at the pleasure of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House.

2. Beginning February 1, 2001, committee clerks must be hired by the Legislative Information Office under the authority of the Legislative Council. On February 1, 2001, committee clerks hired under section 1 become employees within the Legislative Information Office under the authority of the Legislative Council. Vacancies in positions originally filled under section 1 must be filled in accordance with this section.

3. Employment of the committee clerks terminates no later than the end of session.
