

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LEGISLATIVE RECORD**  
OF THE  
**One Hundred And Thirteenth Legislature**  
OF THE  
**State Of Maine**

**VOLUME I**  
**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
December 3, 1986 to May 22, 1987

STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION  
JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

In Senate Chamber  
Monday  
March 16, 1987

Senate called to Order by the President.

Prayer by Reverend David Longstreet of the High Street Congregational Church in Auburn.

REVEREND LONGSTREET: Let us pray. Eternal God, from Your great strength we seek strength for the daily rounds of activities of these men and women serving this State, the people and it's environs. We pray that You might give them strength for their efforts this day. Strength to meet with each other, insight into the problems and possibilities of this State and insight into the needs of the constituents that send them here. We pray, O Lord, that they might understand the issues that are involved in the day to day tasks, that they might administer faithfully their office and that they might grow upon the wisdom that You have given to them. That they might decide wisely for the people of Maine, so that the people of Maine might know that they are loved and cared for and know that justice is found here. We give You thanks, O God, our creator, sustainer and redeemer. Amen.

Reading of the Journal of Thursday, March 12, 1987.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE  
Non-concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act to Enhance the Activities of the Maine Highway Safety Committee"

H.P. 511 L.D. 684

In House, March 10, 1987, referred to the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT and ORDERED PRINTED.

In Senate, March 11, 1987, referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION and ORDERED PRINTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Comes from the House, that Body INSISTED.  
The Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

House Papers

Bill "An Act to Eliminate the Statute of Limitation in Child Molestation or Incest Cases"

H.P. 546 L.D. 733

Bill "An Act to Provide for Payment of Fees for Independent Adoption Studies"

H.P. 545 L.D. 732

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 Require the Itemization of In-kind Contributions by Political Action Committees and Candidates for Public Office"

H.P. 544 L.D. 731

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on LEGAL AFFAIRS and ORDERED PRINTED.

Which was referred to the Committee on LEGAL AFFAIRS and ORDERED PRINTED, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Make Adjustments in the State Tax Structure as a Result of Federal Tax Reform"

H.P. 548 L.D. 735

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on TAXATION and ORDERED PRINTED.

Which was referred to the Committee on TAXATION and ORDERED PRINTED, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Authorize the Increase of the Maximum Speed Limit to 65 Miles Per Hour"

H.P. 547 L.D. 734

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.

Pursuant to the Statutes  
MUNICIPAL LAND BANK STUDY COMMITTEE

The MUNICIPAL LAND BANK STUDY COMMITTEE, pursuant to Private and Special Laws 1985, Chapter 119, ask leave to submit its findings and to report that the accompanying Bill "An Act Enabling Municipalities to Establish Municipal Land Banks Funded by a Local Option Real Estate Transfer Tax"

H.P. 543 L.D. 727

Be referred to the Joint Standing Committee on TAXATION for Public Hearing and printed pursuant to Joint Rule 18.

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill referred to the Committee on TAXATION and ORDERED PRINTED, pursuant to Joint Rule 18.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill referred to the Committee on TAXATION and ORDERED PRINTED, pursuant to Joint Rule 18, in concurrence.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Following Communication:  
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MAINE  
246 DEERING AVENUE  
PORTLAND, MAINE 04102

March 3, 1987

President of the Senate Charles Pray  
Office of the President  
State House Station 3  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear Mr. Pray:

Enclosed you will find the final report from a study of health insurance coverage in Maine, conducted by the Human Services Development Institute on behalf of the 112th Legislature.

This study measures the extent of the problem of lack of insurance and medical indigency in Maine, analyzes the impact of the problem upon the health and well-being of Maine citizens and reviews policy options for addressing the problem. Included in the report are recommendations for program and policy initiatives, several of which are currently under consideration by Legislative study committees or the Department of Human Services.

We hope that this report will prove to be a valuable resource to you as you consider the health policy issues that arise over the course of the year.

With best wishes for the new year,

Yours truly,  
S/Andrew Coburn, Ph.D  
Acting Director  
S/Elizabeth Kilbreth  
Research Associate

Which was READ and with Accompanying Papers  
ORDERED PLACED ON FILE.

The Following Communication:  
MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE  
JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
STATE HOUSE STATION 5  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

March 12, 1987

Honorable Charles P. Pray  
President, Maine Senate  
Honorable John L. Martin  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Dear President Pray and Speaker Martin:

I have the pleasure of submitting to you the final report of the Joint Select Committee on Economic Development. Included in the appendices of the enclosed report is draft legislation that the Joint Select Committee will be introducing for consideration at the First Regular Session of the 113th Legislature.

The Committee feels that it has prepared a document which lays a foundation upon which further efforts to assist Maine's economic growth can be built.

The Joint Select Committee on Economic Development has fulfilled its obligation as directed by Resolves of 1985, Chapters 45 and 53. On behalf of the other members, I would like to express our appreciation to all those individuals who assisted the Committee in the development of this report.

Sincerely,  
S/ Gregory G. Nadeau  
Chair

Which was READ and with Accompanying Papers  
ORDERED PLACED ON FILE.

The following Communication:  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
STATE HOUSE STATION 22  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

March 11, 1987

Senator Charles P. Pray  
President of the Senate  
State House, Station 3  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear President Pray:

I am pleased to submit to the Legislature and in particular to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources the Public Lands' biennial report, pursuant to 12 M.R.S.A., Chapter 202, ss 553.

Sincerely,  
S/ Robert Gardiner  
Director  
Bureau of Public Lands

Which was READ and with Accompanying Papers  
ORDERED PLACED ON FILE.

The Following Communication:  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES  
STATE HOUSE STATION 23  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

March 10, 1987

The Honorable Charles P. Pray  
President of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
State House Station 3  
Augusta, ME 04333  
Dear President Pray:

In accordance with the provisions of 20-A MRSA, Chapter 421, it is my duty to annually report to the

Legislature and to the Governor a plan which assures, to the extent practicable, that Contract students return to practice their profession within the state. It is my pleasure, therefore, to transmit herewith the Annual Status Report prepared by the Advisory Committee on Medical Education which summarizes the Committee's activities and recommendations for the period January, 1986 - December, 1986.

Yours truly,  
S/ Eve M. Bither  
Commissioner

Which was READ and with Accompanying Papers  
ORDERED PLACED ON FILE.

The Following Communication:  
COMMITTEE ON MARINE RESOURCES  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE  
March 13, 1987

The Honorable Charles P. Pray  
President of the Senate of Maine  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Chapter 6, Section 151, and with Joint Rule 38 of the 113th Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources has had under consideration the nomination of Donald Wotton of Boothbay Harbor, for appointment to the Marine Resources Advisory Council.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS: Senators 3  
Representatives 8

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 2 Rep. Crowley of Stockton Springs,  
Rep. Scarpino of St. George

11 members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Donald Wotton of Boothbay Harbor, for appointment to the Marine Resources Advisory Council be confirmed.

Sincerely,  
S/ Zachary Matthews  
Senate Chair  
S/ James Mitchell  
House Chair

Which was READ and ORDERED PLACED ON FILE.

THE PRESIDENT: The Joint Standing Committee on MARINE RESOURCES has recommended the nomination of Donald Wotton of Boothbay Harbor for appointment to the Marine Resources Advisory Council be confirmed.

The pending question before the Senate is: "Shall the recommendation of the Committee on MARINE RESOURCES be overridden?"

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Chapter 6, Section 151 and with Joint Rule 38 of the 113th 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

YEAS: Senators None

NAYS: Senators ANDREWS, BALDACCI, BERUBE,  
BLACK, BRANNIGAN, BRAWN, BUSTIN,  
CAHILL, CLARK, COLLINS, DILLENBACK,

DOW, DUTREMBLE, EMERSON, ERWIN,  
ESTES, GAUVREAU, GILL, GOULD, KANY,  
KERRY, LUDWIG, MATTHEWS, MAYBURY,  
PEARSON, PERKINS, SEWALL, THERIAULT,  
TWITCHELL, USHER, WEBSTER, THE  
PRESIDENT - CHARLES P. PRAY

ABSENT: Senators RANDALL, TUTTLE, WHITMORE

No Senators having voted in the affirmative and 32 Senators having voted in the negative, with 3 Senators being absent, and None being less than two-thirds of the Membership present, it was the vote of the Senate that the Committee's recommendation be ACCEPTED and the nomination of Donald Wotton for appointment to the Marine Resources Advisory Council, was CONFIRMED.

The Secretary has so informed the Speaker of the House.

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE  
March 13, 1987

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President of the Senate of Maine  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Chapter 6, Section 151, and with Joint Rule 38 of the 113th Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources has had under consideration the nomination of Dr. Louis J. Zglobicki of Cumberland Foreside, for appointment to the Marine Resources Advisory Council.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

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Senate Chair  
S/James Mitchell  
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CAHILL, CLARK, COLLINS, DILLENBACK,  
DOW, DUTREMBLE, EMERSON, ERWIN,  
ESTES, GAUVREAU, GILL, GOULD, KANY,  
KERRY, LUDWIG, MATTHEWS, MAYBURY,  
PEARSON, PERKINS, SEWALL,  
THERIAULT, TWITCHELL, USHER,  
WEBSTER, THE PRESIDENT - CHARLES P.  
PRAY

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The Secretary has so informed the Speaker of the House.

SENATE PAPERS

Bill "An Act to Revise the Law Prohibiting the Use of Drugs in Animals Competing in Pulling Events" (Emergency)

S.P. 266 L.D. 747

Presented by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin  
Cosponsored by: Representative TARDY of Palmyra  
Which was referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE and ORDERED PRINTED.  
Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Create a Cholesterol Control Program within the Department of Human Services"

S.P. 262 L.D. 743

Presented by Senator GILL of Cumberland  
Cosponsored by: Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin, Representative MANNING of Portland, Representative PINES of Limestone  
Approved for Introduction by a Majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27  
Bill "An Act to Provide Support for the Bridge Shelter, a Home for the Mentally Ill"

S.P. 270 L.D. 751

Presented by Senator GILL of Cumberland  
Cosponsored by: Representative FOSS of Yarmouth, Representative CONNOLLY of Portland, Senator BRANNIGAN of Cumberland  
Which were referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to the Definition of Insurance Agents' Relating to the Termination of Contracts Between Insurance Companies and Agents"

S.P. 264 L.D. 745

Presented by Senator DOW of Kennebec  
Which was referred to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE and ORDERED PRINTED.  
Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Debtor Relief for Violation of Exemptions"

S.P. 263 L.D. 744

Presented by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin  
Cosponsored by: Representative CONLEY of Portland

Bill "An Act to Revise the Laws Concerning Bail for Criminal Defendants"

S.P. 268 L.D. 749

Presented by Senator BRANNIGAN of Cumberland  
Cosponsored by: Representative THISTLE of Dover-Foxcroft, Representative COTE of Auburn, Representative KILKELLY of Wiscasset

Which were referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve, Creating a Watershed District Commission

S.P. 261 L.D. 742

Presented by Senator KANY of Kennebec  
Cosponsored by: Representative SIMPSON of Casco, Representative TRACY of Rome, Representative MITCHELL of Freeport

Bill "An Act Relating to the Right of State Employees to Solicit Political Candidates"

S.P. 267 L.D. 748

Presented by Senator TUTTLE of York  
Cosponsored by: Representative ROTONDI of Athens, Representative CARROLL of Gray, Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec

Resolve, to Name the Eastport Breakwater the Harry L. Vose Breakwater

S.P. 269 L.D. 750

Presented by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot  
Cosponsored by: Representative MOHOLLAND of Princeton, Representative TAMMARO of Baileyville, Senator DOW of Kennebec

Which were referred to the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Include the United States Internal Revenue Code, Section 457, State Deferred Compensation among the Retirement Plans which are Exempt from the Maine Premium Tax"

S.P. 260 L.D. 741

Presented by President PRAY of Penobscot  
Cosponsored by: Senator DOW of Kennebec, Representative CASHMAN of Old Town, Representative MAYO of Thomaston

Which was referred to the Committee on TAXATION and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Amend the Electric Rate Reform Act as it Applies to Cost Recovery for Utility Financing of Energy Conservation"

S.P. 265 L.D. 746

Presented by Senator USHER of Cumberland  
Which was referred to the Committee on UTILITIES and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Off Record Remarks

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 Change the Membership on the Board of Chiropractic Examination and Registration"

H.P. 58 L.D. 61

Bill "An Act to Amend the Education Requirements for Chiropractors"

H.P. 77 L.D. 80

Bill "An Act Concerning the Definition of Resident under the Fisheries and Wildlife Laws"

H.P. 142 L.D. 183

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 Relating to the Taxation of Trade-in Equipment"

H.P. 128 L.D. 154

Bill "An Act to Require Nonresidents to Hunt or Trap Bear with the Services of a Resident Licensed Guide"

H.P. 317 L.D. 416

Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act to Continue the Central Filing System Established Pursuant to the United States Food Security Act of 1985" (Emergency)

H.P. 112 L.D. 122

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-12).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-12) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-18), thereto.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-12) READ.

House Amendment "A" (H-18) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-12) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-12) as Amended by House Amendment "A" (H-18), thereto ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

The Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT on Bill "An Act Concerning the Fees Recoverable by a Municipality in a Nuisance Abatement"

H.P. 54 L.D. 57

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-14).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-14)

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-14) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title

The Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act to Repeal a State Law Duplicative of a Federal Law Relating to Continuation of Group Health Insurance Coverage"

H.P. 66 L.D. 69

Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title Bill "An Act to Reconcile State Law with Federal Law Regulating the Continuation of Group Health Insurance Coverage"

H.P. 541 L.D. 725

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE READ ONCE.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

The Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act to Exempt Prisoners and Adult Offenders who are Performing Court-ordered Public Restitution from the Provisions of the Workers' Compensation Act"

H.P. 178 L.D. 222

Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title Bill "An Act to Exempt Prisoners from the Provisions of the Workers' Compensation Act"

H.P. 542 L.D. 726

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-15).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE READ ONCE.

House Amendment "A" (H-15) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE, as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Senate  
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 Future Indian Communities"

S.P. 113 L.D. 286

SECOND READERS

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

House

Bill "An Act to Reduce the Retirement Age Requirement for Governors"

H.P. 522 L.D. 702

Which was READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, in concurrence.

House As Amended

Bill "An Act Concerning Membership on the Commission on Uniform State Laws"

H.P. 194 L.D. 238  
(C "A" H-13)

Which was READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

Off Record Remarks

ENACTORS

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

An Act to Permit the Identification of Licensed Gasoline Distributors

S.P. 40 L.D. 28  
(C "A" S-3)

An Act Relating to Fencing of Swimming Pools

H.P. 86 L.D. 89

An Act to Change the Location of District Court for the Municipality of Wayne to Augusta

H.P. 451 L.D. 606

Which were PASSED TO BE ENACTED and having been signed by the President, were presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his approval.

An Act to Provide Complimentary Archery Licenses and Muzzle-loading Hunting Licenses to Residents Over 70 Years of Age

H.P. 72 L.D. 75  
(C "A" H-10)

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Penobscot, Senator Pearson.

Senator PEARSON: Thank you Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. Last week I spoke on this particular Bill and I tried to point out, at that time, how important that I thought it was for the Fisheries and Wildlife Committee to establish a Table, upon which to set Bills which cost money so that at the end of the year they would be able to look at them all and decide which ones they could afford to fund and which ones they could not. It is of course, none of my business to get involved in that Committee, except the fact that I was very deeply interested in it several years ago. One of the concerns I had was that a lot of Bills are being passed without regard to the cost. The cost that has been borne almost solely by licenses. A very limited amount of money, a finite source. The other day I spoke on this and now it is in the enacting stage and I would not want anybody to vote against it, that is not the point that I am making. I did look at the fiscal note on the Bill and the fiscal note says something to the effect that the cost is so insignificant that it could be absorbed by the Department. I am sure it is insignificant, look at the age and everything and it probably is going to be relatively insignificant.

The cost of money to print the licenses will probably be the highest cost they are going to have, a couple hundred dollars to print the licenses. Every Bill that we have that goes on the General Fund Appropriations Table, even if its fifty dollars it ends up there. We are not dealing, in the General Fund, as much of a finite source of money as you are in Fisheries and Wildlife. It is just another appeal I am making because I have to make it now, later on it doesn't count. You are either going to establish the Table from the beginning and follow it all the way through, or you are not going to establish one at all.

This is probably the last time you will hear me say this. I do think it is important. I have been ignored the last three or four years when I have suggested it, because nobody has seen the virtue of establishing the Table. I think you will say someday, when Senator Pearson is no longer here, and the Fisheries and Wildlife budget is in trouble again, that maybe we should have established a Table and set priorities and done this. This is in the enacting stage, I intend to vote for it, but I really wish that the thought of establishing a Table and setting priorities towards the end of the year would turn to fruition.

Which was PASSED TO BE ENACTED and having been signed by the President, was presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his approval.

An Act Relating to the Administrative Council of the University of Maine System

H.P. 183 L.D. 227

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - HOUSE, MARCH 17, 1987

(H "A" H-9)

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled  
1 Legislative Day, pending ENACTMENT.

An Act to Appropriate Funds to the Department of  
Human Services to Provide Training and Technical  
Assistance to Community Public Drinking Water  
Supplies

H.P. 269 L.D. 352

On motion by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot, placed  
on the SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE, pending  
ENACTMENT.

Emergency

An Act to Make Additional Allocations from the  
Public Utilities Commission Regulatory Fund for the  
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1987

S.P. 199 L.D. 556

This being an Emergency Measure and having  
received the affirmative vote of 31 Members of the  
Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative,  
and 31 being more than two-thirds of the entire  
elected Membership of the Senate, was PASSED TO BE  
ENACTED and having been signed by the President, was  
presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his  
approval.

Emergency Resolve

Resolve, Authorizing the Commissioner of  
Administration to Implement the Plan for Expenditure  
of the \$6,000,000 Bond Issue to Identify and Correct  
Asbestos Problems in State Facilities

S.P. 137 L.D. 376

This being an Emergency Measure and having  
received the affirmative vote of 31 Members of the  
Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative,  
and 31 being more than two-thirds of the entire  
elected Membership of the Senate, was FINALLY PASSED  
and having been signed by the President, was  
presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his  
approval.

Emergency Resolve

Resolve, for Laying of the County Taxes and  
Authorizing Expenditures of Sagadahoc County for the  
Year 1987

H.P. 450 L.D. 605

This being an Emergency Measure and having  
received the affirmative vote of 31 Members of the  
Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative,  
and 31 being more than two-thirds of the entire  
elected Membership of the Senate, was FINALLY PASSED  
and having been signed by the President, was  
presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his  
approval.

Senator ERWIN of Oxford was granted unanimous  
consent to address the Senate off the Record.

On motion by Senator DUTREMBLE of York, ADJOURNED  
until Tuesday, March 17, 1987, at 9:00 in the morning.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH MAINE LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION  
32nd Legislative Day  
Tuesday, March 17, 1987

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

Prayer by Father Paul Coughlin, St. Mary's  
Church, Bangor.

The Journal of Monday, March 16, 1987, was read  
and approved.

Quorum call was held.

SENATE PAPERS

The following Communication:

MAINE STATE SENATE  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

March 16, 1987

The Honorable John L. Martin

Speaker of the House

113th Legislature

Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Speaker Martin:

In accordance with Joint Rule 38, please be  
advised that the Senate today confirmed, upon the  
recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on  
Marine Resources, the Governor's nomination of Dr.  
Louis J. Zglobicki of Cumberland Foreside for  
reappointment to the Marine Resources Advisory  
Council.

Sincerely,

s/Joy J. O'Brien

Secretary of the Senate

Was read and ordered placed on file.

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AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

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113th Legislature

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Wotton of Boothbay Harbor for reappointment to the  
Marine Resources Advisory Council.

Sincerely,

s/Joy J. O'Brien

Secretary of the Senate

Was read and ordered placed on file.

Bill "An Act to Revise the Law Prohibiting the  
Use of Drugs in Animals Competing in Pulling Events"  
(Emergency) (S.P. 266) (L.D. 747)

Came from the Senate, referred to the Committee  
on Agriculture and Ordered Printed.

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture in  
concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Create a Cholesterol Control  
Program within the Department of Human Services"  
(S.P. 262) (L.D. 743)

Bill "An Act to Provide Support for the Bridge  
Shelter, a Home for the Mentally Ill" (S.P. 270)  
(L.D. 751)