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This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the Second Regular Session of the 111th Legislature. The summaries are arranged alphabetically, and indexed separately by committee.

2111 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR Pearson OTP
FILLING VACANCIES IN THE ENACT PL C. 698
OFFICE OF PRESIDENTIAL
ELECTORS NOMINATED BY
PETITION

SUMMARY: Provides for the filling of vacancies in the office of Presidential Elector for a third or non party candidate who has been nominated by petition.

2176 AN ACT TO AMEND THE Study Bill OTP-AM
POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE ENACT PL C. 725
REGISTRATION AND REPORTING
LAW

SUMMARY: Makes a number of technical clarifications in the PAC registration and in reporting law enacted last Session. The most important changes are a reduction in the number of required reports and the standardization of reporting dates.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-569): Exempted candidate and party committees from the definition of a PAC and added an emergency preamble. (ADOPTED)

2331 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE McBreairty ENG W/O REF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO ENACT PL C. 717
ESTABLISH SEPARATE VOTING
PLACES IN UNORGANIZED
TOWNSHIPS

SUMMARY: Repeals the law requiring certain municipalities to establish voting places in the unorganized townships of Connor, Kingman, Rockwood Strip and Sinclair and establishes a framework in which county commissioners may provide or contract with municipalities to provide voting places for any unorganized township upon a sufficient showing of interest.

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-333): Corrects the number of ballot clerks which are required to be appointed when a voting place is established and adds an emergency preamble. (ADOPTED)

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" (S-339): Requires county commissioners to notify the Secretary of State when they establish or discontinue a voting place. (ADOPTED)