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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.

2337	AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAWS RELATING TO PRIVATE BUSI- NESS, TRADE AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS	Manning Brannigan Hayes Clark	ND OF 2035 PL 1984, C. 841
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SUMMARY: The bill clarifies its procedure for licensing private business, trade and technical schools. It specifically includes schools of barbering and cosmetology. In addition it clarifies language in Title 32.

2359	AN ACT CONCERNING THE TEACHING OF CERTAIN SUBJECTS	Hayes	ND OF 2089 PL 1984, C. 767
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SUMMARY: The original bill repealed the old sections concerning the teaching of morality, bible reading, and release time for religious instruction. It also rewrote the compulsory education sections. The final rewrite came out in 2-new drafts. Both new drafts revised the section on the "Teaching of virtue and morality" and repealed the unconstitutional section on bible reading. The majority report also rewrote the section on release time for religious instructions. The majority report received final passage. The minority report ID 2360 was defeated. The majority report was accepted.

2366	AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EDUCATIONAL CLEARINGHOUSE FOR INFORMATION ON NUCLEAR USAGE	Andrews Randall E. Mitchell Wood	ND OF 2181 PL 1984, C. 739
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SUMMARY: The bill authorizes the Commissioner of Education to establish a clearing house for information on nuclear weapons and nuclear power. School units and private schools may request information.

2382	AN ACT TO MAKE CORRECTIONS OF ERRORS AND INCONSIS- TENCIES IN THE LAWS OF MAINE	Trafton Hobbins	JUDICIARY ND 2462
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SUMMARY: See New Draft, ID 2462.

2389	AN ACT ESTABLISHING STANDARDS AND A POLICY FOR THE COMPENSA- TION OF MEMBERS OF BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS		STATE GOVERNMENT ND OF 2081 PL 1984, C. 812
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SUMMARY: The bill incorporates the establishment of all boards and commissions into Title 5 to provide uniform standards.