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LD 1909 / SP0750

An Act To Promote Decision Making Within the Workers' Compensation Board. (GOVERNOR'S BILL). Presented by Senator EDMONDS of Cumberland; Cosponsored by Representative TREADWELL of Carmel and Senators: BLAIS of Kennebec, DAVIS of Piscataquis, Representatives: BRUNO of Raymond, DUPREY of Medway, FISCHER of Presque Isle, RICHARDSON of Brunswick, SAVIELLO of Wilton, WATSON of Bath. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Labor. Public Hearing 03/16/04. OTP-AM Accepted 03/30/04. Amended by: CA S-458. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 04/08/04, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 608.

Original Bill

[LD 1909 \(121st Legis. 2004\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 1909 / PL 2003, c. 608](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Labor

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New Drafts and Amendments

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Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2003, c. 608](#)

Reports and Other Related Documents

[Bureau of Insurance. Annual Report on the Status of the Maine Workers' Compensation System: Submitted to the 122nd Legislature \(Second Regular Session\) \(February 2006\)](#)

News Articles

- Workers' comp bill aims to end deadlocks (Turkel, Tux) (Portland Press Herald, 3/13/2004) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1909/SB121167.pdf)
- Comp back to work (Bangor Daily News, 3/17/2004) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1909/SB121247.pdf)
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