

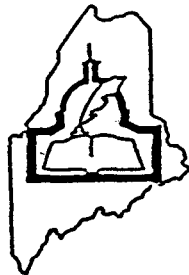
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BILL SUMMARIES  
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*All Adopted Amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor for floor amendments. Final action is listed to the right of the title. If final House and Senate action differ, both are listed. Committee Reports and Floor Action are indicated as follows::*

<b>OTP</b>	<b>Ought to Pass</b>
<b>OTP-ND</b>	<b>Ought to Pass in New Draft</b>
<b>OTP-ND-NT</b>	<b>Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title</b>
<b>OTP-A</b>	<b>Ought to Pass as Amended</b>
<b>ONTP</b>	<b>Ought Not to Pass</b>
<b>LVWD</b>	<b>Leave to Withdraw</b>
<b>INDEF PP</b>	<b>Indefinitely Postponed</b>

*Each individual summary was prepared by the analyst assigned, as noted for each committee. But, this document was produced by the efforts of all the office staff, including Secretaries: Charlene Brann, Janet Jean, Earl Knox, Valarie Parlin; Research Assistant Hartley Palleschi. Finally, Secretary Laurette Knox, Legal Assistant Carolyn Chick, and Research Assistant Robert Dunn had special responsibilities in the preparation of the overall document.*

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LD           An Act to Establish a Commemorative Day for Margaret Chase       PUBLIC  
2030   Smith and Edmund S. Muskie   610

SPONSOR(S)                               COMMITTEE   REPORT                               AMENDMENTS ADOPTED  
KANY   OTP  
DUTREMBLE D  
CARROLL  
GWADOSKY

SUMMARY

LD 2030 proposed to establish December 14 of each year as Margaret Chase Smith Day and March 28 of each year as Edmund S. Muskie Day. The Department of Education, within the limits of its budget, is required to make appropriate information available to the public and the schools with respect to these days of commemoration. This bill increases the number of commemorative events from 16 to 18 which are primarily commemorated through school events and proclamations by the Governor.

**LD**           An Act to Provide for Effective and Timely Public Notice       ND 2537  
**2061**   of Hearings Conducted by State Boards and Agencies

SPONSOR(S)                               COMMITTEE   REPORT                               AMENDMENTS ADOPTED  
SHELTRA                                     OTP-ND  
JACQUES  
LOOK  
BALDACCI

SUMMARY

Replaced By LD   2537

LD           Resolve, to Extend the Reporting Deadline of the Commission       RESOLVE  
2117   to Study the Use of Involuntary Services for Substance             078  
Abusers   EMERGENCY

SPONSOR(S)                               COMMITTEE   REPORT                               AMENDMENTS ADOPTED  
MATTHEWS Z  
FARNUM

SUMMARY

LD 2117 extended the reporting date of the Commission to Study the Use of Involuntary Services for Substance Abusers from January 31, 1988 to March 15, 1988.