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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

On motion of Representative Murphy of Kennebunk, tabled pending adoption of House Amendment "C" and specially assigned for Friday, May 8, 1987.

On motion of Representative Soucy of Kittery, Adjourned until Friday, May 8, 1987, at twelve o'clock noon.

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

In Senate Chamber
Wednesday
May 6, 1987

Senate called to Order by the President Pro Tem, Ronald E. Usher of Cumberland.

Prayer by the Honorable Henry W. Black of Cumberland.
SENATOR BLACK: God, grant us the serenity to accept the things we cannot change, the courage to change the things we can, and the wisdom to know the difference. Amen.

Reading of the Journal of Yesterday.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Following Communication: S.P. 473
113th MAINE LEGISLATURE
May 5, 1987

Senator John E. Baldacci
Representative Carol M. Allen
Chairpersons
Joint Standing Committee on Business Legislation
113th Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333
Dear Chairs:

Please be advised that Governor John R. McKernan, Jr. has nominated Joanna Dennis of Waterville for appointment to the Maine Real Estate Commission.

Pursuant to Title 32, M.R.S.A. Section 4051-A, this nomination will require review by the Joint Standing Committee on Business Legislation and confirmation by the Senate.

Sincerely,
S/Charles P. Pray
President of the Senate
S/John L. Martin
Speaker of the House

Which was READ and referred to the Committee on BUSINESS LEGISLATION.
Sent down for concurrence.

The Following Communication:
STATE OF MAINE
WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION
STATE HOUSE STATION 27
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

April 30, 1987

Honorable Charles P. Pray
President of the Senate
State House Station 3
Augusta, Maine 04333
RE: Quarterly Report for the First Quarter
of Calendar 1987 39 M.R.S.A. 92(3)
Dear President Pray:

This letter and statistical attachments are the quarterly report of Commissioner caseload and progress mandated by 39 M.R.S.A. 92(3).

During the first quarter of 1987 the Commission received 1,960 petitions and disposed of 1,883 by decision or dismissal. It continues to take an average of about a year to render a decision on a litigated case.

The backlog of undecided petitions averaged about 7,800 during this period. Each case involves an average of 1.4 petitions and so this backlog

represents approximately 5,570 litigated injuries. 467 petitions have been undecided more than 2 years. 70% of these are located in the Bangor office.

There have been no complaints or filings in connection with the 30 day decision rule pursuant to Commission Rule 22.11 and 99-B.

A summary of caseload and dispositions is presented in the attached tables. I would be happy to discuss this report further at your convenience.

Sincerely,
S/Ralph L. Tucker
Chairman

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

SENATE PAPERS

Bill "An Act to Improve Public Lands' Camp Lot Management"

S.P. 475 L.D. 1438

Presented by Senator USHER of Cumberland
Cosponsored by: Representative ANDERSON of Woodland, Senator TUTTLE of York, Representative DEXTER of Kingfield

Submitted by the Department of Conservation pursuant to Joint Rule 24

Bill "An Act to Establish an Exemption from the Waste Water Discharge Licensing Requirements for Owners and Operators of Marine Aquaculture Operations" (Emergency)

S.P. 476 L.D. 1439

Presented by Senator PERKINS of Hancock
Cosponsored by: Representative LOOK of Jonesboro, Representative VOSE of Eastport, Representative MOHOLLAND of Princeton
Submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to Joint Rule 24

Bill "An Act to Expand the Authority of the Board of Underground Storage Tank Installers"

S.P. 477 L.D. 1440

Presented by Senator CAHILL of Sagadahoc
Cosponsored by: Representative MCPHERSON of Eliot, Representative MAYO of Thomaston, Representative RYDELL of Brunswick
Submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to Joint Rule 24

Resolve, Authorizing the Sale of Certain Public Reserved Lands

S.P. 480 L.D. 1443

Presented by Senator COLLINS of Aroostook
Cosponsored by: Representative DEXTER of Kingfield, Representative MICHAUD of East Millinocket, Speaker MARTIN of Eagle Lake
Which were referred to the Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Enhance Local Control of Community Growth and Strengthen Maine's Land Use Laws"

S.P. 479 L.D. 1442

Presented by Senator ANDREWS of Cumberland
Cosponsored by: Representative MAYO of Thomaston, Representative CARTER of Winslow, Senator RANDALL of Washington
Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES suggested and ORDERED PRINTED.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled 2 Legislative Days, pending REFERENCE.

Bill "An Act to Clarify Reporting of Induced and Spontaneous Abortions"

S.P. 478 L.D. 1441

Presented by Senator CAHILL of Sagadahoc
Cosponsored by: Representative TAYLOR of Camden, Representative ANTHONY of South Portland, Representative MAHANY of Easton

Submitted by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 24

Which was referred to the Committee on HUMAN RESOURCES and ORDERED PRINTED.
Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act Concerning the Sale of Certain Firecrackers"

S.P. 481 L.D. 1444

Presented by Senator RANDALL of Washington
Cosponsored by: Representative LOOK of Jonesboro, Senator WHITMORE of Androscoggin, Representative TELOW of Lewiston

Which was referred to the Committee on LEGAL AFFAIRS and ORDERED PRINTED.
Sent down for concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, all Reference matters thus acted upon were ordered 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 Allow Juveniles and Senior Citizens to Hunt Does"

H.P. 419 L.D. 564

Bill "An Act to Prohibit the Hunting of Deer, Bear and Moose"

H.P. 448 L.D. 603

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 to Ensure that a Draft of Maine Land Use Regulation Commission's Decisions is Made Available to Interested Parties Prior to the Commission's Action on an Application"

H.P. 173 L.D. 217

Bill "An Act to Ban Waterskiing on Certain Parts of the Saco River"

H.P. 669 L.D. 902

Ought to Pass

The Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act to Amend the Definition of Seasonal Under the Employment Security Law"

H.P. 779 L.D. 1051

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.
Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.
Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

The Bill TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES on Bill "An Act to Restructure the Method of Appointment

of Members of the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission"

H.P. 813 L.D. 1087

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-87).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-87)

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-87) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

The Committee on UTILITIES on Bill "An Act to Amend the Charter of the Waterville Sewerage District"

H.P. 416 L.D. 550

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-88).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-88)

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-88) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass in New Draft

The Committee on MARINE RESOURCES on Bill "An Act to Strengthen the Lobster Hatchery Program"

H.P. 82 L.D. 85

Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under same title (Emergency).

H.P. 1055 L.D. 1425

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

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT READ ONCE.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Divided Report

The Majority of the Committee on BUSINESS LEGISLATION on Bill "An Act to Compensate Newspaper Delivery People for Advertising Fliers"

H.P. 587 L.D. 798

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senators:

BALDACCI of Penobscot

BRANNIGAN of Cumberland

WHITMORE of Androscoggin

Representatives:

GURNEY of Portland

TELOW of Lewiston

STEVENS of Sabattus

LEBOWITZ of Bangor

REED of Falmouth

ALIBERTI of Lewiston

HILLOCK of Gorham

ALLEN of Washington

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Signed:

Representatives:

RACINE of Biddeford

SHELTRA of Biddeford

Comes from the House the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.

Which Reports were READ.

Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot moved to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled 2 Legislative Days, pending the motion of Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report.

Senate

Ought Not to Pass

The following Ought Not to Pass Report shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act to Amend the Doe Permit Law"

S.P. 46 L.D. 94

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:

Resolve, to Establish the Commission on Surrogate Parenting

S.P. 239 L.D. 658

Bill "An Act to Repeal the Fees for Hunting and Fishing Licenses for Persons 65 Years of Age or Older"

S.P. 271 L.D. 781

Ought to Pass

Senator BRANNIGAN for the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act to Improve Court Security"

S.P. 398 L.D. 1217

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

The Bill READ ONCE.

The Bill TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title

Senator ERWIN for the Committee on FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE on Bill "An Act to Prohibit Motor Vehicles over 1,000 Pounds on Lakes, Ponds or Reservoirs used to Supply Drinking Water"

S.P. 188 L.D. 515

Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title Bill "An Act to Regulate Motor Vehicles on Lakes, Ponds or Reservoirs Used to Supply Drinking Water"

S.P. 474 L.D. 1437

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE READ ONCE.

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

SECOND READERS

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

House

Bill "An Act to Foster the High School Equivalency Program by Removing Fees Imposed on Persons who Participate in that Program" (Emergency)

H.P. 1040 L.D. 1401

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study Adoption Laws and Practices (Emergency)

H.P. 1043 L.D. 1405
Which were READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE
ENGROSSED, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to the Relocation of the
Southern Division of the 10th District Court"
H.P. 1042 L.D. 1404
Which was READ A SECOND TIME.
On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled
2 Legislative Days, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED.

Bill "An Act Relating to Initial Plates under the
Motor Vehicle Laws"
H.P. 40 L.D. 43
Which was READ A SECOND TIME.
On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled
2 Legislative Days, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED
in NON-CONCURRENCE.

House As Amended
Bill "An Act to Clarify Definition Language under
the Site Location of Development Laws"
H.P. 670 L.D. 903
(C "A" H-84)
Which was READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE
ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

ENACTORS
The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as
truly and strictly engrossed the following:
An Act to Allow Per Pupil Reimbursement to School
Administrative Units for Home Instruction Pupils
H.P. 659 L.D. 892
(C "A" H-76)
An Act to Amend the Open Season Fishing Laws
H.P. 1019 L.D. 1372
An Act to Establish a Resident Small Game Hunting
License
H.P. 1021 L.D. 1374
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 Deny Certain State Funds to Any Person
who Refused to Register Under the United States
Military Selective Services Act
H.P. 13 L.D. 11
(H "A" H-83)

THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair recognizes the
Senator from Cumberland, Senator Clark.
Senator CLARK: Mr. President, I would like to
pose a question to the Chair. Is L.D. 11
appropriately before the Body? In other words, is a
fiscal note attached to the Bill?
THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair will Table this
Bill, pending a Ruling from the Chair.
Tabled by the President Pro Tem, pending a RULING
OF THE CHAIR.

An Act to Amend the Definition of Eligibility
under the Elderly Low-cost Drug Program
S.P. 443 L.D. 1357
On motion by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot, placed
on the SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE, pending
ENACTMENT.

Resolve

Resolve, to Compensate Thomas P. Peters, II,
Attorney-at-law, for Professional Services Rendered
in the Adoption of Benjamin B., Heather B. and Lucas
B.

S.P. 287 L.D. 814
(S "A" S-47)
On motion by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot, placed
on the SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE, pending FINAL
PASSAGE.

Emergency
An Act to Validate and Approve Certain
Proceedings Relating to the Otis-Mariaville Union
School
S.P. 140 L.D. 394
(C "A" S-41)
This being an Emergency Measure and having
received the affirmative vote of 28 Members of the
Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative,
and 28 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.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and
Specially Assigned matter:

Emergency
An Act to Transfer the Maine Fire Training and
Education Program from the Department of Educational
and Cultural Services to the Maine
Vocational-Technical Institute System
S.P. 251 L.D. 700
(C "A" S-40)
Tabled - May 5, 1987, by Senator CLARK of
Cumberland.
Pending - ENACTMENT
(In House, May 4, 1987, ENACTED.)
(In Senate, April 28, 1987, PASSED TO BE
ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"
(S-40).)

On motion by Senator TUTTLE of York, the Senate
SUSPENDED THE RULES.

On further motion by same Senator, the Senate
RECONSIDERED it's action whereby the Bill was PASSED
TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED.

On further motion by same Senator, the Senate
SUSPENDED THE RULES.

On further motion by same Senator, the Senate
RECONSIDERED it's action whereby Committee Amendment
"A" (S-40) was ADOPTED.

On further motion by same Senator, Senate
Amendment "A" (S-53) to Committee Amendment "A"
(S-40) READ and ADOPTED.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-40) as Amended by
Senate Amendment "A" (S-53), thereto ADOPTED in
NON-CONCURRENCE.

Which was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended in
NON-CONCURRENCE.

Sent down for concurrence.

HELD BILL
THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair recognizes the
Senator from Cumberland, Senator Clark.
Senator CLARK: Mr. President, is the Senate in
possession of L.D. 601?
THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair would answer in
the affirmative, the Bill having been held at the
Senator's request.

Senator CLARK of Cumberland moved to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate ADHERED on:

Bill "An Act to Authorize a Bond Issue in the Amount of \$4,300,000 for Constructing and Equipping Centers for Advanced Technology that Service the Economic Development Needs of Maine"

S.P. 220 L.D. 601

(Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT suggested and ORDERED PRINTED.)

(In Senate, May 4, 1987, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS and ORDERED PRINTED.)

(In House, May 5, 1987, referred to the Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT and ORDERED PRINTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

(In Senate, May 5, 1987, ADHERED.)

On motion by Senator DUTREMBLE of York, Tabled 2 Legislative Days, pending the motion of Senator CLARK of Cumberland, to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate ADHERED.

Off Record Remarks

Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate off the Record.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE
House Papers

Bill "An Act to Allow the Governor to Order Emergency Activation of the Guard in Advance of an Imminent Disaster"

H.P. 1063 L.D. 1446

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on AGING, RETIREMENT AND VETERANS and ORDERED PRINTED.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, referred to the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT and ORDERED PRINTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve, Reimbursing Certain Municipalities on Account of Taxes Lost Due to Lands being Classified under the Maine Tree Growth Tax Law (Emergency)

H.P. 1072 L.D. 1455

Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS suggested and ORDERED PRINTED.

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 Permit Alteration of the Valley Brook Stream"

H.P. 1064 L.D. 1447

Bill "An Act Regarding Certain Solid Waste Disposal Facilities"

H.P. 1065 L.D. 1448

Bill "An Act to Establish an Exemption from the Waste Water Discharge Licensing Requirement for Certain Holders of Aquatic Pesticide Permits" (Emergency)

H.P. 1066 L.D. 1449

Come from the House referred to the Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES and ORDERED PRINTED.

Which were referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES and ORDERED PRINTED, in concurrence.

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE
House Papers

Bill "An Act to Facilitate Access to In-home Services"

H.P. 1062 L.D. 1445

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

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

Bill "An Act to Increase Financial Support from Parents of Children in the Care or Custody of the Department of Human Services"

H.P. 1067 L.D. 1450

Bill "An Act to Provide Immunity from Civil Liability for Certain Emergency Medical Service System Participants"

H.P. 1070 L.D. 1453

Comes 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 Relating to Determination of Benefit Claims under the Unemployment Compensation Law"

H.P. 1071 L.D. 1454

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

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

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE
House Papers

Bill "An Act to Establish a 10% Surtax on Fines to be Dedicated to the Maine Criminal Justice Academy in Lieu of Tuition Paid by Municipalities"

H.P. 1069 L.D. 1452

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 Concerning the Authority of the Attorney General to Request Telephone Records"

H.P. 1068 L.D. 1451

Committee on UTILITIES suggested and ORDERED PRINTED.

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

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

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE
Pursuant to the Statutes

Committee on AUDIT AND PROGRAM REVIEW

The Committee on AUDIT AND PROGRAM REVIEW, pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 3

Section 501, ask leave to submit its findings and to report that the accompanying Bill "An Act Relating to Periodic Justification of State Government Programs under the Maine Sunset Laws" (Emergency)

H.P. 1061 L.D. 1436

Be referred to the Joint Standing Committee on AUDIT AND PROGRAM REVIEW 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 AUDIT AND PROGRAM REVIEW and ORDERED PRINTED, pursuant to Joint Rule 18.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill referred to the Committee on AUDIT AND PROGRAM REVIEW and ORDERED PRINTED, pursuant to Joint Rule 18, in concurrence.

THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Cumberland, Senator Clark.

Senator CLARK: Mr. President, with reference to item 3-2, L.D. 1439, I move the Senate RECONSIDER its action whereby this Bill was referred to the Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair would respond that this matter has been sent down forthwith to the other Body and is no longer in the possession of the Senate.

On motion by Senator COLLINS of Aroostook, ADJOURNED until Friday, May 8, 1987, at 12:00 in the afternoon.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH MAINE LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION
63rd Legislative Day
Friday, May 8, 1987

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

Prayer by Reverend Donald D. Menzel, United Baptist Church, Topsham.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 6, 1987, was read and approved.

Quorum call was held.

SENATE PAPERS

Unanimous Ought Not To Pass

Report of the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife reporting "Ought Not to Pass" on Bill "An Act to Amend the Doe Permit Law" (S.P. 46) (L.D. 94)

Was placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Joint Rule 15 in concurrence.

Unanimous Leave to Withdraw

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting "Leave to Withdraw" on RESOLVE, to Establish the Commission on Surrogate Parenting (S.P. 239) (L.D. 658)

Report of the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife reporting "Leave to Withdraw" on Bill "An Act to Repeal the Fees for Hunting and Fishing Licenses for Persons 65 Years of Age or Older" (S.P. 271) (L.D. 781)

Were placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Joint Rule 15 in concurrence.

Non-Concurrent Matter

An Act to Transfer the Maine Fire Training and Education Program from the Department of Educational and Cultural Services to the Maine Vocational-Technical Institute System (Emergency) (S.P. 251) (L.D. 700) (C. "A" S-40) which was Passed to be Enacted in the House on May 4, 1987.

Came from the Senate, Passed to be Engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-40) as amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-53) thereto in non-concurrence.

The House voted to recede and concur.

Non-Concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act to Allow the Governor to Order Emergency Activation of the Guard in Advance of an Imminent Disaster" (H.P. 1063) (L.D. 1446) which was Referred to the Committee on Aging, Retirement and Veterans in the House on May 6, 1987.

Came from the Senate, Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government in non-concurrence.

The House voted to recede and concur.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following Communication: (S. P. 473)

113th MAINE LEGISLATURE
May 5, 1987

Senator John E. Baldacci
Representative Carol M. Allen
Chairpersons
Joint Standing Committee on Business Legislation
113th Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333
Dear Chairs: