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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE BILL SUMMARIES JUNE 1987

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. The summaries are arranged by LD number under each committee.

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 AUTHORIZE KENNEBEC COUNTY TO RAISE UP P&S 1987
1809 TO \$9,500,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT C. 56
OF JAIL FACILITIES FOR KENNEBEC COUNTY

Sponsor: BUSTIN, Matthews, Z., Weymouth, Hickey Committee Report: OTP-A (Majority)

ONTP (Minority)

Amendments Adopted:

S-228 MAJ REP S-232 TUTTLE

SUMMARY: This bill authorizes a \$9.5 million bond issue for renovation of and additions to the Kennebec County Jail.

Committee Amendment A requires that the referendum on the issue be held in conjunction with a general election in November and requires that the ballot contain information as to debt service for this issue and the total bonded indebtedness of the county prior to the issue.

LD AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY TO P&S 1987
1830 RAISE UP TO \$8,900,000 TO RENOVATE AND EXPAND C. 63
JAIL FACILITIES FOR ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY

Sponsor: GAUVREAU, Callahan, Cote, Stevens, A. Committee Report: OTP-A (Majority)

ONTP (Minority)

Amendments Adopted: S-228 COMMITTEE S-232 TUTTLE

<u>SUMMARY:</u> This bill authorizes an \$8.9 million bond issue for renovation and expansion of the Androscoggin County Jail.

Committee Amendment S-228 changes the purpose of the bond issue to construction of a new jail, not renovation. It requires that the referendum be at a statewide election in November, that it be preceded by a meeting between the Commissioners and the delegation and that it contain information on debt service and bonded indebtedness.

The Senate Amendment S-232 requires that the meeting of the County Commissioner and the Legislative Delegation be within 30 days of the adjournment of the current session of the Legislature and indicates that the purpose of the issue is to improve and construct a jail facility.

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