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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE BILL SUMMARIES JUNE 1987

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All Adopted 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 "COMMITTEE" if it is a committee amendment.

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

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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-A | Ought to Pass as Amended |
| ONTP | Ought Not to Pass |
| LVWD | Leave to Withdraw |
| INDEF PP , | Indefinitely Postponed |

LD AN ACT TO REPEAL THE COMMERCIAL FORESTRY EXCISE LVWD 959 TAX

Sponsor: HEPBURN, Dexter Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: Repeals the Commercial Forestry Excise Tax.

LD AN ACT RELATING TO SUPPLEMENTAL ASSESSMENTS ND LD 1694

960 UNDER THE TAXATION LAWS

Sponsor: SMITH, Mayo, Strout, D., Twitchell Committee Report: OTP-ND LD 1694

SUMMARY: Extends the time period for a municipality to make supplemental assessments in situations where the owner of the real estate has recovered the property from the municipality because of errors in the lien and foreclosure process..

LD AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE COST OF THE 1987 SPRUCE P&S 1987
962 BUDWORM MANAGEMENT PROGRAM C. 18
EMERGENCY

Sponsor: ZIRNKILTON, Holloway, Twitchell, Perkins Committee Report: OTP-AM Amendments Adopted: H-71 COMMITTEE

SUMMARY: Authorizes the cost of the Spruce Budworm Management Program to be \$120,000.

LD AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES TAX TRADE-IN CREDIT PL 1987
980 FOR LOADERS USED TO HARVEST LUMBER C. 467

Sponsor: DEXTER, Webster, C., Ridley, McGowan Committee Report: OTP-AM Amendments Adopted: H-281 COMMITTEE S-278 PEARSON

SUMMARY: Provides a sales tax trade-in credit for loaders used to harvest lumber.

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