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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE BILL SUMMARIES DECEMBER 1986

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 Special Session and the Third Special 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
ONTP	Ought Not to Pass
LVWD	Leave to Withdraw
INDEF PP	Indefinitely Postponed

LEGAL AFFAIRS

LD AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIQUOR LAWS TO ALLOW A
2415 VESSEL CORPORATION OWNED BY A CERTIFICATE
HOLDER TO APPLY FOR A LIQUOR LICENSE

ND LD 2432

Sponsor: REEVES, Dillenback, Perry Committee Report: OTP ND LD 2432

SUMMARY: See LD 2432.

LD AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR LIQUOR LICENSING OF 2432 CRUISE SHIPS

PL 1985 c. 810 EMERGENCY

Sponsor: REEVES, Dillenback Perry Committee Report: New Draft of LD 2415

SUMMARY: Existing law does not allow liquor certificate of approval holders (manufacturers and foreign wholesalers) to also sell liquor at retail in Maine. The original bill provided a special exception for cruise lines owned by certificate of approval holders, so that the ships can sell liquor on board while in Maine waters. A cruise ship must also obtain municipal approval to sell liquor while in port.

The New Draft adds an emergency clause to make the bill apply to the tourist trade this summer. It also limits the amount of time these cruise ships can sell liquor in port to persons other than passengers to 72 consecutive hours. In addition, the New Draft contains a "sunset" clause: The law expires by its own terms (unless amended) on September 30, 1988.

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