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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 182 / HP0140

An Act To Eliminate Term Limits for Legislators. Presented by Representative MARTIN of Eagle Lake. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government. Public Hearing 03/16/15. Final Disposition: Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report 05/20/15.

**Original Bill**

[LD 182 \(127th Legis. 2015\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

[LD 182](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-140\) \(LD 182 2015\) \(Minority\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 29, 2015 \(H55-63\)](#)

- p. H-58

[SENATE, February 3, 2015 \(S71-85\)](#)

- p. S-73

[HOUSE, May 19, 2015 \(H441-453\)](#)

- p. H-449 (Amendment(s) H-140)

[SENATE, May 20, 2015 \(S623-641\)](#)

- p. S-634 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-140)

**News Articles**

Maine people haven't wavered on legislative term limits. Now is not the time (Tomboulides, Nick) (Bangor Daily News, 3/18/2015, p. A7) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD01xx/nc127-ld-0182/B1503088.pdf)

The phony allure of term limits (Gagnon, Matthew) (Bangor Daily News, 3/19/2015, p. A7) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD01xx/nc127-ld-0182/B1503072.pdf)

What have term limits accomplished for Maine? (Burns, Christopher) (Bangor Daily News, 3/21/2015, p. D1, D3) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD01xx/nc127-ld-0182/B1503123.pdf)

Term limits have changed Maine's Legislature - for the worse (Bangor Daily News, 4/28/2015, p. A6) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD01xx/nc127-ld-0182/B1504151.pdf)

Why even John Martin thinks Maine's term limits law won't go away (Cousins, Christopher) (Bangor Daily News, 4/30/2015, p. A1, A4) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD01xx/nc127-ld-0182/B1504156.pdf)

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