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History and Final Disposition

LD 1624 / SP0577

RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Implement Ranked-choice Voting. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.) Presented by Senator BREEN of Cumberland. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs. Public Hearing 06/02/17. (OTP-AM) Report A Accepted 06/22/17. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) S-300. Final Disposition: Final Passage Failed 07/20/17.

Original Bill

[LD 1624 \(128th Legis. 2017\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf128-LD-1624.pdf)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-300\) \(LD 1624 2017\) \(Report A\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(S-301\) \(LD 1624 2017\) \(Report C\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, May 31, 2017 \(H665-698\)](#)

- p. H-684

[SENATE, May 31, 2017 \(S796-833\)](#)

- p. S-802

[SENATE, June 21, 2017 \(S1188-1225\)](#)

- p. S-1217 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p1219)) (Amendment(s) S-300, S-301)

[SENATE, June 21, 2017 \(S1188-1225\)](#)

- p. S-1222 (Amendment(s) S-300, S-301)

[HOUSE, June 22, 2017 \(H1033-1045\)](#)

- p. H-1034 (Amendment(s) S-300, S-301)

[HOUSE, June 23, 2017 \(H1046-1068\)](#)

- p. H-1053 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p1055)) (Amendment(s) S-300)

[SENATE, June 27, 2017 \(S1249-1271\)](#)

- p. S-1262 (Amendment(s) S-300)

[SENATE, July 20, 2017 \(S1309-1344\)](#)

- p. S-1329 (Amendment(s) S-300)

News Articles

State House leaders allow opposing bills to address ranked-choice voting (Scott Thistle) (Portland Press Herald, 5/26/2017, p. B1, B6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/PPH 170526E.pdf)

Maine people wanted a better way to vote. It's time to enshrine it in the Constitution (Editorial) (Bangor Daily News, 6/2/2017, p. A7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/BDN 170602D.pdf)

Ranked-choice voting bills go to full Legislature for debate (Scott Thistle) (Portland Press Herald, 6/9/2017, p. B1, B6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/PPH 170609F.pdf)

Supporters urge Maine lawmakers to retain ranked-choice voting law (Steve Mistler) (Bangor Daily News, 6/10/2017, p. A1, A5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/BDN 170603-04A.pdf)

I voted against ranked-choice voting But I don't support repealing the law (Michael Carpenter) (Bangor Daily News, 6/21/2017, p. A7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/BDN 170621F.pdf)

Maine Senate sets aside legislation to repeal ranked-choice voting law (Scott Thistle) (Portland Press Herald, 6/22/2017, p. B4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/PPH 170622G.pdf)

Constitutional amendment to fix ranked-choice voting falters in Maine House (Kevin Miller) (Portland Press Herald, 6/24/2017, p. A1, A5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1624/PPH 170624A.pdf)

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