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<u>LD</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>SPONSOR</u>	<u>COMM REPORT</u>	<u>DISPO-SITION</u>
<u>BUSINESS PRACTICES: Enacted</u>				
2067	AN ACT REQUIRING INSULATION CONTRACTORS TO MAKE CERTAIN DISCLOSURES WHEN INSTALLING UREA FORMAL-DEHYDE INSULATION	Kany Pearson Joseph Gwadosky	OTP	PL 1983, c. 681

SUMMARY: Requires disclosure in the contract of certain health hazards of this type of insulation and those measures, if any, which the contractor will take to correct any problems.

BUSINESS PRACTICES: Not Enacted

1965	AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAINE LEMON LAW TO INCLUDE VEHICLES SUCH AS TRACTOR TRAILERS	McHenry Moholland Brannigan Sewall	ONTP(8) OTP(5)	H:Insist on Eng. as amd. by H"A" S:Adhere to Maj. Rept.
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SUMMARY: Adds fleets, commercial vehicles and vehicles weighing 8,500 pounds or more to the "Lemon Law."

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A"(H-558): With respect to vehicles weighing 8,500 pounds or more, abandons requirement that vehicle be returned for service twice to the same agent or dealer. For some vehicles, provides for liability of component manufacturers in some cases.(McHenry). (H: Adopted)

1967	AN ACT TO REQUIRE COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS OPERATING MICROWAVE OVENS TO PROVIDE NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC	Clark, H McCollister Richard Mahany	ONTP	H&S:Accepted
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SUMMARY: Requires commercial establishments with microwave ovens to prominently display a notice of that fact.

NOTE: Reference originally suggested to Legal Affairs Committee.

2082	AN ACT RELATING TO SIGNS FOR FARM MARKET SALES	Erwin, E Twitchell Vose Sherburne	LV-WD	H&S:Accepted
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SUMMARY: Exempts from the "billboard law" (Maine Traveler Information Services Act) temporary farm market sale signs; preempts stricter local ordinances.

(NOTE: Reference to Agriculture Committee originally suggested.)