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BILL SUMMARIES
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**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE
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**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
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. The volume is organized alphabetically by committee; within each committee, the summaries are arranged by LD number. A subject index is provided at the beginning of each committee's summaries.

The committee report or reports, the prime sponsor for each bill and the lead co-sponsor in each house if one has been designated are listed below each bill title. All adopted amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor for floor amendments. Final action on each bill is listed to the right of the title. Various types of final action are abbreviated as follows:

PUBLIC XXX

P&S XXX

RESOLVE XXX

CON RES XXX

EMERGENCY

CARRIED OVER

ONTP

ENACTMENT FAILED

INDEF PP

FAILED EMERGENCY ENACTMENT

FAILED MANDATE ENACTMENT

DIED BETWEEN BODIES

CONF CMTE UNABLE TO AGREE

VETO SUSTAINED

UNSIGNED

DIED ON ADJOURNMENT

Chapter # of enacted Public Law

Chapter # of enacted Private & Special Law

Chapter # of enacted Resolve

Chapter # of Constitutional Resolution passed by both Houses

Enacted law takes effect sooner than 90 days

Bill carried over to Second Session

Ought Not to Pass report accepted

Bill failed to get majority vote

Bill Indefinitely Postponed

Emergency bill failed to get 2/3 vote

Bill imposing local mandate failed to get 2/3 vote

House & Senate disagree; bill died

Committee of Conference formed but unable to agree

Legislature failed to override Governor's Veto

Not signed by Governor within 10 days

Action incomplete when session ended; bill died

These summaries were prepared by the analyst or analysts assigned to the committee. But, this document was produced by the efforts of all the office staff, including secretaries: Charlene Raymond and Valarie Parlin.

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and parent or guardian and would have included career objectives and an outline of the necessary secondary and postsecondary education course work, work experience and life experience necessary to meet the objectives of the plan.

LD 306 An Act to Establish Uniform Building Designs for Public Schools ONTP

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
KUTASI	ONTP	

SUMMARY

This bill would have directed the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Bureau of General Services and the Department of Education to establish 3 standard designs for construction of new public schools built in whole or in part with state funds. One design each would have been selected for elementary schools, middle schools and secondary schools. The bureau would have established a process that invited submission of school construction designs and permitted public comment on school designs before choosing the designs.

LD 321 An Act Concerning the Degree-granting Authority of Educational Associates, Inc. P & S 12

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
REED G	OTP	

SUMMARY

This bill allows Andover College to confer Associate in Applied Science degrees.

LD 363 An Act to Require the Bureau of General Services to Purchase School Buses in Lots ONTP

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
CAREY	ONTP	

SUMMARY

This bill would have required all school units or administrative districts to go through the Bureau of General Services for school bus purchases.

LD 403 An Act to Provide for Middle School Teacher Certification ONTP

SPONSOR(S)	COMMITTEE REPORT	AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
CONSTANTINE	ONTP	

SUMMARY

This bill would have required 2 levels of certification for elementary school teachers, one for the early elementary grades and one for the middle school grades.