

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE

**State Of Maine**

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operate. That so little protest about Seabrook has come from the political leaders of Maine is astonishing to me, because more of our constituents will now become nuclear downwinders and possibly evacuees. This is a sign of how little we understand the present and long-term risks. The time is long overdue that we stand up and be counted for a safe energy policy of economic benefits to everyone, not just the stockholders who have invested in a source of electricity for which the federal authorities actually and knowingly decided to allow to cause just a little more cancer and just a few more birth defects.

On motion of Representative Strout of Corinth,  
Adjourned until Thursday, June 15, 1989, at 8:15  
a.m..

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

In Senate Chamber  
Wednesday  
June 14, 1989

Senate called to Order by the President.

Prayer by the Honorable Dennis L. Dutremble of York.  
SENATOR DUTREMBLE: Let us pray. Each of us in this Maine Senate Chamber, O Lord, dedicate our gifts of serve to the glory of Your name today. Use these gifts across our State of Maine as instruments of Your love and signs of Your presence among us. Amen.

Reading of the Journal of Yesterday.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE  
Non-concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act to Require Installation of Sewage Pump-out Facilities at Certain Marinas"

S.P. 600 L.D. 1677  
(C "A" S-243)

In Senate, June 12, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-243).

Comes from the House PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-243) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-511) thereto, in NON-CONCURRENCE.

The Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Following Communication: S.P. 653  
114TH MAINE LEGISLATURE  
June 9, 1989

Senator Dennis L. Dutremble  
Representative Gregory G. Nadeau  
Chairpersons  
Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development  
114th Legislature  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear Chairs:

Please be advised that Governor John R. McKernan, Jr. has nominated Raymond L. Edmond, Jr. of Auburn, Gail Lawley of Winslow, Thelma H. Pray of East Lebanon, Arthur Redman of Augusta, Michael J. Levensaler of Friendship, Roland Bracy of Portland and Daniel Parker of Westbrook for appointments to the Adaptive Equipment Loan Program Fund Board.

Pursuant to Public Law 1989, Chapter 276, these nominations will require review by the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development 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 HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.  
Sent down for concurrence.

The Following Communication:  
INTERDEPARTMENTAL COUNCIL  
STATE HOUSE STATION 146  
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333  
June, 1989

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

Dear President Pray:

We are pleased to transmit to you this first annual report on the Committee for the Interdepartmental Coordination of Services to Children and Families, in accordance with Chapter 181. The State of Maine has over a ten-year history of interagency collaboration. Members of the Interdepartmental Council, or IDC, as it is known, share a concern with the Legislature and the people of Maine for the well-being of our children and families in need. We believe that the IDC provides a valuable, cost-effective method to support the delivery of services to Maine's most needy children and families, and we remain committed to work together to provide the most effective system of quality services.

Sincerely,  
S/Eve M. Bither  
Commissioner  
Educational & Cultural Services  
S/Rollin Ives  
Commissioner  
Human Services

S/Donald Allen  
Commissioner  
C  
S/Susan B. Parker  
Commissioner  
Mental Health &  
Mental Retardation

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

The Following Communication:  
STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON LABOR  
June 13, 1989

President Pray  
Speaker Martin  
State House  
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear President Pray and Speaker Martin:

The Subcommittee on Rehabilitation to study the use of vocational rehabilitation and retraining under the Workers' Compensation Act is pleased to submit its report to the Legislature pursuant to P.L. 1987, c. 779.

Sincerely,  
S/Rep. Richard P. Ruhlin, Chair  
Which was READ and with Accompanying Papers ORDERED PLACED ON FILE.

COMMITTEE REPORTS  
House

Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on LEGAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act to Create a Minimum Lot Size for Mobile Home Parks Not Located on Public Water and Sewer Lines"

H.P. 866 L.D. 1205

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-510).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-510).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-510) READ.

On motion by Senator MATTHEWS of Kennebec, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (H-510).

The Committee on UTILITIES on Bill "An Act Increasing Indebtedness of Berwick Sewer District" (Emergency)

H.P. 1064 L.D. 1486

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-509).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-509).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-509) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Senate

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:

Senator ESTY for the Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act to Ensure Proper Payment of Fringe Benefit Contributions for Construction Workers"

S.P. 334 L.D. 895

Senator ESTY for the Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act Concerning the Workers' Compensation Laws"

S.P. 638 L.D. 1730

Senator BERUBE for the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT on Bill "An Act to Change the Status of a Newly Established Position"

S.P. 644 L.D. 1736

SECOND READERS

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

House as Amended

Bill "An Act to Transfer Jurisdiction over County Jails from County Government to the Department of Corrections"

H.P. 857 L.D. 1189

(C "A" H-445)

Which was READ A SECOND TIME.

Senator PERKINS of Hancock requested a Division.

THE PRESIDENT: The pending question before the Senate is PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence.

A Division has been requested.

Will all those Senators in favor of PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, please rise in their places and remain standing until counted.

Will all those opposed please rise in their places and remain standing until counted.

15 Senators having voted in the affirmative and 14 Senators having voted in the negative, the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

Senator CLARK of Cumberland, moved that the Senate RECONSIDER whereby the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Kennebec, Senator Bustin.

Senator BUSTIN: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. It is my

desire to ask for a Division, not knowing what the Amendment is. Do we have the Amendment on our desks?

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair would answer in the negative, the amendment has just been sent to the printers.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending Motion of the same Senator to RECONSIDER whereby the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence.

Senate as Amended

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Definition of State Employee under the State Employee Labor Relations Act"

S.P. 442 L.D. 1195  
(C "A" S-269)

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

Sent down for concurrence.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Specially Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Allow Recovery for Wrongful Death of Unborn Children"

H.P. 408 L.D. 551

Tabled - June 13, 1989, by Senator CLARK of Cumberland.

Pending - ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-429), in concurrence

(In Senate, June 13, 1989, Committee Amendment "A" (H-429) READ.)

(In House, June 9, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-429).)

On motion by Senator HOLLOWAY of Lincoln, Senate Amendment "A" (S-274) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-429) READ.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the same Senator.

Senator HOLLOWAY: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. The Amendment, that I just presented, basically just limits the wrongful death actions to the mother and the father. Thank you.

On further motion by same Senator, Senate Amendment "A" (S-274) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-429) ADOPTED.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-429) as Amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-274) thereto, ADOPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

The Bill as Amended, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Off Record Remarks

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Specially Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Amend the Lobster and Crab Fishing License Law"

H.P. 1215 L.D. 1687  
(C "A" H-459)

Tabled - June 13, 1989, by Senator BRANNIGAN of Cumberland.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence

(In Senate, June 13, 1989, READ A SECOND TIME.)

(In House, June 13, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-459).)

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence.

SECOND READERS

House

Ought to Pass as Amended

Bill "An Act Increasing Indebtedness of Berwick Sewer District" (Emergency)

H.P. 1064 L.D. 1486

Which was under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Allow Recovery for Wrongful Death of Unborn Children"

H.P. 408 L.D. 551

Which was, under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Sent down for concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, all matters thus acted upon were ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

Off Record Remarks

On motion by Senator DUTREMBLE of York, RECESSED until 11:00 this morning.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senate

Ought to Pass As Amended

Senator GAUVREAU for the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act to Protect Maine Workers from Needless Injury and Death by Creating the Offenses of Work-related Manslaughter and Work-related Aggravated Assault"

S.P. 508 L.D. 1396

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-276).

Which Report was READ.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Lincoln, Senator Holloway.

Senator HOLLOWAY: Thank you Mr. President. There is an Amendment that the Committee would like to look at and I would ask that this matter be Tabled for Later in Today's Session.

Which Report was ACCEPTED.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-276) READ.

On motion by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (S-276).

Senator BERUBE for the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT on Resolve, to Establish the

Commission on New Standards of Fire Safety for Buildings Occupied by State Workers

S.P. 583 L.D. 1645

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-275).  
Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.  
The Resolve READ ONCE.  
Committee Amendment "A" (S-275) READ and ADOPTED.  
The Resolve as Amended, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senate

Ought to Pass As Amended

Senator BALDACCII for the Committee on TAXATION on Bill "An Act Concerning the Maine Railroad Excise Tax"

S.P. 235 L.D. 565

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-277).  
Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.  
The Bill READ ONCE.  
Committee Amendment "A" (S-277) READ and ADOPTED.  
The Bill as Amended, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

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

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-concurrent Matter

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act Concerning Compensation for Sunday Employment"

H.P. 1040 L.D. 1451

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-498).  
Minority - Ought Not to Pass.

In House, June 13, 1989, the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-498).

In Senate, June 13, 1989, the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Comes from the House, that Body INSISTED.

On motion by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin, the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

Senator KANY of Kennebec, moved to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

Senator BALDACCII of Penobscot requested a Division.

THE PRESIDENT: The pending question before the Senate is the motion by Senator KANY of Kennebec, to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

A Division has been requested.

Will all those Senators in favor of the motion by Senator KANY of Kennebec, to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED, please rise in their places and remain standing until counted.

Will all those opposed please rise in their places and remain standing until counted.

26 Senators having voted in the affirmative and 2 Senators having voted in the negative, the motion by Senator KANY of Kennebec, to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED, PREVAILED.

Senator WEBSTER of Franklin was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate off the Record.

Senator WEBSTER of Franklin requested and received Leave of the Senate to withdraw his motion to RECEDE and CONCUR.

The same Senator further moved to ADHERE.

On motion by the President, the Senate INSISTED.

The Secretary has so informed the Speaker of the House.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

House

Pursuant to Joint Rule 22

The Committee on LABOR on Bill "An Act to Promote the Prompt and Peaceful Settlement of Labor Disputes" (Emergency)

H.P. 555 L.D. 753

Reported pursuant to Joint Rule 22.

Comes from the House with the Bill and Accompanying Papers INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.

The Bill READ ONCE.

On motion by Senator ESTY of Cumberland, the Bill and Accompanying Papers INDEFINITELY POSTPONED, in concurrence.

Ought to Pass

The Committee on HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Commit State Support of Affordable Housing

H.P. 1255 L.D. 1754

Reported that the same Ought to Pass, pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1240.

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 LATER TODAY FOR SECOND READING.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Create a Minimum Lot Size for Mobile Home Parks Not Located on Public Water and Sewer Lines"

H.P. 866 L.D. 1205

Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator MATTHEWS of Kennebec.

Pending - ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-510)

(In Senate, June 14, 1989, Committee Amendment "A" (H-510) READ.)

(In House, June 13, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-510).)

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-510) ADOPTED, in concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, the Bill READ A SECOND TIME.

On motion by Senator MATTHEWS of Kennebec, Senate Amendment "A" (S-280) READ.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the same Senator.

Senator MATTHEWS: Thank you Mr. President. This is just a technical amendment that clarifies the title. Thank you.

On further motion by same Senator, Senate Amendment "A" (S-280) ADOPTED.

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

Sent down for concurrence.

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Transfer Jurisdiction over County Jails from County Government to the Department of Corrections"

H.P. 857 L.D. 1189  
(C "A" H-445)

Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator CLARK of Cumberland.

Pending - Motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, to RECONSIDER whereby the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED.

(In Senate, June 14, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence.)

(In House, June 12, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-445).)

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, the Senate RECONSIDERED whereby the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence.

Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot, moved to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate ADOPTED Committee Amendment "A" (H-445)

On further motion by same Senator, Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445) READ.

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

Senator PEARSON: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. This requires a state-wide referendum on the adoption of the state takeover of the county jails. Is that correct?

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair would answer in the affirmative.

Senator PEARSON of Penobscot requested a Division.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

On motion by Senator DUTREMBLE of York, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending ADOPTION of Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445). (Division Requested)

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Amend the Lobster and Crab Fishing License Law"

H.P. 1215 L.D. 1687  
(C "A" H-459)

Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator CLARK of Cumberland.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence

(In Senate, June 13, 1989, READ A SECOND TIME.)

(In House, June 13, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-459).)

On motion by Senator BRANNIGAN of Cumberland, the Senate RECONSIDERED whereby it ADOPTED Committee Amendment "A" (H-459).

On further motion by same Senator, Senate Amendment "A" (S-278) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-459) READ and ADOPTED.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-459) as Amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-278) thereto, ADOPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

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

Sent down for concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, all matters thus acted upon were ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

SECOND READERS

Senate

Ought to Pass as Amended

Resolve, to Establish the Commission on New Standards of Fire Safety for Buildings Occupied by State Workers

S.P. 583 L.D. 1645

Which was, under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

Bill "An Act Concerning the Maine Railroad Excise Tax"

S.P. 235 L.D. 565

Which was, under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

SECOND READERS

House

Ought to Pass

RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Commit State Support of Affordable Housing

H.P. 1255 L.D. 1754

Which was, under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, in concurrence.

On motion by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot, the Senate RECONSIDERED whereby the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the same Senator.

Senator PEARSON: Thank you Mr. President. I would like to know what this does.

THE PRESIDENT: The Senator from Penobscot, Senator Pearson has posed a question through the Chair to any Senator who may care to respond.

The Chair recognizes the Senator from York, Senator Dutremble.

Senator DUTREMBLE: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. I don't have the Bill before me, but if I remember correctly the question the Senator posed just recently on this Bill, that this puts a full faith and credit amendment that backs the monies that the Maine State Housing may have to provide in case of defaults on loans that they provide for affordable housing. It really doesn't cost anything, it just acts as the state standing behind the Maine State Housing Authority.

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

Senator PEARSON: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. I appreciate the recent answer I just received.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Kennebec, Senator Weymouth.

Senator WEYMOUTH: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. This Bill we worked on a lot in the Housing Committee. This Bill was run by the Treasurer. This Bill would allow the Maine Housing Authority to back a lot more loans. I think it was bipartisanly supported and it does have to go out to referendum. Thank you.

Which was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent forthwith to the Engrossing Department.

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

ENACTORS

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

Emergency

An Act to Provide for State Sharing of Certain Minor Capital Costs

S.P. 82 L.D. 83  
(S "A" S-249 to C "A"  
S-238)

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

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

Emergency

An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government and Highway Funds Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1990 and June 30, 1991

H.P. 114 L.D. 151  
(H "A" H-447 to C "A"  
H-384)

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 29 Members of the Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative, and 29 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.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

Off Record Remarks

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:  
Bill "An Act to Transfer Jurisdiction over County

Jails from County Government to the Department of Corrections"

H.P. 857 L.D. 1189  
(C "A" H-445)

Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator DUTREMBLE of York.

Pending - Motion by Senator BALDACCII of Penobscot, to ADOPT SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-279) TO COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-445)

(In Senate, June 14, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED, in concurrence. Subsequently, the Senate RECONSIDERED PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED. RECONSIDERED ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (H-445). Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445) READ.)

(In House, June 12, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-445).)

On motion by Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec, Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445) READ.

On motion by Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec, supported by a Division of at least one-fifth of the Members present and voting, a Roll Call was ordered.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the same Senator.

Senator BUSTIN: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. As you can see from your filing number S-279, this is an Amendment to rather than make the transition for county jails to be under the Department of Corrections, that it would go to referendum for the voters to decide. I think that is the wrong move. I think that we have done our work in the Committee on this Bill. I think this Bill should either go up or down based on its merits right now. Too many times we send things out to referendum to have the voters decide for things that they sent us here to decide on. I think this is something we should decide on. I think it should be allowed to go through and let it rise or fall on its own merits. I would appreciate the support from those people who voted for the county jail to be transitioned into the State Department of Corrections and defeating the motion to accept the Amendment. Thank you.

THE PRESIDENT: The pending question before the Senate is the motion by Senator BALDACCII of Penobscot, to ADOPT Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445).

A vote of Yes will be in favor to ADOPT Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445).

A vote of No will be opposed.

Is the Senate ready for the question?

The Doorkeepers will secure the Chamber.

The Secretary will call the Roll.

ROLL CALL

YEAS: Senators BALDACCII, BOST, BRAWN, CAHILL, CARPENTER, COLLINS, DILLENBACK, EMERSON, GILL, GOULD, HOLLOWAY, LUDWIG, MATTHEWS, PERKINS, RANDALL, TWITCHELL, WEBSTER, WEYMOUTH, WHITMORE, THE PRESIDENT - CHARLES P. PRAY

NAYS: Senators ANDREWS, BERUBE, BRANNIGAN, BUSTIN, CLARK, DUTREMBLE, ERWIN, ESTES, ESTY, GAUVREAU, HOBBSINS, KANY, PEARSON, THERIAULT, TITCOMB

ABSENT: Senators None

20 Senators having voted in the affirmative and 15 Senators having voted in the negative, with No Senators being absent, the motion by Senator BALDACCII of Penobscot, to ADOPT Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-445), PREVAILED.



Committee Amendment "A" (H-445) as Amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-279) thereto. ADOPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

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

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

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

ENACTORS

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

Emergency

An Act to Permit Law Enforcement Officers to Solicit Funds for a Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial

S.P. 154 L.D. 274  
(H "B" H-451 to C "A" S-161)

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 34 Members of the Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative, and 34 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

An Act to Amend the Banking Code

S.P. 635 L.D. 1726  
(H "A" H-477)

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 33 Members of the Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative, and 33 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.

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

ENACTORS

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

Emergency

An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government, Alcoholism Prevention, Education, Treatment and Research Funds, and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1990, and June 30, 1991

H.P. 563 L.D. 761  
(C "A" H-413)

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

An Act to Amend the Real Estate Brokerage License Laws

H.P. 1068 L.D. 1490

(C "A" H-421)

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 32 Members of the Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative, and 32 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.

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

ENACTORS

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

Emergency

An Act Relating to Periodic Justification of Programs of State Government under the Maine Sunset Laws

H.P. 1218 L.D. 1690  
(C "A" H-412)

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

Emergency

An Act Concerning Public Water Supplies in the Mid-coast Area

H.P. 1202 L.D. 1672  
(H "A" H-448 to C "A" H-340)

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Knox, Senator Brawn.

Senator BRAUN: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. I wish to speak briefly for the Record on behalf of L.D. 1672, which we are going to be voting on in Emergency Measure. First of all, I wish to commend the Utilities Committee for spending many long hours deliberating on this subject. This is a very complicated issue and I am sure that each of you have had, or will have in your own districts, concerns dealing with drinking water and its supply. This particular feud may be the start of many drinking water feuds in Maine.

In Knox County, the Camden-Rockland Water Company has recently been projecting its future plans in order to be able to serve the residents of our area. As some of you may know, our mid-coast area has been experiencing tremendous growth. When the water company was making its plans, a decision was made to exercise their hundred year old water rights to fish in Hobb's pond in Hope. There were Bills submitted to the Legislature, prior to my time, that dealt with this issue. There were Bills during the 113th Legislature and now we find ourselves with this Bill during the 114th Legislature. I can almost guarantee you that we will be here again next session.

This Bill, which is an Emergency Measure, started out as a moratorium for fish in Hobb's pond, because of a clean-up delay at the Union Chemical site. This problem was identified about eight years ago and drew national attention. Some work was done at that time, but it has not been completely cleaned up. It appears that the town of Hope has proved to the Utilities Committee that there may be danger of contamination in this area. Therefore, water will not be taken from Hobb's pond until such time as is deemed advisable. I have met with D.E.P. officials and they have assured me that they will begin testing, working, and cleaning up this part starting this summer. In the meantime, where will the

Camden-Rockland Water Company get more water? We all experience in our areas 'it is not in my back yard syndrome' When another Bill, which we passed yesterday, L.D. 1675, creating a watershed, when that Bill was first submitted looking at taking water Megunticook Lake, I called the Camden selectmen and advised them of the situation. They were the ones who early on registered their support for the moratorium Bill, so they were not surprised at this request. The selectmen voted to join the newly created watershed. This watershed differs from the district in that it avoids the necessity of setting up management apparatus for the administration of such a district. The Camden selectmen have sent me a letter expressing their agreement.

Finally, Camden-Rockland Water Company has to have water. That is a fact. The manner, in which rights are given, need to be controlled and unified. This newly created watershed will help. This watershed, in which the Camden-Rockland Water Company is a voting member, hopefully will allow local control for the recreation use and management of Megunticook Lake. Chickawaukie Lake, which the Camden-Rockland Water Company has rights to, is being cleaned up for future use, since it was discovered that the allergy bloom growth made the water undrinkable as is. As we progress along with this project, it will take from three to five years before a water treatment plant can be built to take water from Megunticook. It is estimated to cost five million dollars.

I do hope we look at long range plans to supply clean drinking water to our citizens. Is this the best plan? I am not sure, but I know it is an alternative and for now I believe it is fine. This vote is based on the facts that we have now and not emotion. I hope the citizens of district 21 will be served. I, in turn, have pledged to work with them as deemed necessary and I appreciate this opportunity to put this on the Record for future deliberations. Thank you.

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

Senator CLARK: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. Indeed it is unusual with any Emergency Enactor to listen to people read into the Record a chronological history and or involvement of the issue with relation to one that passed yesterday, but I am now aware, as I hadn't been beforehand, of why the request had been made to Table the earlier measure so that both of them would be before us for ultimate passage today. I commend the Senator from Knox, Senator Brawn, for her overview of the activities involved locally, as well as legislatively, on these measures. I also commend the Committee on Utilities for providing all of the information that was submitted at the public hearing on both of these measures from which much of the information was drawn, and extend to her further commendation as well as a cordial invitation to involve herself in the legislative process for any ensuing legislation relative to the topic before us in any ensuing Legislature. I think that her contribution would have been most welcome and will be in the future. Thank you Mr. President.

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 35 Members of the Senate, with No Senators having voted in negative, and 35 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.

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

ENACTORS

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

Emergency Resolve

Resolve, to Establish a Blue Ribbon Task Force to Promote Equity of Opportunity for Women in the Public School System

S.P. 389 L.D. 1034  
(H "A" H-467 to C "A"  
S-175)

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

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

ENACTORS

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

An Act to Enhance the Management of the Fish and Game Resources of the State of Maine

H.P. 16 L.D. 8  
(C "A" H-410)

An Act to Provide Adult Day Care Through Long-term Care Facilities and Other Community Sites

S.P. 110 L.D. 165

An Act to Provide for Continued Group Health Insurance Coverage to Certain Injured Employees

S.P. 142 L.D. 262  
(C "A" S-237)

An Act to Amend Certain Provisions of the Marine Resources Laws

H.P. 201 L.D. 281  
(C "A" H-441)

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 Concerning Pilferage of Shopping Carts and Bakery and Dairy Product Containers

H.P. 106 L.D. 143  
(H "B" H-466 to C "A"  
H-292)

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

An Act to Prohibit the Establishment of Maximum Limit Reimbursement for Adjustments to the Prospective Rate for Nursing Staff Wages

H.P. 154 L.D. 206  
(C "A" H-436)

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

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

ENACTORS

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

An Act Criminalizing the Unlawful Possession of Schedule Z Drugs

H.P. 798 L.D. 1110  
(C "A" H-415)

An Act to Adapt the Maine Milk Pool Law to Potential Changes in Milk Pricing

H.P. 844 L.D. 1176  
(C "A" H-440)

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 Allow Municipal Clerks to Inspect Sample Ballots before Election Day

H.P. 794 L.D. 1106  
(C "A" H-398)

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

An Act to Provide Adjustments in the Educational Funding Formula

H.P. 836 L.D. 1168  
(C "A" H-437)

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

An Act to Create a New Crop and Livestock Research and Development Program

H.P. 869 L.D. 1208  
(C "A" H-442)

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

An Act Relating to School Construction  
S.P. 459 L.D. 1244  
(C "A" S-230)

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

Senate at Ease  
Senate called to order by the President.

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

ENACTORS

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

An Act to Increase the Price Farmers Receive for Milk

H.P. 443 L.D. 608  
(H "B" H-435 to C "A" H-416)

An Act to Create a Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact

H.P. 614 L.D. 837  
(H "A" H-450 to C "A" H-374)

An Act to Establish Disability Retirement Benefits for Members of the Maine State Retirement System

H.P. 716 L.D. 977  
(C "A" H-400)

An Act to Require Distributor Reports on Bottle Deposits

H.P. 787 L.D. 1099  
(C "A" H-438)

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 Reduce the Lobster and Crab Fishing License Fee for Persons 70 Years of Age or Older  
H.P. 342 L.D. 461  
(C "A" H-414)

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

An Act to Include the Unorganized Territory in Statutes Granting Minimum Subsidies for Education  
H.P. 727 L.D. 1004  
(C "A" H-424)

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

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

ENACTORS

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

An Act to Require Municipalities to Leave the Names of Women Who Marry on Voting Registration Records

H.P. 961 L.D. 1339  
(C "A" H-397)

An Act to Increase the Penalty for Illegal Netting of Atlantic Salmon

H.P. 979 L.D. 1357  
(C "A" H-425)

An Act to Amend the Law Concerning Taxing of Costs in Civil Actions

H.P. 980 L.D. 1358  
(C "A" H-427)

An Act Concerning Fines Collected by the Courts  
S.P. 551 L.D. 1522  
(C "A" S-228)

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 Establish the Mental Health Advisory Committee on Medicaid

S.P. 467 L.D. 1252  
(H "A" H-434 to C "A" S-184)

On motion by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending ENACTMENT.

An Act to Prevent, Punish and Remedy Violations of Constitutional Rights

H.P. 896 L.D. 1253  
(C "A" H-325; H "A" H-363; S "A" S-236)

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

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

ENACTORS

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

An Act to Protect the Identity of Juveniles Prior to Filing of Petition

H.P. 1158 L.D. 1612  
(C "A" H-428)

An Act to Facilitate District Court Judicial Administration

H.P. 1192 L.D. 1659  
(C "A" H-426)

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

Resolve

Resolve, Concerning Africanized Bees

H.P. 1055 L.D. 1477  
(C "A" H-405)

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

Resolve, to Study the Feasibility of Establishing a Piscataqua River Basin Compact between Maine and New Hampshire

S.P. 496 L.D. 1370  
(S "A" S-244 to C "A" S-185)

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

Resolve, to Provide Respite Care Services for Families of the Mentally Ill

H.P. 1042 L.D. 1453  
(C "A" H-395)

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

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

ENACTORS

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

An Act to Clarify Maintenance of Private Roads and Ways by Municipalities

H.P. 271 L.D. 383  
(C "A" H-84)

Comes from the House Bill and Accompanying Papers INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.

Which was PASSED TO BE ENACTED.

Off Record Remarks

On motion by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin, the Senate RECONSIDERED whereby the Bill was PASSED TO BE ENACTED.

On further motion by same Senator, the Bill and Accompanying Papers, INDEFINITELY POSTPONED, in concurrence.

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

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE  
Non-concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Law Concerning Retired Teachers' Health Insurance and to Compensate Retired Teachers Who Are Ineligible for That Insurance"

S.P. 337 L.D. 898  
(C "A" S-221)

In Senate, June 8, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-221).

Comes from the House PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-221) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-480), thereto in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Senator DUTREMBLE of York, moved to RECEDE and CONCUR.

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

Senator PEARSON: Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, men and women of the Senate. I sponsored a Bill that is in the Appropriations Committee dealing with retired teachers health insurance. Apparently, there was another Bill that I was not aware of. I am on an information overload right now. I am trying to find out how they gel with one another and that sort of thing.

On motion by Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending the motion of Senator DUTREMBLE of York, to RECEDE and CONCUR.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

House

Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act to Permit Release of Treatment Records in Certain Cases"

H.P. 1153 L.D. 1607

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-513).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-513).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-513) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

The Committee on LEGAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act to Protect Tenant's Rights by Authorizing Municipalities to Escrow Certain Funds under the General Assistance Laws"

H.P. 1225 L.D. 1697

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-514).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-514).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-514) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Law Concerning Retired Teachers' Health Insurance and to Compensate Retired Teachers Who Are Ineligible for That Insurance"

S.P. 337 L.D. 898  
(C "A" S-221)

Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec.

Pending - Motion of Senator DUTREMBLE of York to RECEDE and CONCUR

(In Senate, June 8, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-221).)

(In House, June 14, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-221) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-480) thereto, in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

On motion by Senator DUTREMBLE of York, the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

On motion by Senator TWITCHELL of Oxford, RECESSED until 4:00 this afternoon.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

Under suspension of the Rules, all matters thus acted upon were ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senate

Ought to Pass As Amended

Senator THERIAULT for the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE on Bill "An Act Relating to Returned Check Charges"

S.P. 498 L.D. 1372

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-283).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-283) READ and ADOPTED.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

Senator BUSTIN for the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE on Bill "An Act to Prohibit Unfair Rating Practices in Small Group Health Insurance"

S.P. 611 L.D. 1705

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-282).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-282) READ and ADOPTED.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senate

Ought to Pass As Amended

Senator LUDWIG for the Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES on Resolve, Authorizing the

Director of the Bureau of Public Lands to Convey Certain State Property Within the City of Biddeford

S.P. 617 L.D. 1712

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-284).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

The Resolve READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-284) READ and ADOPTED.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

Senator BERUBE for the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT on Resolve, to Establish a Charter Commission to Review Androscoggin County Government (Emergency)

S.P. 523 L.D. 1430

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-285).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

The Resolve READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-285) READ and ADOPTED.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

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

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act Dealing with Removal of Dislodged Lobster Gear"

S.P. 419 L.D. 1130

(C "A" S-234)

In Senate, June 12, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-234).

Comes from the House PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-234) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-516) thereto, in NON-CONCURRENCE.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

Non-concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act to Require Liquor Sellers' Permits"

S.P. 151 L.D. 271

(C "A" S-265)

In Senate, June 13, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-265).

Comes from the House Bill and Accompanying Papers INDEFINITELY POSTPONED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

The Senate INSISTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, all matters thus acted upon were ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Protect Maine Workers from Needless Injury and Death by Creating the Offenses of Work-related Manslaughter and Work-related Aggravated Assault"

S.P. 508 L.D. 1396

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Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin.

Pending - ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-276)

(In Senate, June 14, 1989, Committee Amendment "A" (S-276) READ.)

On motion by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin, Tabled 1 Legislative Day, pending ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (S-276).

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The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

An Act to Establish the Mental Health Advisory Committee on Medicaid

S.P. 467 L.D. 1252  
(H "A" H-434 to C "A"  
S-184)

Tabled - June 14, 1989, by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin.

Pending - ENACTMENT

(In Senate, June 9, 1989, RECEDED and CONCURRED to PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-184) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-434) thereto.)

(In House, June 14, 1989, PASSED TO BE ENACTED.)

On motion by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin, Tabled 1 Legislative Day, pending ENACTMENT.

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On motion by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot, ADJOURNED until Thursday, June 15, 1989, at 8:30 in the morning.