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STATE OF MAINE  
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JOURNAL OF THE SENATE  
Augusta, Maine  
March 16, 1983  
Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Father Royal J. Parent of St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church of Millinocket.

FATHER PARENT: Now that the daylight fills the sky, we lift our hearts to God on high; that He in all we do or say, would guide us free from harm today.

O'Lord God, King of heaven and earth, be pleased this day to direct and sanctify; to rule and govern our hearts and bodies; our thoughts, words, and deeds, according to Your Law, and in the works of Your Commandments.

Here, and forever, O'Saviour of the world, may we be protected and saved through Your mighty help, You Who live and reign forever and ever. Amen.

Reading of the Journal of yesterday.

(Off Record Remarks)

**Papers from the House  
Non-concurrent Matter**

BILL, "An Act to Prohibit Skiing in Out-of-bounds Areas." (H. P. 524) (L. D. 649)

In the House March 8, 1983 Passed to be Engrossed as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-45)

In the Senate March 9, 1983, Bill and accompanying papers Indefinitely Postponed in non-concurrence.

Comes from the House that Body Having Insisted.

On motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot, Tabled until later in today's session, pending Consideration.

**Non-concurrent Matter**

BILL, "An Act to Amend the Banking Code Regarding the Trust Powers of Thrift Institutions." (S. P. 105) (L. D. 237)

In the Senate March 9, 1983, Passed to be Engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-17).

Comes from the House Passed to be Engrossed as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-17) as Amended by House Amendment "A" (H-60) thereto in non-concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: Is it the pleasure of the Senate to Recede and Concur with the House?

It is a vote.

**House Papers**

BILL, "An Act to Clarify Independent Contractor Status Under the Workers' Compensation Act." (H. P. 893) (L. D. 1158)

Reference to the Committee on Labor suggested.

Comes from the House, referred to the Committee on Business Legislation and Ordered Printed.

Which was referred to the Committee on Business Legislation and Ordered Printed in concurrence.

BILL, "An Act to Adjust the Workers' Compensation Insurance Rates Charged Volunteer Ambulance Companies." (H. P. 888) (L. D. 1153)

Comes from the House, referred to the Committee on Business Legislation and Ordered Printed.

Which was referred to the Committee on Business Legislation and Ordered Printed in concurrence.

BILL, "An Act to Establish Clearer Guidelines for Guardians Ad Litem Appointed under the Child and Family Services and Child Protection Act." (H. P. 889) (L. D. 1154)

BILL, "An Act Concerning a Judge Hearing a Case where his Town or County is a Party." (H. P. 890) (L. D. 1155)

BILL, "An Act to Improve the Child and Family Services and Child Protection Act." (H. P. 891) (L. D. 1156)

BILL, "An Act to Promote Early Permanency for Children Subject to a Protection Order." (H. P. 892) (L. D. 1157)

Come from the House, referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Ordered Printed.

Which were referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Ordered Printed in concurrence.

BILL, "An Act to Improve the Price and Availability of Radio Paging Services." (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27.) (Emergency) (H. P. 894) (L. D. 1159)

Comes from the House, referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and Ordered Printed.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and Ordered Printed in concurrence.

BILL, "An Act to Authorize the Maine Criminal Justice Academy to Revoke Officer Certification." (Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 24.) (H. P. 865) (L. D. 1152)

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested.

Comes from the House, referred to the Committee on State Government and Ordered Printed.

Which was referred to the Committee on State Government and Ordered Printed in concurrence.

BILL, "An Act to Amend Certain Motor Vehicle Title Laws of the State." (H. P. 895) (L. D. 1160)

Comes from the House, referred to the Committee on Transportation and Ordered Printed.

Which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Ordered Printed in concurrence.

**Communications**

The Following Communication: (H. P. 918)

**Department of  
Inland Fisheries and Wildlife  
284 State Street  
State House Station 41  
Augusta, Maine 04333**

March 7, 1983

The Honorable Gerard P. Conley  
President of the Maine Senate  
and

The Honorable John L. Martin  
Speaker of the Maine House of Representatives  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Conley and Speaker Martin:

Legislative Resolves, Chapter 55 (1977), requests that we, the undersigned, submit an annual report on the status of fish passage at the Augusta Dam. Please accept this letter as evidence that we are meeting our obligations.

To the best of our knowledge, there has been no change in the proposed upgrading of the hydro-generating facilities at the Augusta Dam. We have had no additional responses from the owner of the dam and must assume that retro-fitting or upgrading of this site will be contingent upon re-issuance of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission license due to expire in 1993.

The fish passage facilities described in the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service conceptual report previously submitted to your respective offices remains a viable document. To date there has been no monies provided to implement the construction phase.

If additional information would be of assistance to you or your staffs, please be advised

that we are prepared to meet at your convenience.

Respectfully submitted,  
/S/GLENN H. MANUEL, Commissioner  
Department Inland Fisheries & Wildlife

and  
Chairman, Atlantic Sea-Run Salmon Commission

/S/SPENCER APOLLONIO, Commissioner  
Department of Marine Resources

and  
Atlantic Sea-Run Salmon Commission  
Comes from the House Read and Ordered  
Placed on File.

Which was Read and Ordered Placed on File, in concurrence.

The Following Communication:

**State of Maine  
One Hundred and Eleventh Legislature  
Committee on State Government**

March 15, 1983

President Gerard P. Conley

Maine Senate  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear President Conley:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Chapter 6, section 151, and with Joint Rule 38 of the 111th Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on State Government has had under consideration the nomination of David L. Friedman as a Commissioner of the Maine State Housing Authority.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate of the 111th Maine Legislature that this nomination be confirmed. The vote was taken by the yeas and nays. The committee clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS:	Senators	1
	Representatives	9
NAYS:	Senators	0
	Representatives	0

ABSENT: Sen. Baldacci of Penobscot, Sen. Hichens of York, Rep. Paradis of Augusta.

10 members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and 0 in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of David L. Friedman as a Commissioner of the Maine State Housing Authority be confirmed.

Sincerely,

/S/DAN A. GWADOSKY  
House Chairman

/S/PAUL E. VIOLETTE  
Senate Chairman

Which was Read and Ordered Placed on File.

The PRESIDENT: The Joint Standing Committee on State Government has recommended that the nomination of David L. Friedman be confirmed.

The pending question before the Senate is: Shall the recommendation of the Committee on State Government be overridden: In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Chapter 6, section 151 and with Joint Rule 38 of the 111th Legislature, the vote will be taken by the yeas and nays. A vote of yes will be in favor of overriding the recommendation of the Committee. A vote of No will be in favor of sustaining the recommendation of the Committee.

Is the Senate ready for the question?

The Doorkeepers will secure the Chamber.

The Secretary will call the Roll.

**ROLL CALL**

YEA—None.

NAY—Baldacci, Brown, Carpenter, Charette, Clark, Collins, Danton, Dow, Dutremble, Emerson, Erwin, Gill, Hayes, Hichens, Kany, Najarian, Pearson, Pray, Redmond, Shute, Teague, Trafton, Twitchell, Usher, Violette, Wood, The President, Gerard P. Conley.

ABSENT—Bustin, Diamond, McBrearty, Minikowsky, Perkins, Sewall.

No Senators having voted in the affirmative

and 27 Senators in the negative, with 6 Senators being absent, and none being less than two-thirds of the membership present, it is the vote of the Senate that the Committee's recommendation be accepted.

The nomination of David L. Friedman is confirmed.

The Secretary was directed to inform the Speaker of the House.

The Following Communication: (S. P. 400)  
11th Maine Legislature

March 15, 1983

Honorable Paul Violette  
Honorable Dan Gwadosky  
Chairmen  
Joint Standing Committee on  
State Government  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear Chairman Violette and Gwadosky:

Please be advised that Arthur A. Stilphen, Commissioner of Public Safety has, with the advice and consent of Governor Joseph E. Brennan, nominated Colonel Allan H. Weeks, Jr. for reappointment as Chief of the Maine State Police.

Pursuant to 25 M.R.S.A. Section 1501, this nomination will require review by the Joint Standing Committee on State Government and confirmation by the Senate.

Sincerely,

/S/GERARD P. CONLEY

President of the Senate

/S/JOHN L. MARTIN

Speaker of the House

Which was Read and referred to the Committee on State Government.  
Sent down for concurrence.

#### Senate Papers

BILL, "An Act Concerning Representation of Small Businesses Appearing in Small Claims Court." (S. P. 398) (Presented by Senator SEWALL of Lincoln.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Ordered Printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

RESOLVE, Authorizing the Atlantic Sea Run Salmon Commission to Convey Salmon Smolt to Ocean Products, Inc. (Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 24.) (Emergency) (S. P. 399) (Presented by Senator BROWN of Washington.) (Cosponsor: Representative VOSE of Eastport.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Marine Resources and Ordered Printed.

Sent down forthwith for concurrence.

#### Committee Reports

##### House

##### Ought Not to Pass

The following Ought Not to Pass reports shall be placed in the legislative files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

BILL, "An Act to Adjust Fees for Filing Documents Pursuant to the Uniform Commercial Code." (H. P. 503) (L. D. 601)

BILL, "An Act to Permit Archers who Take a Deer During Archery Hunting Season to also Take a Deer During the Firearm Hunting Season." (H. P. 317) (L. D. 376)

BILL, "An Act to Protect Horticultural Nurseries from Deer Damage" (H. P. 394) (L. D. 477)

BILL, "An Act Concerning the Use of Public Funds of Lobbying." (H. P. 564) (L. D. 714)

##### Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw reports shall be placed in the legislative files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

BILL, "An Act Concerning the Taking of Antlered Deer in Certain Areas of the State." (H. P.

546) (L. D. 698)

BILL, "An Act to Establish a Minimum 2-inch Size Limit on Soft Shell Clams." (H. P. 150) (L. D. 158)

BILL, "An Act Concerning Penalties Enforced against Victims of Accidents who Fail to File Accident Reports." (H. P. 550) (L. D. 701)

BILL, "An Act to Allow Independent Psychologists to Conduct Mental Examinations of Persons Accused of Crimes." (H. P. 843) (L. D. 1093)

##### Ought to Pass

The Committee on Agriculture on Bill, "An Act to Amend the Soil and Water Conservation Districts' Law." (H. P. 530) (L. D. 683) Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Comes from the House, the Report Read and Accepted and the Bill Passed to be Engrossed.

Which Report was Read and Accepted, in concurrence. The Bill Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading

##### Ought to Pass — As Amended

The Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act to Revise the Law Concerning the Investment of Municipal Funds." (Emergency) (H. P. 275) (L. D. 335) reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-59).

Comes from the House, with the Report Read and Accepted and the Bill Passed to be Engrossed as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-59).

Which Report was Read and Accepted, in concurrence. The Bill Read Once. Committee Amendment "A" was Read and Adopted, in concurrence. The Bill, as amended, Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

##### (Off Record Remarks)

##### Ought to Pass in New Draft

The Committee on Agriculture on Bill, "An Act to Permit Compensation to be Paid to Beekeepers for Damage Done by Bears." (H. P. 235) (L. D. 282) Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under same title (H. P. 914) (L. D. 1167)

Comes from the House, the Report Read and Accepted and the New Draft Passed to be Engrossed.

Which Report was Read and Accepted in concurrence. The Bill, in New Draft, Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

The Committee on Health and Institutional Services on Bill, "An Act to Amend and Supplement Certain Powers of Hospital Administrative District No. 1" (Emergency) (H. P. 169) (L. D. 194) Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under same title (H. P. 898) (L. D. 1150)

Comes from the House, the Report Read and Accepted and the New Draft Passed to be Engrossed.

Which Report was Read and Accepted in concurrence. The Bill, in New Draft, Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

##### Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title

The Committee on Public Utilities on Bill, "An Act Concerning Special Telecommunications Equipment for the Deaf and Hearing and Speech Impaired." (H. P. 144) (L. D. 152) Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title, Bill, "An Act Concerning Special Telecommunications Equipment for the Deaf, Hearing Impaired and Speech Impaired." (H. P. 913) (L. D. 1166)

Comes from the House, the Report Read and Accepted and the New Draft Passed to be Engrossed.

Which Report was Read and Accepted in concurrence. The Bill, in New Draft under New Title, Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

##### Senate

The following Ought Not to Pass reports

shall be placed in the legislative files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

BILL, "An Act to Close the Deer Hunting Season in Wildlife Management Unit #6 for a Period of 3 Years." (S. P. 196) (L. D. 618)

BILL, "An Act Relating to the Training of Journeymen Electricians." (S. P. 226) (L. D. 670)

##### Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw report shall be placed in the legislative files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

BILL, "An Act Concerning Veterinarian Examinations." (S. P. 235) (L. D. 677)

Senator Carpenter of Aroostook was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate, On the Record.

Senator CARPENTER: Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, with regard to what appears as Item 6-16 (LD 677), "An Act Concerning Veterinarian Examinations."

I just want to put on the Record a little point of clarification. This was my Bill. It appears on the calendar as a "Leave to Withdraw" Report, but in fact, neither myself nor the cosponsors were ever asked if we would take a "Leave to Withdraw" on this issue.

I fully expected the Bill to come out as a unanimous "Ought Not to Pass" because the Committee, in its wisdom, felt that there was another way through more subtle means to convey a message to the particular entity involved. However, I was quite shocked last night, to find this on the calendar for this morning as "Leave to Withdraw". I would just point out for the benefit of all the people, because I find that several people weren't aware that a "Leave to Withdraw" has to be approved by the prime sponsor and all cosponsors, according to our Rules, and it is not something that the Committee can do on its own motion. Thank you, Mr. President.

Senator Clark of Cumberland was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate, On the Record.

Senator CLARK: Thank you, Mr. President, Men and Women of the Senate, frequently in the pace that all of us experience, communication does breakdown; and I would concur that the good Senator from Aroostook was not contacted relative to his acceptance of a suggested, recommendation from the Committee on Business Legislation, as to whether or not, a "Leave to Withdraw" Report on LD 677 would be appropriate.

The Joint Standing Committee on Business Legislation, in its wisdom, tenders an apology to the good Senator; if, we in fact, have violated any ethic rule, it was unintentional.

I would, also, place on the Record that the Joint Standing Committee on Business Legislation deemed a "Leave to Withdraw" Report less onerous than a unanimous "Ought Not to Pass" Report, in light of the merit that the Committee viewed the content of LD 677. There are some serious considerations that are contained in LD 677. The Committee has recently signed a letter to the Board of Veterinarian Examiners concerning our reservations regarding some of their practices. Those practices were addressed in LD 677. We would hope that we would not make similar errors in the future regarding lack of contact with sponsors.

I might say, that on an earlier "Leave to Withdraw" Section on page 7 of today's calendar, there is, in fact, an item in which I am the cosponsor, and I do not remember being contacted. Perhaps the good Senator from Aroostook has reminded all of us, who Chair Committees, ever so gently, that in fact, we should contact sponsors when "Leave to Withdraw" Reports are before them and before the Legislature. Thank you, Mr. President.

**Change of Reference**

Senator TWITCHELL for the Committee on Local and County Government on BILL, "An Act to Prohibit Residency Requirements for Municipal Employees" (S. P. 61) (L. D. 167)

Reported that the same be referred to the Committee on Labor.

Which Report was Read and Accepted, and the bill referred to the Committee on Labor. Sent down for concurrence.

**Ought to Pass**

Senator KANY for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources on BILL, "An Act Concerning Persons Who Assist in Mitigating the Effects of Discharge of Hazardous Materials." (S. P. 126) (L. D. 313) Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which Report was Read and Accepted. The BILL Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

Senator TRAFTON for the Committee on Judiciary on BILL, "An Act to Enable Administrative Court Judges to Sit in Superior Court." (S. P. 149) (L. D. 440) Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which Report was Read and Accepted. The Bill Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

Senator TRAFTON for the Committee on Judiciary on BILL, "An Act Concerning Appeals by the State in Criminal Cases." (S. P. 236) (L. D. 678) Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which Report was Read and Accepted. The Bill Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

**Ought to Pass—As Amended**

Senator CLARK for the Committee on Business Legislation on BILL, "An Act to Clarify the Definition of Chiropractic" (S. P. 164) (L. D. 519) Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-25)

Which Report was Read and Accepted. The Bill Read Once. Committee Amendment "A" was Read and Adopted. The Bill, as amended, Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

Senator CLARK for the Committee on Business Legislation on BILL, "An Act to Conform Maine Garnishment Laws to the United States Code, Title 15, Section 1673, the Federal Consumer Credit Protection Act." (S. P. 110) (L. D. 262) Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-26)

Which Report was Read. On motion by Senator Clark of Cumberland, Tabled for 1 Legislative Day, pending Acceptance of the Committee Report.

**Divided Report**

The Majority of the Committee on Judiciary on BILL, "An Act Raising the Limit on Speeding Violations which can be Processed by the District Court Traffic Violations Bureau." (S. P. 151) (L. D. 442)

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Signed:

Senators:

TRAFTON of Androscoggin

COLLINS of Knox

VIOLETTE of Aroostook

Representatives:

DRINKWATER of Belfast

JOYCE of Portland

HAYDEN of Durham

HOBBINS of Saco

SOULE of Westport

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Representatives:

REEVES of Newport  
LIVESAY of Brunswick  
CARRIER of Westbrook  
FOSTER of Ellsworth

Which Reports were Read, and the Majority Ought to Pass Report of the Committee was Accepted. The Bill Read Once and Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

**Second Readers House**

The Committee on Bills in the Second Reading reported the following:

BILL, "An Act to Clarify Filing Fee Requirements for Public Utilities Commission Approval of Electric Utilities' Purchase of Electric Power and Conversions." (Emergency) (H. P. 887) (L. D. 1122)

BILL, "An Act Relating to General Health Insurance Benefits for Injured Maine Workers and Their Families." (H. P. 896) (L. D. 1148)

Which were Read a Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed in concurrence.

**House — As Amended**

BILL, "An Act to Amend the Charter of the Augusta Sanitary District" (H. P. 256) (L. D. 306)

RESOLVE, Authorizing the State Tax Assessor to Convey the Interest of the State in Certain Real Estate in the Unorganized Territory (H. P. 430) (L. D. 512)

BILL, "An Act Relating to the Industrial Waste Pretreatment Program of the Kennebec Sanitary Treatment District" (H. P. 347) (L. D. 406)

BILL, "An Act Pertaining to the Licensing of Guides." (H. P. 897) (L. D. 1149)

Which were Read a Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed, as Amended, in concurrence.

**Senate**

BILL, "An Act to Establish the Cost of the 1983 Spruce Budworm Suppression Project." (Emergency) (S. P. 386) (L. D. 1169)

Which was Read a Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

BILL, "An Act to License the Harvest of Seaweeds." (S. P. 388) (L. D. 1171)

Which was Read a Second Time.

On motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot, Tabled for 1 Legislative Day, pending Passage to be Engrossed.

BILL, "An Act Relating to Payment by an Employer when a Physician's Certification of Illness is Required." (S. P. 240) (L. D. 682)

Which was Read a Second Time.

On motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot, Tabled for 1 Legislative Day, pending Passage to be Engrossed.

BILL, "An Act to Require the Department of Labor to Make Available to all Claimants for Unemployment Insurance the Complete Set of All Department of Labor Rules and Policies Governing the Determinations of Eligibility and Payment of Benefits." (S. P. 387) (L. D. 1170)

Which was Read a Second Time.

On motion by Senator Danton of York, Tabled for 1 Legislative Day, pending Passage to be Engrossed.

**Enactors**

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as truly and strictly engrossed the following:

An Act to Restrict the Open Season on Partridge." (H. P. 765) (L. D. 965)

An Act to Include Interpreters for the Hearing Impaired Within the Evidentiary Communications Privilege. (S. P. 338) (L. D. 966)

An Act Relating to Fines for Committing a Fraudulent Act under the Liquor Laws. (S. P. 161) (L. D. 449)

An Act to Amend the Definition of Earnable Compensation. (H. P. 370) (L. D. 453)

Which were Passed to be Enacted and having been signed by the President, were by the Secretary presented to the Governor for his approval.

(Off Record Remarks)

**Emergency**

An Act to Allow the Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services to Charge a Fee for Private Industrial Fire Brigade Training. (H. P. 519) (L. D. 644)

This being an emergency measure and having received the affirmative votes of 28 members of the Senate, with No Senators having voted in the negative, was Passed to be Enacted and having been signed by the President, was by the Secretary presented to the Governor for his approval.

**Orders of the Day**

The President laid before the Senate, the first Tabled and specially assigned matter:

BILL, "An Act to Permit the Maine Health and Higher Education Facilities Authority to Issue Hospital Equipment Loan Program Revenue Bonds, to Allow Nonprofit Health Services' Groups to Participate in the Authority's Programs, and for other Purposes." (H. P. 874) (L. D. 1128)

Tabled—March 15, 1983 by Senator CARPENTER of Aroostook

Pending—Reference

(Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested.)

(In the House, referred to the Committee on Health and Institutional Services.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and Ordered Printed, in concurrence.

The President laid before the Senate, the second Tabled and specially assigned matter.

BILL, "An Act Regarding Courses and their Equivalency Offered at Various Units of the University of Maine." (H. P. 243) (L. D. 290)

Tabled—March 15, 1983 by Senator PRAY of Penobscot.

Pending—Adoption of Senate Amendment "A".

(In House, Passed to be Engrossed as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-51)

Senate Amendment "A" was Adopted.

The Bill, as amended, Tomorrow Assigned for Second Reading.

The President laid before the Senate, the third Tabled and specially assigned matter.

BILL, "An Act to Increase Reimbursement for Professional Credits for Teachers." (S. P. 361) (L. D. 1074)

Tabled—March 15, 1983 by Senator Pray of Penobscot.

Pending—Passage to be Engrossed

On motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot, Retabled for 1 Legislative Day.

On motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot the Senate voted to take from the Table:

BILL, "An Act to Prohibit Skiing in Out-of-bounds Areas." (H. P. 524) (L. D. 649)

Tabled earlier in Today's Session, on motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot, pending Reference.

(In House that Body Having Insisted.)

On motion by Senator Pray of Penobscot, Retabled for 1 Legislative Day.

(Senate At Ease)

The Senate called to Order by the President.

The President laid before the Senate: BILL, "An Act Regarding Courses and their Equivalency Offered at the Various Units of the University of Maine." (H. P. 243) (L. D. 290)

The PRESIDENT: The Chair assigned this Bill erroneously as a Second Reader tomorrow.

The question before the Senate is, shall this Bill be Passed to be Engrossed, as amended, in non-concurrence?

It is a vote.

Sent down for concurrence.

Senator Carpenter of Aroostook was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate, Off the Record.

On motion by Senator Carpenter of Aroostook, Adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.