

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

1st Special Session

OF THE

*One Hundred and Sixth
Legislature*

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1974

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Augusta, Maine

HOUSE

Monday, January 14, 1974

The House met according to adjournment and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Lelton Orewiler of Gardiner.

The members stood at attention during the playing of the National Anthem.

The journal of the previous session was read and approved.

**Papers from the Senate
Reports of Committees
Ought Not to Pass**

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Bill "An Act Relating to Recruiting and Retention Incentives for the National Guard" (S. P. 783) (L. D. 2263) Emergency, reporting "Ought not to pass"

In accordance with Joint Rule 17-A, was placed in the legislative files.

Ought to Pass

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Bill "An Act Appropriating Funds to Carry out Duties of the Director of Legislative Research" (S. P. 728) (L. D. 2140) Emergency, reporting "Ought to pass"

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve Providing Funds for Cerebral Palsy Centers (S. P. 706) (L. D. 2118)

Came from the Senate with the Reports read and accepted and the Bill and Resolve passed to be engrossed.

In the House, the Reports were read and accepted in concurrence, the Bill and Resolve read once and assigned for second reading tomorrow.

**House Report of Committee
Ought to Pass
Printed Bill**

Mr. Susi from the Committee on Taxation on Resolve Authorizing the State Tax Assessor to convey by Sale the Interest of the State in Certain Land in the Unorganized Territory (H. P. 1717) (L. D. 2110) reporting "Ought to pass"

Report was read and accepted, the Resolve read once and assigned for second reading tomorrow.

Consent Calendar**First Day**

(S. P. 714) (L. D. 2126) Resolve Authorizing Attorney General to Convey State's Interest in Certain Land in Bangor" — Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "Ought to pass"

No objection having been noted, was assigned to the Consent Calendar's Second Day list.

(H. P. 1732) (L. D. 2176) Bill "An Act Increasing Salaries of Various County Officers" — Committee on County Government reporting "Ought to pass"

On the request of Mr. Simpson of Standish, was removed from the Consent Calendar.

Thereupon, the Report was read and accepted, the Bill read once and assigned for second reading tomorrow.

(H. P. 1797) (L. D. 2277) Emergency Bill "An Act Relating to Property Tax Appeals" — Committee on Taxation reporting "Ought To Pass"

No objection having been noted, was assigned to the Consent Calendar's Second Day list.

Consent Calendar**Second Day**

(S. P. 731) (L. D. 2143) Bill "An Act to Correct an Inconsistency in the District Attorney Law" (C. "A" S-309) (H. P. 1681) (L. D. 2074) Bill "An Act Relating to Area Directional Sign for Rangeley Lakes-Saddleback Mountain Region"

(H. P. 1720) (L. D. 2113) Bill "An Act to Provide for Special Motor Vehicle License Plates Observing the Bicentennial of the American Revolution"

No objection having been noted, were passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Passed to Be Engrossed

Bill "An Act to Permit Hours of Sale of Liquor in Take-out Stores to Correspond with On-premises Establishments" (S. P. 762) (L. D. 2193)

Bill "An Act Providing Funds for Marine Research" (H. P. 1768) (L. D. 2240)

Bill "An Act to Authorize Satellite Centers for Vocational Education (H. P. 1757) (L. D. 2216) (C. "A" H-627) Emergency.

Resolve to Reimburse Sheila Herbert of Chelsea for Damage to Motor Vehicle by State Ward (H. P. 1704) (L. D. 2097) (C. "A" H-628)

Bill "An Act Relating to a State-wide Food Stamp Program" (H. P. 1774) (L. D. 2246) (C. "A" H-629)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Second Reading, read the second time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Orders of the Day

The following paper appearing on Supplement No. 1 was taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

Bill "An Act to Apportion the House of Representatives" (H. P. 1844) (L. D. 2351) (Presented by Mrs. Lewis of Auburn) Emergency.

On motion of Mr. Simpson of Standish, under suspension of the rules the Bill was read once and assigned for second reading tomorrow without reference to any Committee.

The following Enactors appearing on Supplement No. 2 were taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

An Act Relating to Membership on Maine State American Revolution Bicentennial Commission (H. P. 1679) (L. D. 2072) Emergency

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency

measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a total was taken. 120 voted in favor of same and none against, and accordingly the Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

An Act Increasing Borrowing Capacity of School Administrative District No. 64 (H. P. 1692) (L. D. 2085) Emergency

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a total was taken. 120 voted in favor of same and none against, and accordingly the Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

An Act Relating to Breaking and Entering, and Larceny of Trailers and Semitrailers (S. P. 712) (L. D. 2124)

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

(Off Record Remarks)

On motion of Mr. Birt of East Millinocket,

Adjourned until eleven o'clock tomorrow morning.