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History and Final Disposition

LD 546 / HP0391

An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Maine Juvenile Justice System Assessment and Reinvestment Task Force. Presented by Representative BRENNAN of Portland. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety. Public Hearing 03/26/21. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 06/15/21. Amended by: CA H-616. Carried Over: 07/19/21. Final Disposition: Died On Adjournment 05/09/22.

Original Bill

[LD 546 \(130th Legis. 2021\)](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

- Master file available on request—please include citation: cf130-LD-0546.pdf

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(CJPS\) \(03/26/2021\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(CJPS\) \(04/09/2021\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(CJPS\) \(05/17/2021\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(CJPS\) \(05/18/2021\)](#)

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-0616\) \(LD 546 2021\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, March 10, 2021 \(H-21-105\)](#)

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[SENATE, March 11, 2021 \(S-185-257\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 15, 2021 \(H-720-776\)](#)

p. H-725 (Amendment(s) H-616)

[SENATE, June 15, 2021 \(S-964-1042\)](#)

p. S-1025 (Amendment(s) H-616)

[HOUSE, June 16, 2021 \(H-777-864\)](#)

p. H-825 (Amendment(s) H-616)

[SENATE, June 17, 2021 \(S-1103-1175\)](#)

p. S-1138 (Amendment(s) H-616)

[HOUSE, June 30, 2021 \(H-902-932\)](#)

p. H-914 (Remarks (In Passing))

Reports and Other Related Documents

[Randall A. Liberty, Comm'r of the Maine Dep't of Corrections. Report on Possible Locations for Secure Therapeutic Residences for Detained and Committed Youth \(January 1, 2022\)](#)

News Articles

Advocates- Legislation should require closure of youth prison (Megan Gray) (Portland Press Herald, 3/27/2021, p. B1, B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD05xx/nc130-LD-0546/PPH 210327G.pdf)

Bill puts the end of Long Creek in sight (Editorial) (Maine Sunday Telegram, 4/4/2021, p. D2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD05xx/nc130-LD-0546/MST 210404F.pdf)

Legislature passed key justice reforms (Editorial) (Maine Sunday Telegram, 6/20/2021, p. D2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD05xx/nc130-LD-0546/MST 210620C.pdf)

Closing youth prison the right way (Editorial) (Portland Press Herald, 6/29/2021, p. A10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD05xx/nc130-LD-0546/PPH 210629D.pdf)

Not all agree on path to closing state youth prison (Callie Ferguson) (Bangor Daily News, 7/3/2021, p. A1, A10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD05xx/nc130-LD-0546/BDN210703A.pdf)

Lawmakers put writing on the wall for Long Creek (Douglas Rooks) (Portland Press Herald, 7/21/2021, p. 6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD05xx/nc130-LD-0546/Portland Phoenix 210721B.pdf)

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