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## ONE HUNDERD AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND COMMERCE BILL SUMMARIES



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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 First Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number and indexed separately by committee.

LD:

AN ACT TO REQUIRE FULL DISCLOSURE BY REAL ESTATE BROKERS 1125

BRANNIGAN

LU-WD

HOUSE Accepted Committee Report SENATE Accepted Committee Report GOV

### SUMMARY:

The LD would have required a broker to make written disclosure to the buyer, at the time or before the buyer makes an offer to purchase, that the broker is the agent of the seller, not the buyer. Also the broker must disclose the agency relationship to the seller at the time or before a listing agreement is signed.

LD:

1138

AN ACT TO PROVIDE CREDIT UNIONS WITH THE SAME RIGHT TO MAKE 2ND MORTGAGE LOANS AS EXIST FOR

NAJARTAN

HOGLUND

ND:

416 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

HOUSE Enacted SENATE Enacted GOV SIGNED

PUBLIC CH # 94

#### SUMMARY:

The bill's title explains its purpose. The loan-to-value ratio is set at 90%, as it is for most other state institutions, and state credit unions may make junior . mortgages with a maximum term of 15 years.

LD:

1140

AN ACT TO REQUIRE PUBLIC REST ROOMS IN ALL SHOPPING CENTERS

GOU SIGNED

DAVIS MICHAEL ARMSTRONG

SEAUEY

PUBLIC

CH # 102

ND:

309

HOUSE Enacted SENATE Enacted

## SUMMARY:

The original bill, LD 309, required all shopping centers with 6 or more retail establishments built after the bill's effective date to have at least 2 toilets. The redraft, LD 1140, also requires lavatory facilities and separate toilets . for each sex.