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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OCTOBER 30, 1987

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

SECRETARY'S REPORT

- Summaries of October 18 and 21, 1987 Council Meetings

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- Item #1: Approved Step Increases
- Item #2: Approved Out-of-State Travel

REPORTS FROM COUNCIL COMMITTEES

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

- Item #1: Cost-of-Living Increase for Constitutional Officers
- Item #2: Request from Jt. Standing Committee on Marine Resources to extend reporting deadline for Study of State's Role in Monitoring Paralytic Shellfish Poison (letter from Sen. Matthews and Rep. Mitchell, Committee Chairs)
- Item #3: Proposal to Establish a State Legislative Internship Program for students enrolled in the University of Maine System (enclosed letter from Kenneth P. Hayes and Draft Agreement)
- Item #4: Legislators' Requests to Introduce Legislation to Second Regular Session

SEN. CHARLES P. PRAY
CHAIRMAN

REP. JOHN L. MARTIN
VICE-CHAIRMAN



STATE OF MAINE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
STATE HOUSE
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

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SEN. DENNIS L. DUTREMBLE
SEN. THOMAS R. PERKINS
SEN. CHARLES M. WEBSTER
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REP. THOMAS W. MURPHY, JR.
REP. EUGENE J. PARADIS

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OCTOBER 18, 1987

MEETING SUMMARY

APPROVED OCTOBER 30, 1987

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Legislative Council was called to order in the Council Chambers by the Chair, Senator Pray, at 7:45 p.m..

ROLL CALL

Senators: Sen. Clark, Sen. Dutremble, Sen. Perkins, Sen. Pray
Absent: Sen. Webster

Representatives: Rep. Diamond, Rep. Gwadosky, Rep. Martin, Rep. Murphy, Rep. Paradis

Legislative Officers:

Sally Diamond	Executive Director, Legislative Council
Peter Siegel	Law Librarian
Bent Schlosser	Director, Office of Fiscal and Program Review
Helen Ginder	Director, Office of Policy and Legal Analysis
David Silsby	Revisor of Statutes
John H. Bailey	Information Systems Director

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The summary of the Council's October 9, 1987, meeting was approved and placed on file (Motion by Sen. Clark; second by Sen. Dutremble; unanimous).

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

None.

REPORTS FROM COUNCIL COMMITTEES

None.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

Item #1: Eastern States Fiscal Officers Association:
Invitation to Maine to Host Annual Meeting,
September, 1988

Bent Schlosser, Director, Office of Fiscal and Program Review, sent a letter to the Council informing them that Maine was invited to be the host state for the 1988 Annual Meeting of the Eastern State Fiscal Officers Association. All expenses involved in hosting the meeting will be covered by registration fees.

Motion: That the invitation to host the Annual Meeting be approved (Motion by Rep. Diamond; second by Sen. Clark; unanimous).

Item #2: Requests to Introduce Legislation for the Second
Special Session

A list of Bill Requests considered by the Legislative Council and a summary of the Council's action is attached.

ADJOURNMENT

The Legislative Council meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m. (Motion by Rep. Diamond; second by Rep. Murphy; unanimous).

SEN. CHARLES P. PRAY
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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OCTOBER 21, 1987

MEETING SUMMARY

APPROVED OCTOBER 30, 1987

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Legislative Council was called to order in the Council Chambers by the Chair, Senator Pray, at 8:10 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Senators: Sen. Clark, Sen. Dutremble, Sen. Perkins, Sen. Pray, Sen. Webster

Representatives: Rep. Diamond, Rep. Gwadosky, Rep. Martin, Rep. Murphy, Rep. Paradis

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

None.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

None.

REPORTS FROM COUNCIL COMMITTEES

None.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

Item #1: Requests to Introduce Legislation to the Second
Special Session

A list of Bill Requests considered by the
Legislative Council and a summary of the Council's
action is attached.

ADJOURNMENT

The Legislative Council meeting was adjourned at 8:30 a.m.
(Motion by Sen. Clark; second by Sen. Dutremble; unanimous).

SARAH C. DIAMOND
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

REVISED DIRECTOR'S REPORT

OCTOBER 30, 1987

Approved Step Increases

Alice Gray, Legal Proofreader, Office of Revisor of Statutes,
(Salary Range 3), from Step B to Step C, effective October 19.

Lock Kiermaier, Analyst, Office of Fiscal & Program Review
(Salary Range 10), from Step C to Step D, effective November 5.

Grant Pennoyer, Analyst, Office of Fiscal & Program Review
(Salary Range 10), from Step C to Step D, effective November 13.

Out-of-State Travel

Assembly on the Legislature, Hartford, Connecticut, November 5-7:

Lars Rydell
Haven Whiteside
Sally Diamond

Seminar in Negotiating Public Policy sponsored by the Conservation
Foundation, Washington, D.C., December 3-4:

Tim Glidden

CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS
EFFECT OF COST-OF-LIVING INCREASE

		Current	+3%
Secretary of State	87/G	\$43,596.80	\$44,907.20
State Treasurer	87/F	\$41,537.60	\$42,785.60
State Auditor	88/A	\$34,257.60	\$35,276.80
Attorney General	90/G	\$52,145.60	\$53,705.60

10/26/87

SENATE

HOUSE

ZACHARY MATTHEWS, DISTRICT 13, CHAIR
STEPHEN C. ESTES, DISTRICT 35
PAMELA L. CAHILL, DISTRICT 24



GRO FLATEBO, LEGISLATIVE ANALYST
MARK USINGER, COMMITTEE CLERK

JAMES MITCHELL, FREEPORT, CHAIR
NATHANIEL J. CROWLEY, SR., STOCKTON SPRINGS
JAMES REED COLES, HARPSWELL
RICHARD P. RUHLIN, BREWER
HARRIET A. KETOVER, PORTLAND
MARIA GLEN HOLT, BATH
ROLAND S. SALSBUURY, JR., BAR HARBOR
GUY G. SCARPINO, ST. GEORGE
SALLY R. RICE, STONINGTON
THEONE F. LOOK, JONESBORO

STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON MARINE RESOURCES

October 16, 1987

Senator Charles Pray, Chair
Legislative Council
State House Station 115
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Senator Pray:

Last June, the Legislative Council authorized the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources to study LD 1328, AN ACT to Establish a Tax to Provide for the Comprehensive Monitoring of Paralytic Shellfish Poison which was held over to the Second Regular Session of the 113th Legislature. The Committee's request for the study provided for a deadline of November 1, 1987 for the Committee's report and January 1, 1988 for submission of legislation.

A subcommittee was established and has held several meetings to consider this important issue. Although there has been agreement on the need for increased resources to address the State's role in paralytic shellfish poison monitoring, as well as federal shellfish sanitation standards, the issue of funding for these needs has taken more time than originally envisioned. Therefore, the Committee requests the Legislative Council to extend the deadline for the Committee's report to December 15, 1987. We see no problem in complying with the original deadline of January 1, 1988 for submission of legislation.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

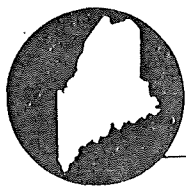
Zach Matthews

Zachary E. Matthews
Senate Chair

James Mitchell

James Mitchell
House Chair

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September 11, 1987

Charles P. Pray
President of the Senate
State House
Augusta, Maine 04333

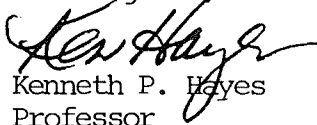
Dear Charlie:

Thank you for your response to the draft Memorandum of Understanding between the Legislature and the University of Maine System. I have incorporated your concerns in the enclosed second draft.

I fully understand your concern about space for such interns and I frankly would prefer the initial program to have no more than 5 participants during the Spring session. You might want to consider, however, the possibility of a few full-time summer interns for 10 weeks (similar to the summer intern program of New York State).

Again, my thanks for your interest in this project. Jackie and I plan to see you on the 20th.

Best regards,


Kenneth P. Hayes
Professor

KPH:jk
enclosure

September 11, 1987

Second Draft

Memorandum of Understanding

The Maine State Legislature and the University of Maine system hereby agree to establish a State Legislative Internship program for the academic year 1987-88, that will enable students of the University of Maine system to obtain undergraduate credit while participating in a learning-work experience in the House and Senate. In carrying out this understanding the principals agree to the following:

That the University of Maine system will:

1. Provide a system-wide program identified as a State Legislature Internship program.
2. Provide course credit of 9 degree hours transferable between Units.
3. Administer the registration and evaluation of student interns.
4. Establish standards for legislative interns and recruit undergraduate students for the program.
5. Publicize the program.
6. Provide an annual report to the Legislature Council on the program.
7. Provide a regular seminar (3 credit hours) to supplement the internship.

The Maine State Legislature agrees to:

1. Provide learning-work experiences for the interns as determined by the presiding officers of the House and Senate. It is further agreed that interns may be assigned to offices of both major political parties.
2. To prepare a plan for intern assignments.
3. Provide reasonable space for them to carry out such duties as they are assigned.

4. Provide supervision through the Presiding officers of the Senate and House.
5. Reimburse the interns at a rate approved by the Legislative Council.

The following representatives of the Maine State Legislature and the University of Maine system agree to the foregoing memorandum.

V.P. Of Academic Affairs, UMS

Chair, Legislative Council