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LD 1025 An Act to Allow Federal Civil Service to Count for Purposes of Maine Public Employees Retirement System Benefits

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 206 allows a member of the Maine Public Employees Retirement System with service as a nonmilitary public employee of the United States Government before becoming a member to purchase service credit up to five years for the period of time that the member served as a nonmilitary public employee of the United States Government.

LD 1105 An Act Concerning Displaced Civilian Federal Firefighters in Maine

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 371 requires the Department of Labor to establish and maintain a database of displaced civilian federal firefighters in Maine.

LD 1117 An Act to Strengthen Maine's Workforce Through Certified Preapprenticeship Training Programs

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 306 amends the laws governing the preapprenticeship training programs by clarifying that the Maine Apprenticeship Program may consult on funding matters with the Maine Apprenticeship Council as the Department of Labor considers appropriate and permissible. It also provides that at least 51% of funding provided by the Maine Apprenticeship Program must be given to certified preapprenticeship training that demonstrate the provision of strong, comprehensive support services, either through the use of program funds or through outside workforce funds. Public Law 2025, chapter 306 also directs the department to conduct a study that reviews similar programs in the State and in other states. The department must submit a report on its findings to the Joint Standing Committee on Labor by December 3, 2025, and the committee may report out a bill to the Second Regular Session of the 132nd Legislature.

LD 1221 Resolve, Directing the Department of Labor to Study Protection of Paid Family and Medical Leave Benefits Program Funds

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 63 requires the Department of Labor to study methods to protect paid family and medical leave benefits program funds from being expended for any purpose other than the paid family and medical leave benefits program.