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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
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BILL SUMMARY



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BILL SUMMARIES
JULY 1985

This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the First Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number and indexed separately by committee.

A claimant is limited to a claim of not more than \$100,000 in damages which, if awarded, is payable from the General Fund.

Persons convicted prior to the effective date of this Act must apply to the Governor within 3 months of the effective date of this Act for a hearing seeking the pardon and finding of innocence required prior to suit.

A sunset provision of November 1, 1988 is included.

LD: 206 AN ACT TO REDEFINE DEADLY FORCE

DRINKWATER
WHITCOMB

ND: 1074

ONTP

HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:

See LD 1074.

LD: 207 AN ACT CONCERNING CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES

NELSON
HOGLUND
KIMBALL
BROWN L

LV-WD

HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:

Sought to include deprivation of appropriate educational opportunities in the definitions of "jeopardy" and "serious harm" contained in the Child and Family Services and Child Protection Act.

LD: 208 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR LIVING WILLS

FOSTER
MAYBURY
ARMSTRONG
MACOMBER

LV-WD

HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:

Sought to enact the Maine Natural Death Act which would permit an adult to make a declaration providing that life-prolonging procedures should be withheld or withdrawn if that person becomes terminally ill and those procedures would serve only to prolong the moment of death. Similar to LD 660.