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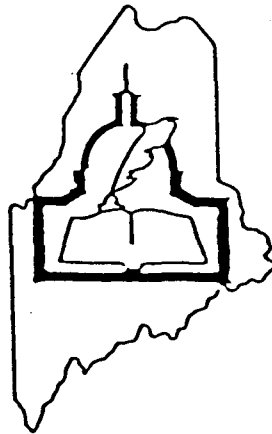
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BILL SUMMARY



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BILL SUMMARIES  
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This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees and Joint Select Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the Second Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number under each committee.

All Amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor if it is a floor amendment or the designation "CA" if it is a committee amendment. If the amendment was adopted in the House, the letter H appears after the sponsor. If it was adopted in the Senate, the letter S appears.

Final action for each bill is listed to the right of the title. If final House action and Senate action differ, both are listed.

Key to Committee Reports and Floor Action:

|           |                                       |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| OTP       | Ought to Pass                         |
| OTP-ND    | Ought to Pass in New Draft            |
| OTP-ND-NT | Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title |
| OTP-AM    | Ought to Pass as Amended              |
| ONTF      | Ought Not to Pass                     |
| LVWD      | Leave to Withdraw                     |
| INDEF PP  | Indefinitely Postponed                |

LD AN ACT TO INCREASE THE ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES LVWD  
1805 UNDER THE ELDERLY HOUSEHOLDERS TAX AND RENT  
REFUND ACT AND THE ELDERLY LOW COST DRUG  
PROGRAM

Sponsor: MICHAUD  
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: Raises eligibility guidelines for the Elderly Tax  
and Rent Refund Program to \$7,000 for one person and \$8,000  
for two or more persons. See also LD 1719.

LD AN ACT TO EXEMPT NONPROFIT HOSPICE ND LD 2029  
1806 ORGANIZATIONS FROM THE SALES TAX

Sponsor: ZIRNKILTON, Mayo, Cashman, Martin J  
Committee Report: OTP-ND LD 2029

SUMMARY: See new draft, LD 2029.

LD AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE APPLICABILITY OF TAX BASE LVWD  
1807 SHARING TO PLANTATIONS

Sponsor: MILLS  
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: Amended tax base sharing law to include  
plantations. Bill not necessary; law already permits  
plantations to participate in tax base sharing.

LD AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WATERCRAFT EXCISE TAX ND LD 2325  
1825 TABLES

Sponsor: ZIRNKILTON, Twitchell, Jackson, Bonney  
Committee Report: OTP-ND LD 2325

SUMMARY: See new draft, LD 2325.