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F O R E W O R D

This booklet contains the history and final disposition of legislative documents and papers introduced at the second regular session of the 108th Maine Legislature. The Legislative Information Office, in its efforts to monitor and provide an accurate account of such legislative activities, has published this concise handbook assembled with the aid of computer technology pursuant to the following order:

In the Senate January 4, 1978

ORDERED, the House concurring, that there be prepared after adjournment of the present session, by the Legislative Information Officer, a Register of all the Bills and Resolves considered by both branches of the Legislature, showing the history and final disposition of each Bill and Resolve and that there be printed 600 copies of the same. The Legislative Information Officer shall mail a copy of the Register to each member and officer of the Legislature and the State Law and Legislative Reference Library shall receive such number of copies as may be required. (SP 649)

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The bill status system has proved an invaluable information source for the following of legislation through the legislative process. The Office of Legislative Information welcomes any suggestions on how to make the system even more useful to the Legislature and to the public and hopes that this booklet will benefit all who have occasion to use it.

For ease of use you will note each entry has been inserted in a given order: Index by major, minor and detail subjects - Title - Paper and Legislative Document numbers - Sponsor, Cosponsor - Committee of Reference - Hearing date - Committee report - Amendments - Final disposition.

Please note the following list of abbreviations which were used in compiling this publication:

H.P.....	HOUSE PAPER
S.P.....	SENATE PAPER
L.D.....	LEGISLATIVE DOCUMENT
O.T.P.....	OUGHT TO PASS
O.T.P. - AM.....	OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED
O.T.P. - ND.....	OUGHT TO PASS IN NEW DRAFT
O.N.T.P.....	OUGHT NOT TO PASS
LV/WD.....	LEAVE TO WITHDRAW
MAJ. REP.....	MAJORITY REPORT
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REF. NEXT LEG.....	REFERRED TO NEXT LEGISLATURE
RE-REF.....	RE-REFERRED
LV/WD - OTHER LEG.....	LEAVE TO WITHDRAW - COVERED BY OTHER LEGISLATION
O.N.T.P. OTHER LEG.....	OUGHT NOT TO PASS - COVERED BY OTHER LEGISLATION
INDEF. P.P.....	INDEFINITELY POSTPONED
EMERG.....	EMERGENCY
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AN ACT TO EXTEND COVERAGE OF THE RETURNABLE BEVERAGE STATUTES TO BEVERAGES SOLD IN A BOTTLE OR CAN CONTAINING NO MORE THAN EIGHTEEN OUNCES HP1903, L.D.1964, PRESENTED BY HUGHES OF AUBURN, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-6-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

CORPORATIONS
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AN ACT TO CORRECT CERTAIN OVERSIGHTS IN THE NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT SP625, L.D.1942, PRESENTED BY S COLLINS OF KNOX, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-5-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-440, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-9-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 592.

CORPORATIONS (C O N T * D)

SMALL CLAIMS
APPEARANCE IN COURT

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE STATUTE RELATING TO ATTORNEYS SO THAT NONATTORNEYS MAY APPEAR IN SMALL CLAIMS COURT ON BEHALF OF CORPORATIONS HP1918, L.D.1979, PRESENTED BY HENDERSON OF BANGOR, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-17-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-972, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 593.

TAKEOVER BID DISCLOSURE

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE MAINE CORPORATION TAKEOVER BID DISCLOSURE LAW NEW TITLE; AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE MAINE TAKEOVER BID DISCLOSURE LAW SP665, L.D.2056, PRESENTED BY MERRILL OF CUMBERLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 2-10-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) S-527, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-24-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 669.

CORRECTIONS

TRAINING OF OFFICERS

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR CORRECTIONS OFFICERS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1592 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2039, L.D.2104, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1057, SA/CA S-616, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 701.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT

AN ACT TO CLARIFY COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT SP671, L.D.2075, PRESENTED BY P C JACKSON OF CUMBERLAND, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-493, SA/CA S-502, SA S-508, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 650.

OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

COMPENSATION AND SALARIES

AN ACT TO REVISE THE SALARIES OF CERTAIN COUNTY OFFICERS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986) HP1942, L.D.2108, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT RECOMMITTED TO LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED (O.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-1030, SA/CA S-0472, HB/CA H-1094, HC/CA H-1095, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 657.

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ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY FOR
THE YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER;
HP1986) HP2228, L.D.2188, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT
O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED
3-30-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 82.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF AROOSTOOK COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2217, L.D.2185, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-30-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 83.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2242, L.D.2194, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-29-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 80.

FRANKLIN COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF FRANKLIN COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2205, L.D.2181, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-25-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 78.

HANCOCK COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF HANCOCK COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2204, L.D.2180, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-25-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 77.

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KENNEBEC COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF KENNEBEC COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2260, L.D.2197, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 4-3-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 85.

KNOX COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF KNOX COUNTY FOR THE YEAR
1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2121, L.D.2149, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-14-78,
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 68.

LINCOLN COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF LINCOLN COUNTY (REPORTED
PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986) HP2140, L.D.2161,
LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.
FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-18-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT.
71.

OXFORD COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF OXFORD COUNTY FOR THE YEAR
OF 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2105, L.D.2142, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-20-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 73.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2206, L.D.2182, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-25-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 79.

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PISCATAQUIS COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF PISCATAQUIS COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986) HP2141, L.D.2162, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-20-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 72.

SAGADAHOC COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF COUNTY TAXES AND AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF SAGADAHOC COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986) HP2127, L.D.2154, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-15-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 70.

SOMERSET COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF SOMERSET COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986) HP2122, L.D.2152, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-15-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 69.

TIME EXTENSION 1978

AN ACT EXTENDING THE TIME FOR APPORTIONMENT OF COUNTY TAXES FROM MARCH TO APRIL IN THE YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO JOINT ORDER HP2226) HP2243, L.D.2196, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-24-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 670.

WALDO COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF WALDO COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986) HP2120, L.D.2148, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-14-78, RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 67.

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WASHINGTON COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF WASHINGTON COUNTY FOR THE
YEAR 1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2156, L.D.2168, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 3-21-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 74.

YORK COUNTY 1978

RESOLVE, FOR LAYING OF THE COUNTY TAXES AND
AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES OF YORK COUNTY FOR THE YEAR
1978 (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; HP1986)
HP2241, L.D.2193, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT O.T.P.
ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED, APPROVED 4-3-78;
RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 84.

COURTS

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MAINE
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FAIR CREDIT REPORTING

AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND DEFINE CERTAIN EXISTING
PROVISIONS OF THE MAINE FAIR CREDIT REPORTING ACT
HP1963, L.D.2052, PRESENTED BY HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND,
BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 2-3-78; OTP-ND HP2234
LD2192 ACCEPTED
NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; HP2234, L.D.2192, PRESENTED BY
HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, BUSINESS LEGISLATION ENACTED,
PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 677.

CRIMES AND OFFENSES

EXTRADITION

PROVISIONS REVISED

AN ACT TO REVISE THE STATE CRIMINAL EXTRADITION AND
CRIMINAL CODES SP697, L.D.2144, PRESENTED BY S COLLINS
OF KNOX, JUDICIARY HEARING 2-22-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED
AMENDED BY; CA S-531, HA/CA H-1163, ENACTED, PUBLIC
LAWS, CHAPT. 671.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY
APPROPRIATION

MATCHING FUNDS

AN ACT TO RESTORE MATCHING FUNDS TO THE MAINE CRIMINAL JUSTICE PLANNING AND ASSISTANCE AGENCY HP1860, L.D.1923, PRESENTED BY DRINKWATER OF BELFAST, CO-SPONSORED BY SHUTE OF STOCKTON SPRINGS, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 1-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1162, SA/CA S-584, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 4-6-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 710.

CULTURAL RESOURCES,DEPT
CREATION

AN ACT TO CREATE A DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL RESOURCES (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP345) HP2009, L.D.2092, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-1-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY
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JAIL OVERDRAFTS

AUTHORIZE EXPENDITURES

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING CUMBERLAND COUNTY TO PAY DEFICITS FROM UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS HP1947, L.D.2026, PRESENTED BY CURRAN OF SOUTH PORTLAND, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-24-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1029, EMERG. FINALLY PASSED APPROVED 3-2-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 64.

DAMS AND RESERVOIRS
INSPECTION

AN ACT RELATING TO INSPECTION OF DAMS HP2007, L.D.2084, PRESENTED BY VIOLETTE OF VAN BUREN, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1015, SB/CA S-613, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 684.

DEAF PERSONS
INTERPRETER SERVICE

AN ACT TO PROVIDE INTERPRETER SERVICE FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED SP616, L.D.1904, PRESENTED BY HICHENS OF YORK, HUMAN RESOURCES HEARING 1-11-78; OTP-ND SP720 LD2169 ACCEPTED
NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; SP720, L.D.2169, PRESENTED BY HICHENS OF YORK, HUMAN RESOURCES ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 704

DENTURISTS
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DRUGS AND DRUGGISTS
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BARBITURATES

ANIMAL EUTHANASIA

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO ENABLE THE PURCHASE AND ADMINISTRATION OF BARBITURATES FOR THE EUTHANASIA OF PETS AND ANIMALS NEW TITLE: AN ACT TO ENABLE THE PURCHASE AND ADMINISTERING OF BARBITURATES FOR THE EUTHANASIA OF PETS AND ANIMALS SP617, L.D. 1905, PRESENTED BY HICHENS OF YORK, AGRICULTURE HEARING 1-11-78; OTP-AM AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) S-445, HA H-1008, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 2-17-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 609.

CRIMES AND OFFENSES
CLASSIFICATION

AN ACT RELATING TO THE CLASSIFICATION OF DRUG OFFENSES SP676, L.D.2094, PRESENTED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, CO-SPONSORED BY PRAY OF PENOBSCOT, REDMOND OF SOMERSET, P C JACKSON OF CUMBERLAND, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-504, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 649.

HEROIN
PENALTY FOR POSSESSION

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR POSSESSION OF HEROIN SP615, L.D.1903, PRESENTED BY S COLLINS OF KNOX, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-5-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

IMPORTATION OF DRUGS

AN ACT RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF DRUGS SP674, L.D.2082, PRESENTED BY PRAY OF PENOBSCOT, CO-SPONSORED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-31-78; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

DRUGS AND DRUGGISTS (C O N T ' D)

MARIJUANA

TRAFFICKING

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO MAKE TRAFFICKING IN FIVE POUNDS OR MORE OF MARIJUANA A CLASS C CRIME UNDER THE MAINE CRIMINAL CODE NEW TITLE; AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFICKING AND IMPORTING OF MARIJUANA HP1999, L.D.2080, PRESENTED BY HUGHES OF AUBURN, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1048, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 647.

PRESCRIPTIONS

GENERIC SUBSTITUTION

AN ACT CONCERNING SUBSTITUTION OF GENERIC DRUGS BY PHARMACISTS HP1914, L.D.1975, PRESENTED BY P BOUDREAU OF WATERTOWN, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-12-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-987, HB/CA H-1007, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 611.

EDUCATION

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DISTRICTS

SEE ALSO TEACHERS

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EDUCATION

FINANCE COMMISSION

CREATION

AN ACT CREATING AN INTERIM EDUCATION FINANCE COMMISSION (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; SP753) SP755, L.D.2204, EDUCATION O.T.P. ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; SA S-594, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 4-6-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 711.

INCENTIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

MAINTAIN FUNDING

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS UNDER THE MAINE STUDENT INCENTIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM SHALL NOT BE LOWERED FROM ONE SCHOOL YEAR TO THE NEXT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO CARRY OUT THAT INTENT SP627, L.D.1959, PRESENTED BY KATZ OF KENNEBEC, EDUCATION O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-31-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 693.

EDUCATION (C O N T ' D)

POST-GRADUATE

MEDICAL PROFESSIONS

AN ACT RELATING TO POST-GRADUATE EDUCATION IN THE FIELD OF MEDICINE, DENTISTRY, OPTOMETRY AND VETERINARY MEDICINE SP626, L.D.1958, PRESENTED BY KATZ OF KENNEBEC, EDUCATION HEARING 1-9-78; OTP-ND SP732 LD2177 ACCEPTED
NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; SP732, L.D.2177, PRESENTED BY KATZ OF KENNEBEC, EDUCATION AMENDED BY; SB S-552, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 703.

PROVISIONS REVISED

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE EDUCATION LAWS HP2018, L.D.2093, PRESENTED BY LYNCH OF LIVERMORE FALLS, EDUCATION HEARING 2-2-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; HA H-1148, HA/HA H-1211, SA/HA S-592, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-30-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 690.

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ELECTIONS

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CAMPAIGN REPORTS/FINANCES

REPORTS,REQUIREMENTS

AN ACT TO CLARIFY REPORTING REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAW AND TO CORRECT OTHER OVERSIGHTS IN THAT LAW HP1910, L.D.1971, PRESENTED BY A BOUDREAU OF PORTLAND, ELECTION LAWS HEARING 1-17-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-966, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 589.

ELECTRICIANS

LICENSES AND PERMITS

RENEWAL

AN ACT TO EXEMPT AN ELECTRICIAN WHO FAILS TO RENEW HIS LICENSE FROM REEXAMINATION FOR A PERIOD OF 5 YEARS SP639, L.D.1998, PRESENTED BY FARLEY OF YORK, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-27-78; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

ELECTRICITY

SEE ALSO SALES AND USE

TAX

SEE ALSO TAXATION, LD1948

SALE TO PUBLIC UTILITIES

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICITY TO PUBLIC UTILITIES (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1803 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2036, L.D.2100, ENERGY HEARING 2-2-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1047, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 633.

SITE LOCATION APPLICATION

POSTING BOND

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE POSTING OF BONDS BY ELECTRIC COMPANIES WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR CERTAIN LICENSES OR PERMITS HP1925, L.D.1986, PRESENTED BY S HUBER OF FALMOUTH, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 1-25-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-986, SB/CA S-466, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 623.

ELEVATORS AND TRAMWAYS

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EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW

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FAIRS, DEPT (LD2103)

APPEALS

AN ACT TO AMEND THE APPEAL PROCEDURES IN THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW SP628, L.D.1960, PRESENTED BY MCNALLY OF HANCOCK, LABOR HEARING 1-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-429, HA H-960, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 1-31-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 587.

VENUE

AN ACT TO REVISE THE VENUE PROVISIONS OF THE MAINE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION APPEALS PROCEDURE HP1871, L.D.1928, PRESENTED BY GARSOE OF CUMBERLAND, JUDICIARY RE-REFERRED TO LABOR HEARING 2-2-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 666.

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW (C O N T ' D)

CONTRIBUTION METHOD

SCHOOL COMMITTEES

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL SCHOOL COMMITTEES TO ELECT THE METHOD OF FUNDING UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION HP1932, L.D.2000, PRESENTED BY GARSOE OF CUMBERLAND, LABOR HEARING 1-12-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-964, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 1-23-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 585.

CONTRIBUTION RATES

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH RATES OF CONTRIBUTION IN PROPORTION TO USE UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAWS HP1957, L.D.2039, PRESENTED BY LEWIS OF AUBURN, LABOR HEARING 2-2-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

SUPPLEMENTAL WAGES

ADULT EDUCATION TEACHERS

AN ACT RELATING TO ELIGIBILITY OF ADULT EDUCATION INSTRUCTORS UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAWS HP1933, L.D.1999, PRESENTED BY BEAULIEU OF PORTLAND, LABOR HEARING 1-12-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

ENERGY RESOURCES

SOLAR WATER HEATER

DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SOLAR WATER HEATER DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM FOR MAINE (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1803 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2038, L.D.2102, ENERGY HEARING 2-2-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1038, SA S-611, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 685.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

SEE ALSO WATER POLLUTION

CONTROL

DEPARTMENT

ORGANIZATION

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY IN THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION HP1949, L.D.2028, PRESENTED BY BLODGETT OF WALDOBCRO, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-17-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-976, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 596.

ERRORS
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EXCISE TAXES
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FAMILY VIOLENCE
EMERGENCY SERVICES

AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO ESTABLISH EMERGENCY SHELTERS FOR FAMILY MEMBERS WHO ARE VICTIMS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE HP1979, L.D.2074, PRESENTED BY TRAFTON OF AUBURN, CO-SPONSORED BY PERKINS OF BLUE HILL, M NELSON OF PORTLAND, K GOODWIN OF BATH, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 2-2-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1152, SA/CA S-610, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED HOUSE VETO-OVERRIDDEN SENATE VETO-SUSTAINED.

FARM AND OPEN SPACE LAND
SEE STATUTES,LD2199

FARM MACHINERY
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FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION
INVESTMENT/DEBTS

AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT CAPABILITIES AND DEBT MANAGEMENT OF THE STATE HP1975, L.D.2061, PRESENTED BY J MARTIN OF EAGLE LAKE, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-30-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1098, SA S-517, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED HOUSE VETO-SUSTAINED.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
INSURANCE EXEMPTION
QUALIFICATION INCREASED

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT WHICH QUALIFIES A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION FOR EXEMPTION FROM INSURANCE OF DEPOSITS ON ACCOUNTS HP1862, L.D.1920, PRESENTED BY CLARK OF FREEPORT, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-13-78; MAJORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; HA H-1013, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 621.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (C O N T * D)

MUTUAL HOLDING COMPANIES

AN ACT RELATING TO THE ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION OF
MUTUAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTION HOLDING COMPANIES SP633,
L.D.1992, PRESENTED BY SNOE OF ANDROSCOGGIN, BUSINESS
LEGISLATION HEARING 1-27-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

FIRE AND FIRE PREVENTION

SPRINKLER SYSTEMS

HOTELS

AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSTALLATION OF SPRINKLER
SYSTEMS IN ALL NEW AND EXISTING HOTELS HP1995,
L.D.2066, PRESENTED BY BEAULIEU OF PORTLAND, BUSINESS
LEGISLATION HEARING 2-3-78; OTP-ND HP2195 LD2178 NEW
TITLE ACCEPTED

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSTALLATION OF
SMOKE AND HEAT DETECTION SYSTEMS IN CERTAIN HOTELS NEW
TITLE; AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSTALLATION OF SMOKE,
HEAT OR FIRE DETECTION SYSTEMS IN CERTAIN HOTELS
HP2195, L.D. 2178, PRESENTED BY BEAULIEU OF PORTLAND,
BUSINESS LEGISLATION AMENDED BY; SC (CHANGED TITLE)
S-545, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 665

FISH AND GAME

RESIDENT DEFINED

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF RESIDENCE FOR
PURPOSES OF THE INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE LAWS
SP620, L.D.1908, PRESENTED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC,
CO-SPONSORED BY REDMOND OF SOMERSET, CUMMINGS OF
PENOBSCOT, FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE HEARING 1-6-78;
O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-14-78;
PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 600.

FISHING EQUIPMENT

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FOOD

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FOOD STAMPS

ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE TO ASSUME ALL ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS FOR THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM HP1972, L.D.2057, PRESENTED BY BURNS OF NO ANSON, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 1-26-78; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

FORCE

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FORESTRY

SPRUCE BUDWORM CONTROL

AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE OPERATION OF THE SPRUCE BUDWORM SUPPRESSION ACT SP678, L.D.2095, PRESENTED BY REDMOND OF SOMERSET, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 2-3-78; (HOUSE ACCEPTED OTP-AM) (O.N.T.P.) (OTP-AM) IN HOUSE-ENGROSSED AS AMENDED IN SENATE- ADHERE TO INDEF PP DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

FRANKLIN COUNTY

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GEORGE STEVENS ACADEMY

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GRAY WATER DISTRICT

CHARTER AMENDMENT

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE GRAY WATER DISTRICT HP1967, L.D.2048, PRESENTED BY CLARK OF FREEPORT, CO-SPONSORED BY CUNNINGHAM OF NEW GLOUCESTER, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-31-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-27-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 93.

GUARDIAN AND WARD

SEE ALSO STATUTES, LD2199
LIMITED GUARDIANSHIP

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR LIMITED GUARDIANSHIP HP1991,
L.D.2064, PRESENTED BY NORRIS OF BREWER, JUDICIARY
HEARING 1-30-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA
H-1049, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 627.

GUILFORD-SANGERVILLE

WATER DISTRICT
INCORPORATION

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CHARTER OF THE
GUILFORD-SANGERVILLE WATER DISTRICT HP2161, L.D.2170,
PRESENTED BY LOCKE OF SEBEC, PUBLIC UTILITIES
ENGROSSED WITHOUT REF.; AMENDED BY; SA S-537,
EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-21-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT.
98.

HAGUE INTERNATIONAL

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HANCOCK COUNTY

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HANDICAPPED PERSONS

PRESCHOOL SERVICES

AN ACT CONCERNING PILOT PROJECTS FOR MORE EFFECTIVE
AND EFFICIENT DELIVERY OF SERVICES TO PRE-SCHOOL
HANDICAPPED CHILDREN (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY
ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP528) SP684, L.D.2106, EDUCATION
HEARING 2-7-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-465,
EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-30-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT.
104.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO REGULATE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS
AND WASTES AND TO PROVIDE FOR A UNIFORM RESPONSE
SYSTEM TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EMERGENCIES NEW TITLE;
AN ACT TO REGULATE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS AND TO PROVIDE
FOR A REPORTING SYSTEM TO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS
EMERGENCIES HP1958, L.D.2040, PRESENTED BY DRINKWATER
OF BELFAST, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 2-1-78; OTP-AM
ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1025,
ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 622.

HEALTH CARE
CATASTROPHIC ILLNESS
MEDICALLY NEEDY

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CATASTROPHIC ILLNESS AND MEDICALLY NEEDY PROGRAMS HP1911, L.O.1972, PRESENTED BY H GOODWIN OF SOUTH BERWICK, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-26-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1046, HA/CA H-1063, SA/CA S-612, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 714.

CERTIFICATE OF NEED

THIS BILL WAS HELD OVER FROM THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION; AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATE OF NEED SP384, L.O.1358, PRESENTED BY SNOVE OF ANDROSCOGGIN, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 5-17-77; MAJORITY OTP-ND SP652 LD2013 ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-ND SP653 LD2014)

CONSIDERED BY SECOND REGULAR SESSION; HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES MAJORITY OTP-ND SP652 LD2013 ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-ND SP653 LD2014)

NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; SP652, L.O.2013, PRESENTED BY SNOVE OF ANDROSCOGGIN, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES AMENDED BY; SB S-433, SF S-448, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-30-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 687.

THIS BILL WAS HELD OVER FROM THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION; AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MAINE CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROGRAM HP724, L.O.1202, PRESENTED BY NAJARIAN OF PORTLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY KERRY OLD ORCHARD BEACH, PALMER OF NOBLEBORO, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 5-17-77; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

CONSIDERED BY SECOND REGULAR SESSION; HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES LV/WD ACCEPTED.

MEDICALLY NEEDY PROGRAM
REIMBURSEMENT

AN ACT TO ALLOW INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES TO BE REIMBURSED UNDER THE MEDICALLY NEEDY PROGRAM HP1915, L.O.1976, PRESENTED BY BRENERMAN OF PORTLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY KERRY OF OLD ORCHARD BEACH, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-26-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1068, SA/CA S-609, EMERG. ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 719.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE HEALTH FACILITIES INFORMATION DISCLOSURE ACT (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP599 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) SP695, L.D.2136, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 2-14-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM) AMENDED BY; CA S-538, HG/CA H-1220, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 691.

LICENSES AND PERMITS

THIS BILL WAS HELD OVER FROM THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION; AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO LICENSE AND MAKE DIRECT REIMBURSEMENTS TO FREESTANDING HEALTH CLINICS HP1471, L.D.1721, PRESENTED BY NAJARIAN OF PORTLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY SPENCER OF SEBAGO LAKE, VALENTINE OF YORK HARBOR, KANY OF WATERVILLE, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 5-23-77; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED. CONSIDERED BY SECOND REGULAR SESSION; HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

HERCIN

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HOSPITALS

SEE STATUTES, LD2199

HOTELS

SEE FIRE AND FIRE PRE-
VENTION

HOULTON

BOND ISSUE

ACQUIRE RICKER ASSETS

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY THE TOWN OF HOULTON TO ACQUIRE CERTAIN ASSETS OF RICKER COLLEGE HP2314, L.D.2208, PRESENTED BY PELTIER OF HOULTON, EDUCATION OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1229, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-30-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 105.

HOUSING AUTHORITY, STATE
BONDING LIMIT

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE BONDING LIMIT OF THE MAINE STATE HOUSING AUTHORITY HP1880, L.D.1934, PRESENTED BY NAJARIAN OF PORTLAND, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-10-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; SA S-446, EMERG. ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 601.

HUMAN RIGHTS
COMMISSION

SUBPOENA POWERS

AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE EARLY RESOLUTION OF DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINTS AND TO CLARIFY THE SUBPOENA POWER OF THE MAINE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP575 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) SP664, L.D.2044, PERFORMANCE AUDIT HEARING 2-1-78; OTP-ND SP703 LD2150 ACCEPTED NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; SP703, L.D.2150, PERFORMANCE AUDIT AMENDED BY; SA S-478, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 648.

INCOME TAX

SEE ALSO STATUTES, LD2199

SEE ALSO TAXATION, LD1948

CREDIT

AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PERSONAL INCOME TAX CREDIT HP1881, L.D.1935, PRESENTED BY PALMER OF NOBLEBORO, TAXATION HEARING 1-11-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

EXEMPT SMALL BUSINESS IN-
VESTMENT COMPANIES

AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE THE FORMATION OF SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT COMPANIES SP675, L.D.2083, PRESENTED BY CHAPMAN OF SAGadahoc, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 2-3-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 640.

RATES

AN ACT TO REDUCE THE CURRENT MAINE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX RATES HP2035, L.D.2099, PRESENTED BY CAREY OF WATERVILLE, CO-SPONSORED BY PALMER OF NOBLEBORO, TWITCHELL OF NORWAY, TAXATION HEARING 2-16-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.T.P.)

INCOME TAX
REBATES

(C O N T • D)

RESOLVE, DIRECTING THE BUREAU OF TAXATION TO PROVIDE INCOME TAX REBATES HP2034, L.D.2098, PRESENTED BY PALMER OF NOBLEBORO, CO-SPONSORED BY CAREY OF WATERTOWN, CUNNINGHAM OF NEW GLOUCESTER, TAXATION HEARING 2-16-78; (MAJORITY O.T.P.) MINORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED

RETIREMENT CREDIT

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A RETIREMENT INCOME TAX CREDIT THAT IS EQUAL TO 20% OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT SP622, L.D.1910, PRESENTED BY SPEERS OF KENNEBEC, CO-SPONSORED BY CONLEY OF CUMBERLAND, TAXATION HEARING 1-11-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

INDIANS

PENOBSCOT HOUSING

ACCESS ROAD, APPROPRIATION

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO CONSTRUCT AN ACCESS ROAD TO THE PHASE 2 HOUSING PROJECT ON THE PENOBSCOT TRIBAL RESERVATION NEW TITLE; AN ACT ALLOCATING FUNDS TO CONSTRUCT AN ACCESS ROAD TO THE PHASE 2 HOUSING PROJECT ON THE PENOBSCOT TRIBAL RESERVATION HP1916, L.D.1977, PRESENTED BY PEARSON OF OLD TOWN, HUMAN RESOURCES HEARING 1-18-78; RE-REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION HEARING 2-1-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1018, ENACTED, P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 103.

INDIGENT PERSONS

MEDICAL CARE

APPEALS

AN ACT TO EMPOWER ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICERS TO SIGN FAIR HEARING DECISIONS HP1945, L.D.2024, PRESENTED BY STUBBS OF HALLOWELL, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-17-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 594.

ELIGIBILITY

AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSFER OF PROPERTY FOR CERTAIN RECIPIENTS OF MEDICAL CARE HP1944, L.D.2023, PRESENTED BY STUBBS OF HALLOWELL, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-17-78; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

INDIGENT PERSONS (C O N T • D)
SUPPORT

MUNICIPAL REIMBURSEMENT

AN ACT TO INCREASE STATE REIMBURSEMENT FOR THE NET COSTS OF LOCAL GENERAL ASSISTANCE HP1859, L.D.1922, PRESENTED BY BRENERMAN OF PORTLAND, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 1-6-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM) AMENDED BY; CA H-1164, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 717.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMM
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TION

INSULATION
CELLULOSE FIBER
STANDARDS

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS TO PROTECT MAINE CONSUMERS AGAINST UNSAFE AND IMPROPERLY MANUFACTURED CELLULOSE FIBER INSULATION HP1998, L.D.2079, PRESENTED BY S HUBER OF FALMOUTH, CO-SPONSORED BY JALBERT OF LEWISTON, HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, PERKINS OF BLUE HILL, ENERGY HEARING 2-7-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY: CA H-1045, HA/CA H-1101, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-14-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 639.

CONTRACTORS

LICENSES AND PERMITS

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE LICENSING OF INSULATION INSTALLERS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1803 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) NEW TITLE; AN ACT TO REQUIRE CONTRACTS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF INSULATION (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1803 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP1941, L.D.2105, ENERGY HEARING 2-7-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1115, HA/CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1125, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 660.

INSURANCE

SEE ALSO FINANCIAL IN-
STITUTIONS

SEE ALSO STATUTES, LD2199

ACCIDENT/HEALTH (GROUP)
COVERAGE

AN ACT TO ASSURE CONTINUED INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR ALL CLAIMS INCURRED ON CERTAIN GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES HP1863, L.D.1921, PRESENTED BY CARROLL OF LIMERICK, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-13-78; OTP-ND HP2131 LD1921 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED
RESOLVE, TO ESTABLISH A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE UNDER CERTAIN GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES HP2131, L.D.2156, PRESENTED BY CARROLL OF LIMERICK, BUSINESS LEGISLATION FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 66.

RENEWAL, NUMBER REQUIRED

AN ACT CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO BE COVERED BY AN EXISTING GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY FOR ITS RENEWAL OR REPLACEMENT SP689, L.D.2123, PRESENTED BY CONLEY OF CUMBERLAND, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 2-16-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; HA H-1134, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 655.

CREDIT LIFE AND HEALTH

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CREDIT LIFE AND CREDIT HEALTH INSURANCE LAWS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1819 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP1954, L.D.2033, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 2-10-78; OTP-ND HP2233 LD2191 ACCEPTED
NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; HP2233, L.D.2191, BUSINESS LEGISLATION ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 672.

LIFE INSURANCE

NET COST COMPARISON

AN ACT REQUIRING NET COST COMPARISON OF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES HP1973, L.D.2058, PRESENTED BY PERKINS OF BLUE HILL, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 2-3-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.T.P.)

INSURANCE (C O N T * D)
 MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
 ARBITRATION

AN ACT TO LOWER THE COSTS OF MEDICAL MALPRACTICE ARBITRATION HP1964, L.D.2051, PRESENTED BY TIERNEY OF LISBON FALLS, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-30-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED (OTP-AM) (OTP-AM) AMENDED BY; CB H-1121, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-20-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 662.

CANCELLATION BY INSURED

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT RELATING TO MALPRACTICE INSURANCE COMPANIES NEW TITLE; AN ACT AMENDING THE MAINE MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL MALPRACTICE JOINT UNDERWRITING ASSOCIATION ACT SP638, L.D.1997, PRESENTED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-27-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) S-500, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 643.

MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE
 HEARING ON NONRENEWAL

AN ACT TO RESTORE NOTICE TO POLICYHOLDERS OF RIGHT TO A HEARING UPON RENEWAL OF THEIR AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE POLICY SP613, L.D.1901, PRESENTED BY CHAPMAN OF SAGADAHOE, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-13-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 597.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT
 SEE ALSO CONSTITUTION OF
 MAINE
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 COURT OFFICERS
 REIMBURSE COUNTIES

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT TO REIMBURSE COUNTIES QUARTERLY FOR THE EXPENSES OF BAILIFFS AND OTHER COURT AND JURY OFFICERS HP2110, L.D.2143, PRESENTED BY BURNS OF NO ANSON, JUDICIARY HEARING 2-22-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1109, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 705.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT (C O N T ' D)
 RESPONSIBILITY/DISABILITY
 COMMITTEE

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT TO ESTABLISH BY RULE A COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL RESPONSIBILITY AND DISABILITY (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1730 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP1900, L.D.1957, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-10-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 638.

JUVENILE CODE
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KENNEBEC COUNTY
 SEE ALSO COUNTIES

KENNEBUNK SEWER DISTRICT
 INDEBTEDNESS

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZED INDEBTEDNESS OF THE KENNEBUNK SEWER DISTRICT AND TO LIMIT THE USE OF THAT INCREASE HP2012, L.D.2087, PRESENTED BY MCMAHON OF KENNEBUNK, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1011, ENACTED, P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 91.

KNOX COUNTY
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LABOR AND INDUSTRY
 STATISTICS

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO REQUIRE COMPENSATION OF STATE AGENCIES IN COMPILING LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL STATISTICS FOR THE BUREAU OF LABOR (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP598 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) NEW TITLE; AN ACT TO REQUIRE COOPERATION OF STATE AGENCIES IN COMPILING LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL STATISTICS FOR THE BUREAU OF LABOR (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP598 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) SP642, L.D.2009, LABOR HEARING 2-2-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-454, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 615.

LABOR RELATIONS

SEE ALSO SCHOOLS/SCHOOL
DISTRICTS

INSTITUTIONAL EMPLOYEES
AFSCME, COUNCIL 74

AN ACT TO PROVIDE COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS AGREED TO BY THE STATE AND COUNCIL 74, AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES, (AFSCME) FOR EMPLOYEES IN THE INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES BARGAINING UNIT HP2273, L.D.2202, PRESENTED BY K GOODWIN OF BATH, CO-SPONSORED BY MORTON OF FARMINGTON, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS, O.T.P. ACCEPTED, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-29-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 102.

STATE EMPLOYEES
EXEMPT AG STAFF

AN ACT CLARIFYING THE DEFINITION OF STATE EMPLOYEE UNDER THE STATE EMPLOYEES LABOR RELATIONS ACT SO AS TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN ATTORNEYS EMPLOYED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE HP1940, L.D.2020, PRESENTED BY GARSOE OF CUMBERLAND, LABOR HEARING 2-2-78; (MAJORITY OTP-AM) MINORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-14-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 642.

STATE TROOPERS ASSOC

COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS

AN ACT TO PROVIDE COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS AGREED TO BY THE STATE AND THE MAINE STATE TROOPERS ASSOCIATION HP2138, L.D.2165, PRESENTED BY K GOODWIN OF BATH, CO-SPONSORED BY MORTON OF FARMINGTON, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 3-6-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

COMPENSATION AND SALARIES

AN ACT TO PROVIDE COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS AGREED TO BY THE STATE AND THE MAINE STATE TROOPERS ASSOCIATION HP2200, L.D.2179, PRESENTED BY K GOODWIN OF BATH, CO-SPONSORED BY MORTON OF FARMINGTON, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-21-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 97.

LABOR RELATIONS (C O N T " D)
TEACHERS

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING LAWS FOR TEACHERS AND TO ESTABLISH A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE PROBLEMS RELATING THERETO SP752, L.D.2203, PRESENTED BY TROTZKY OF PENOBSCOT, EDUCATION IN HOUSE- SEE LD 2155 IN SENATE- INDEFINITELY POSTPONED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE
VOC-TECH BARGAINING UNIT

AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIVERSITY OF MAINE LABOR RELATIONS ACT HP1919, L.D.1980, PRESENTED BY P BOUDREAU OF WATERVILLE, LABOR HEARING 2-2-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-1083, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 641.

LAND
CONVEY INTEREST OF STATE
BANGOR

RESOLVE, TO TRANSFER A LAND PARCEL FROM THE BANGOR MENTAL HEALTH INSTITUTE TO THE REGION 4 VOCATIONAL DISTRICT SP631, L.D.1990, PRESENTED BY TROTZKY OF PENOBSCOT, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-12-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-441, SA/CA S-442, FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 63.

MACHIAS

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE ATLANTIC SEA RUN SALMON COMMISSION TO GRANT CERTAIN EASEMENT ON STATE LAND TO THE MACHIAS FIRST CORPORATION HP1950, L.D.2029, PRESENTED BY N NELSON OF ROQUE BLUFFS, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-17-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

THOMASTON

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE SALE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND CORRECTIONS OF A CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND ADJACENT TO THE STATE PRISON OF THOMASTON TO ALLAN L ROBBINS AND VERLA W ROBBINS HP1926, L.D.1987, PRESENTED BY GRAY OF ROCKLAND, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-12-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-967, FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 61.

LAND (C O N T • D)

EXCHANGE PUBLIC LAND

ST REGIS PAPER COMPANY

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE EXCHANGE OF CERTAIN PUBLIC RESERVED LANDS (ST REGIS PAPER COMPANY) HP2136, L.D.2158, PRESENTED BY J MARTIN OF EAGLE LAKE, CO-SPONSORED BY PALMER OF NOBLEBORO, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 3-8-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 76.

EXCHANGE STATE LAND

SOUTH PORTLAND

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES TO EXCHANGE CERTAIN LANDS AT SOUTHERN MAINE VOCATIONAL- TECHNICAL INSTITUTE SP660, L.D.2037, PRESENTED BY CONLEY OF CUMBERLAND, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-23-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-462, FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 65.

LEASE RIGHT OF WAY

AUGUSTA

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC LANDS TO LEASE THE RIGHT TO LAY AND MAINTAIN A CERTAIN RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR 40 YEARS HP1960, L.D.2043, PRESENTED BY HICKEY OF AUGUSTA, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-16-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-968, FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 62.

LAND USE REGULATIONS

JURISDICTION

LOGGING ROADS

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LAND USE REGULATION COMMISSION TO SET CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS FOR LOGGING ROADS IN TERRITORY UNDER ITS JURISDICTION HP1923, L.D.1984, PRESENTED BY BLODGETT OF WALDOBORO, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 2-1-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

SEE ASSAULT

LAW ENFORCEMENT (C O N T * D)
 SEE CORRECTIONS
 SEE COUNTIES

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS
 SOLICITATION

AN ACT TO PERMIT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO MAKE LIMITED SOLICITATIONS FOR ADVERTISING IN PUBLICATIONS OR PERIODICALS TO BE PUBLISHED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, AGENCIES OR ASSOCIATIONS HP1861, L.D.1919, PRESENTED BY HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-13-78; OTP-ND HP2153 LD2167 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED

AN ACT TO PERMIT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, AGENCIES AND ASSOCIATIONS TO MAKE LIMITED SOLICITATIONS FOR ADVERTISING IN OR PURCHASE OF CERTAIN PUBLICATIONS PUBLISHED BY THEM HP2153, L.D.2167, PRESENTED BY HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, BUSINESS LEGISLATION AMENDED BY; HA H-1104, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED HOUSE VETO-SUSTAINED.

LEGISLATURE
 EXPENSES

AN ACT TO REVISE THE METHOD OF COMPUTING LEGISLATORS' EXPENSES HP1996, L.D.2077, PRESENTED BY GREENLAW OF STONINGTON, CO-SPONSORED BY HALL OF DOVER-FOXCROFT, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 1-31-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1166, IN HOUSE- INSIST ON ENG W/CA IN SENATE- ENGROSSMENT FAILED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
 APPORTIONMENT

RESOLVE, TO AMEND THE APPORTIONMENT OF MULTIMEMBER DISTRICTS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES INTO SINGLE MEMBER DISTRICTS HP1906, L.D.1967, PRESENTED BY CURRAN OF SOUTH PORTLAND, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-10-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG. FINALLY PASSED APPROVED 2-8-78; RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 60.

LICENSES AND PERMITS

AN ACT TO FACILITATE CENTRAL LICENSING AND CONCERNING
MEMBERSHIP ON THE MAINE ATHLETIC COMMISSION HP1908,
L.D.1969, PRESENTED BY A BOUDREAU OF PORTLAND,
BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING 1-27-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED
AMENDED BY; CA H-1128, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED
3-29-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 682.

LINCOLN COUNTY
SEE COUNTIES

LINCOLNVILLE
SEE SCHOOLS/SCHOOL DIS-
TRICTS

MACHIAS
SEE LAND

MAGALLOWAY PLANTATION
SEE SCHOOLS/SCHOOL DIS-
TRICTS

MAINE MARITIME ACADEMY
LEAVITT HALL RENOVATION
BOND ISSUE

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A BOND ISSUE IN THE AMOUNT OF
\$500,000 FOR USE BY THE MAINE MARITIME ACADEMY FOR THE
RENOVATION OF LEAVITT HALL AT THE ACADEMY HP2313,
L.D.2207, PRESENTED BY GREENLAW OF STONINGTON,
EDUCATION LV/WD ACCEPTED.

MAINE TURNPIKE
ADMINISTRATION/OPERATION

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION AND OPERATION OF
THE MAINE TURNPIKE (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY
ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1830 AUTHORIZED BY THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2063, L.D.2126, TRANSPORTATION
HEARING 2-9-78; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

MAINE TURNPIKE (C O N T " D)
AUTHORITY

POWERS AND DUTIES

AN ACT TO REVISE THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE MAINE TURNPIKE AUTHORITY AND TO PROVIDE COMMUTER PASSES FOR TURNPIKE USERS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1830 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2061, L.D.2124, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 2-9-78; O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED.

PROVISIONS REVISED

AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAINE TURNPIKE AUTHORITY (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER;JOINT ORDER HP1830 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2062, L.D.2125, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 2-9-78; OTP-ND HP2132 LD2157 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED

AN ACT TO REVISE THE ADMINISTRATION AND TOLL SYSTEM OF THE MAINE TURNPIKE (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1830 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2132, L.D.2157, TRANSPORTATION AMENDED BY; HF H-1096, SC S-511, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 658.

MALPRACTICE INSURANCE
SEE INSURANCE

MANPOWER AFFAIRS,DEPT
ADMINISTRATION

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MANPOWER AFFAIRS SP683, L.D.2103, PRESENTED BY MCNALLY OF HANCOCK, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-532, SA/CA S-546, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 675.

MARIJUANA
SEE DRUGS AND DRUGGISTS

MARINE RESOURCES
CLAMS

MINIMUM SIZE

RESOLVE, DIRECTING THE COMMISSION OF MARINE RESOURCES TO NOTIFY MUNICIPALITIES OF THE MINIMUM SIZE LIMITATION PROVISION OF THE MUNICIPAL SHELLFISH CONSERVATION PROGRAM (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; SP700) SP736, L.D.2186, MARINE RESOURCES SENATE ACCEPTED O.T.P. IN HOUSE- ADHERE TO INDEF PP IN SENATE- ADHERED TO ENG DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

MARINE RESOURCES (C O N T ' D)
CLAMS

MINIMUM SIZE

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A TWO-INCH MINIMUM SIZE FOR SOFT-SHELL CLAMS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A JOINT ORDER; SP700) SP737, L.D.2187, MARINE RESOURCES; THIS IS THE MINORITY REPORT OF THE MARINE RESOURCES COMMITTEE; SEE SP736, L.D.2186.

PROVISIONS REVISED

THIS BILL WAS HELD OVER FROM THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION; AN ACT TO REVISE THE LAWS CONCERNING MARINE RESOURCES HP1321, L.D.1640, PRESENTED BY POST OF OWLS HEAD, MARINE RESOURCES HEARING 1-10-77; OTP-ND HP2146 LD2166 ACCEPTED (O.T.P.)

CONSIDERED BY SECOND REGULAR SESSION; MARINE RESOURCES RECOMMITTED TO MARINE RESOURCES HEARING 1-10-78; OTP-ND HP2146 LD2166 ACCEPTED (O.T.P.)

NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; HP2146, L.D.2166, PRESENTED BY POST OF OWLS HEAD, MARINE RESOURCES AMENDED BY; HA H-1112, HA/HA H-1113, SB/HA S-525, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 661.

AN ACT MAKING CERTAIN SUBSTANTIVE REVISIONS TO THE MARINE RESOURCES STATUTES HP1939, L.D.2019, PRESENTED BY GREENLAW OF STONINGTON, MARINE RESOURCES HEARING 1-16-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; HA H-1214, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 713.

PURSE SEINES

WASHINGTON COUNTY

AN ACT TO REMOVE RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF PURSE SEINES FOR FISHING IN WASHINGTON COUNTY HP1877, L.D.1931, PRESENTED BY MILLS OF EASTPORT, MARINE RESOURCES HEARING 1-5-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

SHELLFISH CONSERVATION

MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY

THIS BILL WAS HELD OVER FROM THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION; AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND LIMIT THE AUTHORITY OF MUNICIPALITIES TO ESTABLISH SHELLFISH CONSERVATION PROGRAMS AND TO LICENSE AND REGULATE THE TAKING OF SHELLFISH HP715, L.D.851, PRESENTED BY BLODGETT OF WALDOBORO, CO-SPONSORED BY HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, MARINE RESOURCES HEARING 4-26-77; (O.N.T.P.) (O.T.P.) (OTP-AM) RECOMMITTED TO MARINE RESOURCES
CONSIDERED BY SECOND REGULAR SESSION; MARINE RESOURCES (OTP-AM) (O.N.T.P.) RECOMMITTED TO MARINE RESOURCES HEARING 1-5-78; (HOUSE ACCEPTED OTP-AM) (O.N.T.P.)
IN HOUSE- INSIST ON ENG W/CC AS AM BY HA IN SENATE- ADHERED TO INDEF PP DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

MARINE RESOURCES (C O N T * D)
SHELLFISH CONSERVATION
MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY

MARRIAGE COUNSELORS
CERTIFICATION

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE CERTIFICATION OF MARRIAGE
COUNSELORS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT
ORDER HP1825 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL)
HP1899, L.D.1956, BUSINESS LEGISLATION HEARING
1-13-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
SEE INSURANCE

MEDICALLY NEEDY
SEE HEALTH CARE

MENTAL HEALTH/CORRECTIONS
SEE ALSO LABOR RELATIONS
MEDICAL CARE

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF
INSTITUTIONS TO PROVIDE MEDICAL CARE HP1992, L.D.2067,
PRESENTED BY PRESCOTT OF BANGOR, HEALTH &
INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 2-3-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

RECORDS
DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

AN ACT TO CLARIFY STATUTES RELATING TO THE
CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE RECORDS OF MENTAL HEALTH AND
CORRECTIONS SP662, L.D.2042, PRESENTED BY SNOWE OF
ANDROSCOGGIN, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING
1-24-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

MENTAL HEALTH/RETARDATION
IMPROVEMENT FUND
REPEAL

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE MENTAL HEALTH
AND MENTAL RETARDATION IMPROVEMENT FUND AND MAKE
APPROPRIATION FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO CONTINUE
EXISTING PROGRAMS; NEW TITLE; AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE
MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL RETARDATION IMPROVEMENT FUND
AND MAKE PROVISION FOR FUTURE FUNDING OF EXISTING
PROGRAMS FROM THE GENERAL FUND HP2010, L.D. 2085,
PRESENTED BY NAJARIAN OF PORTLAND, APPROPRIATIONS &
FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 2-3-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED
AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1147, SA/CA S-593,
ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 680

MENTALLY ILL PERSONS
ADMISSION PROCEDURES

AN ACT TO CLARIFY PROCEDURES FOR EMERGENCY ADMISSION TO HOSPITALS FOR MENTALLY ILL HP1997, L.D.2078, PRESENTED BY H GOODWIN OF SOUTH BERWICK, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 2-3-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-1054, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 629.

MENTALLY RETARDED PERSONS
SEE PINELAND CENTER

MESSALONSKEE LAKE
SEE OAKLAND

MID-STATE BUSINESS SCHOOL
DEGREES

AN ACT AUTHORIZING MID-STATE BUSINESS SCHOOL, INC., TO CONFER ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREES SP636, L.D.1995, PRESENTED BY SNOWE OF ANDROSCOGGIN, EDUCATION HEARING 2-1-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

MILITARY FORCES
SEE STATUTES, LD2199

MOBILE HOMES
SEE ALSO ATTACHMENT
TAXATION

AN ACT TO CORRECT THE INEQUITABLE TAXATION OF MOBILE AND MODULAR HOMES HP1976, L.D.2059, PRESENTED BY A BOUDREAU OF PORTLAND, TAXATION HEARING 2-1-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1092, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 716.

MORTGAGES
FORECLOSURE PROCEDURE

AN ACT TO AMEND FORECLOSURE PROCEEDINGS BY CIVIL ACTIONS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1574 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP1977, L.D.2062, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-30-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1024, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 618.

MORTIMER, BEVERLY
SEE CLAIMS

MOTOR CARRIERS
BRAKES

AGRICULTURAL VEHICLES

AN ACT CONCERNING BRAKE REQUIREMENTS ON AGRICULTURAL VEHICLES HP1857, L.D.1924, PRESENTED BY MCKEAN OF LIMESTONE, AGRICULTURE HEARING 1-11-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; HA H-977, HA/HA H-978, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 598.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE

AN ACT TO REPEAL CERTAIN LAWS RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL VEHICLES ENGAGED IN INTERSTATE COMMERCE SP629, L.D.1961, PRESENTED BY HEWES OF CUMBERLAND, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 1-12-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

WOOD PRODUCTS TRANSPORT

RESTRICTION, RECIPROCITY

AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSPORTATION OF PRIMARY WOOD PRODUCTS HP2162, L.D.2171, PRESENTED BY J S WYMAN OF PITTSFIELD, CO-SPONSORED BY HALL OF DOVER-FOXCROFT, LOCKE OF SEBEC, AUSTIN OF BINGHAM, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 3-8-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1153, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-27-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 676.

MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE
SEE INSURANCE

MOTOR VEHICLES

SEE ALSO MOTOR CARRIERS

SEE ALSO STATUTES, LD2199

BREATH TESTS

PORTABLE EQUIPMENT

AN ACT TO PERMIT PORTABLE BREATH TESTING EQUIPMENT HP1920, L.D.1981, PRESENTED BY DIAMOND OF WINDHAM, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-12-78; OTP-ND HP2054 LD2113 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED

AN ACT TO PERMIT SELF-CONTAINED BREATH TESTING EQUIPMENT HP2054, L.D.2113, PRESENTED BY DIAMOND OF WINDHAM, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 603.

MOTOR VEHICLES (C O N T ' D)
 CERTIFICATE OF TITLE
 EXEMPTIONS

AN ACT TO EXEMPT SPECIAL MOBILE EQUIPMENT FROM THE MOTOR VEHICLE TITLE STATUTES HP1901, L.D.1962, PRESENTED BY MCPHERSON OF ELIOT, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 1-12-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-980, HA/CA H-983, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 606.

DRIVERS' LICENSES
 VISION TEST REQUIREMENTS

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO REPEAL MANDATORY EYE TESTS FOR THE RENEWAL OF DRIVER'S LICENSES FOR ALL PERSONS OVER 40 NEW TITLE; AN ACT ESTABLISHING VISION TEST REQUIREMENTS FOR DRIVER LICENSE RENEWALS HP1884, L.D.1938, PRESENTED BY MACEACHERN OF LINCOLN, CO-SPONSORED BY PEAKES OF DEXTER, JACQUES OF LEWISTON, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 1-12-78; MAJORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; SB (CHANGED TITLE) S-451, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 620.

TRANSFER
 TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HP2079, L.D.2133, PRESENTED BY CURRAN OF SOUTH PORTLAND, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-22-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED BY SENATE MINORITY O.N.T.P. IN HOUSE- ADHERE TO INDEF PP IN SENATE- ENGROSSED AS AMENDED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

MUNICIPALITIES

SEE ALSO TREE GROWTH TAX
 PROVISION OF SERVICES
 PRIVATE SCHOOLS

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT AUTHORIZING MUNICIPALITIES TO PROVIDE TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER NONSECULAR SERVICES TO ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUPILS ATTENDING PRIVATE SCHOOLS NEW TITLE; AN ACT AUTHORIZING MUNICIPALITIES TO PROVIDE TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER SECULAR SERVICES TO ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUPILS ATTENDING PRIVATE SCHOOLS HP1889, L.D.1946, PRESENTED BY JALBERT OF LEWISTON, EDUCATION HEARING 1-18-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1041, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 637.

MUNICIPALITIES (C O N T • D)

PROVISION OF SERVICES

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE MUNICIPALITIES TO PROVIDE TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER NONSECULAR SERVICES TO ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY PUPILS ATTENDING PRIVATE SCHOOLS SP619, L.D.1907, PRESENTED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, EDUCATION HEARING 1-18-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

PROVISIONS CLARIFIED

AN ACT CLARIFYING THE STATUTES RELATING TO MUNICIPALITIES HP1921, L.D.1982, PRESENTED BY HENDERSON OF BANGOR, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-19-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1019, SA/CA S-468, SB/CA S-469, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-9-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 630.

TAX RELIEF

AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR CERTAIN MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS HP2096, L.D.2139, PRESENTED BY WOOD OF SPRINGVALE, CO-SPONSORED BY WILFONG OF STOW, MCMAHON OF KENNEBUNK, MACKEL OF WELLS, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS; HEARING 2-22-78 (MAJORITY O.N.T.F.) MINORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED, AMENDED BY: SB S-595, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED HOUSE VETO-OVERRIDDEN SENATE VETO-SUSTAINED.

MUTUAL HOLDING COMPANIES
SEE FINANCIAL INSTITU-
TIONS

NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE OF
OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
APPROPRIATION

AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE GRANT-LOAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND FOR POSITIONS AT THE NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE SP634, L.D.1993, PRESENTED BY SPEERS OF KENNEBEC, EDUCATION HEARING 1-18-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE OF (C O N T ' D)
OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
APPROPRIATION

AN ACT TO PROVIDE A \$250,000 GRANT TO THE NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE SP667, L.D.2055, PRESENTED BY SPEERS OF KENNEBEC, EDUCATION HEARING 2-2-78; MAJORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 715.

NEWPORT WATER DISTRICT
PURCHASE OF PROPERTY
EXTEND DEADLINE

AN ACT TO EXTEND UNTIL JULY 1, 1979, THE DATE FOR THE NEWPORT WATER DISTRICT TO PURCHASE THE PROPERTY OF THE MAINE WATER COMPANY SP686, L.D.2114, PRESENTED BY CUMMINGS OF PENOBSCOT, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 2-7-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-23-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 92.

NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS
SEE CORPORATIONS

NUISANCES
INSECT INFESTATION
LIABILITY

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR SPECIFIC LIABILITY FOR PERSONS OR CORPORATIONS CONTRIBUTING TO A PUBLIC NUISANCE SP658, L.D.2035, PRESENTED BY CARPENTER OF AROOSTOOK, CO-SPONSORED BY SPEERS OF KENNEBEC, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-23-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-464, HA/CA H-1084, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 645.

NURSING HOMES
PAYMENTS
PHYS/OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

AN ACT TO ALLOW NURSING HOMES TO PROVIDE PHYSICAL AND OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY TO RESIDENTS IN NEED OF THAT CARE HP1913, L.D.1974, PRESENTED BY KERRY OF OLD ORCHARD BEACH, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 1-26-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1066, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-16-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 646.

OAKLAND

LIABILITY

MESSALONSKEE FISH SCREEN

RESOLVE, TO TERMINATE ANY LIABILITY OF THE TOWN OF OAKLAND TO CLEAR DEBRIS FROM THE FISH SCREEN AT MESSALONSKEE LAKE HP1874, L.D.1911, PRESENTED BY BURNS OF NO ANSON, LEGAL AFFAIRS HEARING 1-5-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.T.P.)

OBSCENITY/PORNOGRAPHY

CHILD PORNOGRAPHY

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CHILD PORNOGRAPHY HP1937, L.D.2017, PRESENTED BY J S WYMAN OF PITTSFIELD, CO-SPONSORED BY HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, TRAFON OF AUBURN, MCMAHON OF KENNEBUNK, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-18-78; OTP-ND HP2106 LD2141 ACCEPTED

NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; HP2106, L.D.2141, PRESENTED BY J S WYMAN OF PITTSFIELD, CO-SPONSORED BY TRAFON OF AUBURN, HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, MCMAHON OF KENNEBUNK, JUDICIARY AMENDED BY; HD H-1064, HE H-1076, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 628.

OIL AND GAS

SEE ALSO TAXATION, LD1948

FUEL ADJUSTMENT CHARGES

AN ACT TO LIMIT FUEL ADJUSTMENT CHARGES TO ACTUAL CHANGES IN THE PRICE OF OIL HP1928, L.D.2001, PRESENTED BY SPENCER OF SEBAGO LAKE, CO-SPONSORED BY GREENLAW OF STONINGTON, WILFONG OF STOW, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-17-78; OTP-ND HP2092 LD2137 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED

AN ACT TO RESTRUCTURE THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE HP2092, L.D.2137, PRESENTED BY SPENCER OF SEBAGO LAKE, CO-SPONSORED BY GREENLAW OF STONINGTON, WILFONG OF STOW, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 689.

OIL BURNER MEN

INSPECTIONS

FUEL BURNING EQUIPMENT

AN ACT TO REVISE THE AUTHORITY OF THE OIL BURNER MEN'S LICENSING BOARD TO INSPECT AND APPROVE MOST FUEL BURNING EQUIPMENT (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1803 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2056, L.D.2120, ENERGY HEARING 2-7-78; MAJORITY OTP-ND HP2184 LD2176 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.)

AN ACT TO EMPOWER THE OIL BURNER MEN'S LICENSING BOARD TO INSPECT AND APPROVE COAL AND WOOD BURNING EQUIPMENT HP2184, L.D.2176, ENERGY AMENDED BY; HA H-1129, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 663.

OIL CONVEYANCE
SEE WATER POLLUTION CON-
TROL

OLD ORCHARD BEACH
BOUNDARY WITH SACO
AN ACT TO REVISE THE MUNICIPAL BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE
TOWN OF OLD ORCHARD BEACH AND THE CITY OF SACO HP1980,
L.O.2072, PRESENTED BY KERRY OF OLD ORCHARD BEACH,
LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-31-78; MAJORITY
O.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; HA
H-1213, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-29-78; P AND S LAWS,
CHAPT. 101.

OPERATING UNDER INFLUENCE
SEE TRAFFIC RULES/REGU-
LATIONS

OSTEOPATHS
SEE NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE

OTISFIELD
SEE ALSO STATUTES,LD2199
BONDED INDEBTEDNESS
LUMP SUM PAYMENT
AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OTISFIELD TO MEET ITS
OBLIGATIONS TO CUMBERLAND COUNTY FOR EXISTING BONDED
INDEBTEDNESS THROUGH A LUMP SUM PAYMENT HP1930,
L.O.2003, PRESENTED BY TARR OF BRIDGTON, LOCAL &
COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-19-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED
AMENDED BY; HA H-994, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-15-78;
P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 88.

OXFORD COUNTY
SEE COUNTIES

PARTNERSHIPS
SEE STATUTES,LD2199

PENOBSCOT COUNTY
SEE COUNTIES
SEE SCHOOLS/SCHOOL DISTRICTS

PERKINS, DENNIS
SEE CLAIMS

PINELAND CENTER
ADMISSION PROCEDURES
AN ACT TO CLARIFY ADMISSION PROCEDURES AT PINELAND CENTER HP2016, L.O.2091, PRESENTED BY M NELSON OF PORTLAND, HEALTH & INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES HEARING 2-7-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1091, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 635.

PISCATAQUIS COUNTY
SEE COUNTIES

PLUMBERS AND PLUMBING
SEE STATUTES, LD2199

POTATOES
BCARD
AN ACT TO CREATE A MAINE POTATO BOARD HP1897, L.O.1954, PRESENTED BY MAHANY OF EASTON, AGRICULTURE HEARING 1-11-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

BRANDING
PENALTIES
AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAINE POTATO BRANDING LAW HP1896, L.O.1953, PRESENTED BY MAHANY OF EASTON, AGRICULTURE HEARING 1-11-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-998, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED HOUSE VETO-SUSTAINED.

TAX
AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE POTATO TAX AT THE RATE OF \$.025 PER HUNDREDWEIGHT HP2033, L.O.2097, PRESENTED BY MAHANY OF EASTON, CO-SPONSORED BY STROUT OF E CORINTH, AGRICULTURE HEARING 2-13-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-16-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 651.

POTATOES
TAX FUND
USE

(C O N T ' D)

AN ACT TO READJUST DISBURSEMENT OF THE POTATO TAX FUND HP2067, L.D.2128, PRESENTED BY SMITH OF MARS HILL, CO-SPONSORED BY LOUGEE OF ISLAND FALLS, MCKEAN OF LIMESTONE, AGRICULTURE HEARING 2-13-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1110, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 653.

PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS
SEE STATUTES,LD2199

PROPERTY
ABANDONED PROPERTY

AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED PROPERTY (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1802 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2043, L.D.2109, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-8-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1136, SA/CA S-548, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 707.

PROPERTY TAXES
SEE ALSO TAX ASSESSMENTS
PROVISIONS REVISED

AN ACT TO IMPROVE PROPERTY TAX STATUTES HP2057, L.D.2115, PRESENTED BY HALL OF DOVER-FOXCROFT, TAXATION HEARING 2-23-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM)

PUBLIC LANDS
SEE LAND

PUBLIC UTILITIES
SEE ALSO ELECTRICITY
COMMISSION CHAIRMAN
ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION SP640, L.D.2007, PRESENTED BY CUMMINGS OF PENOBSCOT, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-17-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

PUBLIC UTILITIES (C O N T * D)

RELOCATION EXPENSES

URBAN RENEWAL AREA

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF COSTS FOR
RELOCATING UTILITY FACILITIES IN AN URBAN RENEWAL AREA
HP1904, L.D.1965, PRESENTED BY KELLEHER OF BANGOR,
PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-5-78; OTP-ND HP2072 LD2131
ACCEPTED

NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; HP2072, L.D.2131, PRESENTED BY
KELLEHER OF BANGOR, PUBLIC UTILITIES EMERG.ENACTED,
APPROVED 2-23-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 617.

REAL ESTATE

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RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS

SEE ALSO INCOME TAX

SEE ALSO STATE RETIRE-
MENT SYSTEM

SEE ALSO TAXATION,LD1948

NO MANDATORY AGE

EFFECTIVE DATE PL580

AN ACT TO REVISE THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ACT WHICH
PROHIBITS MANDATORY RETIREMENT HP1985, L.D.2068,
PRESENTED BY SPROWL OF HOPE, HUMAN RESOURCES HEARING
2-2-78; MAJORITY OTP-ND HP2101 LD2140 NEW TITLE
ACCEPTED BY HOUSE MINORITY O.N.T.P. IN SENATE-
INDEFINITELY POSTPONED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

RICKER COLLEGE

SEE HOULTON

RIPLEY,HENRY

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ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

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ROADS AND HIGHWAYS (C O N T ' D)
 GENERAL HIGHWAY FUND
 ALLOCATIONS

AN ACT TO MAKE ALLOCATIONS FROM THE UNAPPROPRIATED HIGHWAY FUND SURPLUS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1979 SP666, L.D.2054, PRESENTED BY GREELEY OF WALDO, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 2-1-78; OTP-ND SP694 LD2135 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED

AN ACT PROVIDING ALLOCATIONS FROM THE UNAPPROPRIATED HIGHWAY FUND SURPLUS FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1979 SP694, L.D.2135, PRESENTED BY GREELEY OF WALDO, TRANSPORTATION EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-30-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 688.

PRIVATE WAYS IN WINDHAM

AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAINTENANCE OF PRIVATE WAYS IN THE TOWN OF WINDHAM BY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS HP1875, L.D.1930, PRESENTED BY DIAMOND OF WINDHAM, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-5-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

STATE AID
 VALUATION

AN ACT RELATING TO THE APPLICATION OF THE STATE VALUATION TO STATE AND TOWN COST-SHARING ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING HIGHWAY, BRIDGES AND WINTER MAINTANENCE SP657, L.D.2034, PRESENTED BY GREELEY OF WALDO, TRANSPORTATION HEARING 2-1-78; SENATE ACCEPTED O.T.P. IN HOUSE- RECOMM. TO TRANS IN SENATE- ADHERED TO INDEF PP DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

ROBEINS,ALLAN
 SEE LAND

ROTCLO,PHILLIP
 SEE CLAIMS

SABATTUS
 BCUNDARY WITH WALES

AN ACT TO SET OFF A PORTION OF LAND FROM THE TOWN OF WALES AND ANNEX THE SAME TO THE TOWN OF SABATTUS HP2058, L.D.2116, PRESENTED BY LAPLANTE OF SABATTUS, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-7-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 94.

SACO

BOUNDARY

OLD ORCHARD BEACH

AN ACT TO REVISE THE MUNICIPAL BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE TOWN OF OLD ORCHARD BEACH AND THE CITY OF SACO HP1980, L.D.2072, PRESENTED BY KERRY OF OLD ORCHARD BEACH, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-31-78; MAJORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; HA H-1213, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-29-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 101.

SAGadahoc COUNTY

SEE COUNTIES

SHERIFF

OVERDRAFT

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE SAGadahoc COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO PAY AN OVERDRAFT FOR 1977 SP751, L.D.2200, PRESENTED BY CHAPMAN OF SAGadahoc, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT ENGROSSED WITHOUT REF.; FINALLY PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 86.

SALES AND USE TAX

SEE ALSO TAXATION, LD1948

EXEMPTIONS

ELECTRICITY

AN ACT EXEMPTING ELECTRICITY FROM TAXATION UNDER THE SALES AND USE TAX LAW SP635, L.D.1994, PRESENTED BY SPEERS OF KENNEBEC, TAXATION HEARING 1-18-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

OUT-OF-STATE ADVERTISERS

AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN OUT-OF-STATE SELLERS TO REGISTER UNDER THE MAINE SALES AND USE TAX LAW HP1883, L.D.1937, PRESENTED BY F CARTER OF BANGOR, TAXATION HEARING 1-10-78; (O.T.P) (O.N.T.P.) RECOMMITTED TO TAXATION; (SENATE ACCEPTED OTP-ND HP2084 LD2134) (O.N.T.P.) INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.

SANFORD SEWERAGE DISTRICT

CHARTER AMENDMENTS

AN ACT TO REVISE THE SANFORD SEWERAGE DISTRICT CHARTER SP673, L.D.2081, PRESENTED BY LOVELL OF YORK, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 1-31-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 90.

SCHCOL COMMITTEES
SEE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY
LAW

SCHCOLS/SCHOOL DISTRICTS
SEE ALSO CONSTITUTION OF
MAINE
SEE ALSO MUNICIPALITIES
SEE ALSO STATUTES, LD2199
BUDGETS

1978 TIME EXTENSION

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SCHOOL BUDGET ADOPTION DATE
HP2125, L.D.2151, PRESENTED BY STROUT OF E CORINTH,
EDUCATION AMENDED BY; SA S-521, EMERG.ENACTED,
APPROVED 3-9-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 636.

VOTING PROCEDURES

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR ALTERNATIVE ELECTION PROCEDURES
FOR SCHOOL BUDGETS ON A LOCAL BASIS HP1909, L.D.1970,
PRESENTED BY WOOD OF SPRINGVALE, CO-SPONSORED BY POST
OF OWLS HEAD, LOUGEE OF ISLAND FALLS, CAREY OF
WATERVILLE, EDUCATION HEARING 1-18-78; MAJORITY
O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM) AMENDED BY; CC/CA
S-553, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 695.

DISCIPLINE

REASONABLE FORCE

AN ACT RELATING TO PREVENTIVE DISCIPLINE IN THE
SCHOOLS HP1866, L.D.1916, PRESENTED BY GARSOE OF
CUMBERLAND, EDUCATION HEARING 1-9-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED
AMENDED BY; CA H-1001, HA/CA H-1010, ENACTED, PUBLIC
LAWS, CHAPT. 619.

EDUCATION POLICY

LOCAL CONTROL

AN ACT TO INSURE LOCAL CONTROL OVER EDUCATION POLICY
SP708, L.D.2155, PRESENTED BY TROTZKY OF PENOBSCOT,
EDUCATION HEARING 3-7-78; (OTP-ND SP752 LD2203 NEW
TITLE) (HOUSE ACCEPTED O.N.T.P.) (OTP-AM) (OTP-AM)
IN SENATE- INDEFINITELY POSTPONED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

SCHCOLS/SCHOOL DISTRICTS (C O N T * D)

FOOD SERVICE PROGRAMS

AN ACT TO EXTEND SCHOOL BREAKFAST AVAILABILITY TO MAINE SCHOOL CHILDREN SP659, L.D.2036, PRESENTED BY CONLEY OF CUMBERLAND, EDUCATION HEARING 2-1-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM)

GEORGE STEVENS ACADEMY

JOINT COMMITTEE

AN ACT RELATING TO JOINT COMMITTEE BETWEEN GEORGE STEVENS ACADEMY AND NEARBY TOWNS HP1890, L.D.1947, PRESENTED BY PERKINS OF BLUE HILL, EDUCATION HEARING 1-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-953, ENACTED, P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 85.

LINCOLNVILLE

WITHDRAW FROM CSD

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LINCOLNVILLE TO WITHDRAW FROM THE APPLETON-HOPE- LINCOLNVILLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT HP2066, L.D.2129, PRESENTED BY HUTCHINGS OF LINCOLNVILLE, EDUCATION HEARING 2-22-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1085, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-8-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 96.

MAGALLOWAY PLANTATION

ADDITIONAL FUNDING

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE MAGALLOWAY PLANTATION TO RAISE FUNDS FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE 1977-78 SCHOOL YEAR IN EXCESS OF STATUTORY MAXIMUMS HP1865, L.D.1915, PRESENTED BY K L BROWN OF BETHEL, EDUCATION HEARING 1-6-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 1-31-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 84.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

GIFTED/TALENTED CHILDREN

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR PROGRAMS TO AID SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS TO IDENTIFY AND PROVIDE SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR GIFTED AND TALENTED CHILDREN HP1934, L.D.2005, PRESENTED BY M NELSON OF PORTLAND, EDUCATION HEARING 2-1-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; SA S-530, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 706.

SCHCOLS/SCHOOL DISTRICTS (C O N T * D)
SPECIAL EDUCATION
NOTICE

AN ACT RELATING TO TYPE OF NOTICE UNDER THE
EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN STATUTES HP1868, L.D.1918,
PRESENTED BY HIGGINS OF SCARBOROUGH, EDUCATION HEARING
1-6-78; MAJORITY O.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM)
ENACTED PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 588.

SOUTHERN PENOBSCOT COUNTY

RESOLVE, TO PROVIDE FOR A REGIONAL SPECIAL EDUCATION
COMPACT IN SOUTHERN PENOBSCOT COUNTY HP1965, L.D.2046,
PRESENTED BY DAVIES OF ORONO, EDUCATION HEARING
2-1-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

TUITION

AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION COMPUTATION CHARGED BY
PRIVATE SCHOOLS UNDER THE EDUCATION OF EXCEPTIONAL
CHILDREN LAW HP2028, L.D.2096, PRESENTED BY HOWE OF
SOUTH PORTLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY P T JACKSON OF
YARMOUTH, S HUBER OF FALMOUTH, CURRAN OF SOUTH
PORTLAND, EDUCATION HEARING 2-2-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED
AMENDED BY; CA H-1071, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT.
634.

STATE AID

COMMISSIONER WITHHOLDING

AN ACT TO REPEAL THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATIONAL AND
CULTURAL AUTHORITY TO WITHHOLD MONTHLY SUBSIDY
PAYMENTS TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS TO OBTAIN
INFORMATION HP1867, L.D.1917, PRESENTED BY BIRT OF E
MILLINOCKET, EDUCATION HEARING 1-9-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

FINANCE ACT 1978

AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF EDUCATION HP1943,
L.D.2022, PRESENTED BY LYNCH OF LIVERMORE FALLS,
EDUCATION HEARING 1-24-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED
(MINORITY O.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-1055,
EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-7-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT.
625.

SCHCOLS/SCHOOL DISTRICTS (C O N T * D)

STATE AID

INSTITUTIONAL RESIDENTS

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR EDUCATING RESIDENTS OF STATE OPERATED INSTITUTIONS HP1966, L.D.2047, PRESENTED BY BEAULIEU OF PORTLAND, EDUCATION HEARING 2-1-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

TRUANCY/DROPOUTS

ORIGINAL TITLE: AN ACT TO SUSPEND PUBLIC LAW 1977, CHAPTER 499, "AN ACT RELATING TO HABITUAL TRUANTS AND SCHOOL DROPOUTS," UNTIL JULY 1, 1979 NEW TITLE; AN ACT AMENDING THE LAW RELATING TO HABITUAL TRUANTS AND SCHOOL DROPOUTS HP1893, L.D.1950, PRESENTED BY BEAULIEU OF PORTLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY WOOD OF SPRINGVALE, EDUCATION HEARING 1-9-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDEE BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1000, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-17-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 610.

WINDHAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

RENOVATION

RESOLVE, APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO RENOVATE AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING AT WINDHAM WHICH WAS DESTROYED BY FLOOD WATERS HP1864, L.D.1914, PRESENTED BY DIAMOND OF WINDHAM, EDUCATION HEARING 1-6-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY OTP-AM)

SECRETARY OF STATE

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SECURED TRANSACTIONS

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SEWAGE

SEE WASTE DISPOSAL

SKI AREAS

CLAIMS

LIMITATION OF ACTIONS

AN ACT CONCERNING LIMITATIONS OF ACTIONS AND NOTICE OF CLAIM BEFORE SUIT UNDER THE ELEVATOR AND TRAMWAY STATUTES PERTAINING TO SKI AREAS HP1870, L.D.1927, PRESENTED BY K L BROWN OF BETHEL, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-5-78; MAJORITY OTP-ND HP2060 LD2118 NEW TITLE ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.)

AN ACT CONCERNING LIMITATIONS OF ACTIONS AND ASSUMPTIONS OF RISK UNDER THE ELEVATOR AND TRAMWAY STATUTES PERTAINING TO SKI AREAS HP2060, L.D.2118, PRESENTED BY K L BROWN OF BETHEL, JUDICIARY ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 608.

SMALL CLAIMS
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SOCIAL WORKERS
BOARD

PROVISIONS REVISED

AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKER
REGISTRATION (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER;
JOINT ORDER HP1825 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE
COUNCIL) HP1936, L.D.2016, BUSINESS LEGISLATION
HEARING 1-27-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY
O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-1107, SB/CA S-520, ENACTED,
PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 673.

SOMERSET COUNTY
SEE COUNTIES

SPRUCE BUDWORM
SEE APPROPRIATIONS,
LD2195
SEE FORESTRY

ST REGIS PAPER COMPANY
SEE LAND

STATE AGENCIES
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LAW
AGREEMENTS

CONFLICT WITH COURT ORDER

AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT AGREEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY STATE
AGENCIES DO NOT CONFLICT WITH STATE COURT ORDERS OR
DECREES HP1873, L.D.1929, PRESENTED BY SILSBY OF
ELLSWORTH, JUDICIARY HEARING 1-6-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

EXECUTIVE REORGANIZATION

AN ACT PROVIDING THE GOVERNOR WITH THE PROCEDURE FOR
REORGANIZING A DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY OF STATE
GOVERNMENT HP2137, L.D.2164, PRESENTED BY QUINN OF
GORHAM, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 3-6-78; MAJORITY
O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED BY HOUSE MINORITY O.T.P. IN SENATE-
INDEFINITELY POSTPONED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

STATE AGENCIES (C O N T ' D)

RULES AND REGULATIONS

REVISE SUNSET PROVISIONS

AN ACT TO REVISE THE MAINE SUNSET LAW AND STATE AGENCY RULES LAW HP2229, L.D.2189, PRESENTED BY WILFONG OF STOW, CO-SPONSORED BY PALMER OF NOBLEBORO, PERFORMANCE AUDIT; OTP-AM ACCEPTED; AMENDED BY; CA H-1180, SA S-587, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-29-78, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 683.

STATE CAPITOL COMMISSION

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STATE OFFICERS/EMPLOYEES

ACCIDENT/HEALTH INSURANCE

STUDY

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAINE STATE EMPLOYEES ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS OR HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN NEW TITLE; RESOLVE, REQUIRING THE COMMISSIONER OF BUSINESS REGULATION TO STUDY THE COSTS AND BENEFITS ACCRUING TO THE STATE AS A RESULT OF SELF-INSURANCE OF ALL OR PART OF GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE SP637, L.D.1996, PRESENTED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-17-78; RE-REFERRED TO BUSINESS LEGISLATION OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) S-514, FINALLY PASSED, RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 75.

CCMPENSATION AND SALARIES

AGENCY HEADS

AN ACT TO FACILITATE RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION OF OUTSTANDING PERSONS FOR POLICY-MAKING POSITIONS IN STATE SERVICE SP672, L.D.2076, PRESENTED BY D COLLINS OF AROOSTOOK, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-30-78; (MAJORITY OTP-AM) MINORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CC/CA S-605, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 697.

INTERMITTENT SERVICE

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE STATUS OF INTERMITTENT STATE EMPLOYEES (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1760 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2064, L.D.2122, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-15-78; SENATE ACCEPTED OTP-AM AMENDED BY; CA H-1131, ENACTED, GOVERNOR-VETOED VETO-OVERRIDDEN PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 667.

STATE OFFICERS/EMPLOYEES (C O N T * D)
MANDATORY RETIREMENT

EXTENSION OF EMPLOYMENT

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE STATE OF MAINE TO REQUEST AN EXTENSION OF EMPLOYMENT AFTER THEIR MANDATORY RETIREMENT AGE, YEARS OF SERVICE REQUIREMENT OR AGE AND YEARS OF SERVICE REQUIREMENT HP2101, L.D.2140, PRESENTED BY SPROWL OF HOPE, HUMAN RESOURCES IN HOUSE- 2ND CONF ASKED IN SENATE- CONF REP-UNABLE TO AGREE DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

POLICY-MAKING POSITIONS
CLASSIFICATION

THIS BILL WAS HELD OVER FROM THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION; AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AND APPLY A POLICY ON THE CLASSIFICATION OF MAJOR POLICY-INFLUENCING POSITIONS BELOW THE HEAD OF STATE DEPARTMENT AND AGENCIES (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1776 OF THE 107TH) HP671, L.D. 729, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-5-77; OTP-ND HP2051 LD 2111 ACCEPTED (O.T.P.)

CONSIDERED BY SECOND REGULAR SESSION; STATE GOVERNMENT RECOMMITTED TO STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-5-78; OTP-ND HP2051 LD2111 ACCEPTED (O.T.P.)

NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; HP2051, L.D.2111, STATE GOVERNMENT AMENDED BY; HA H-995, HB H-1002, HD H-1006, HE H-1016, CC/CA S-528, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 674.

STATE POLICE
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STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM
BENEFITS

AGE PLUS YEARS=85

AN ACT TO PERMIT RETIREMENT WITH FULL BENEFITS FOR ANY MEMBER OF THE MAINE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM WHEN THE SUM OF THE MEMBER'S AGE PLUS THE MEMBER'S YEARS OF SERVICE EQUALS 85 HP1984, L.D.2063, PRESENTED BY CLARK OF FREEPORT, CO-SPONSORED BY BIRT OF E MILLINOCKET, VETERANS AND RETIREMENT HEARING 1-25-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM (C O N T • D)

BLIND VENDING OPERATORS

AN ACT TO ALLOW BLIND VENDING STAND OPERATORS LICENSED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF EYE CARE, TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MAINE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM SP690, L.D.2127, PRESENTED BY HICHENS OF YORK, VETERANS AND RETIREMENT HEARING 2-8-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT

6 MONTH PROVISION, REPEAL

AN ACT TO REMOVE THE 6-MONTH PROVISION IN APPLYING COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENTS TO RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES OF RETIREES SP621, L.D.1909, PRESENTED BY SPEERS OF KENNEBEC, VETERANS AND RETIREMENT HEARING 1-11-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.T.P.)

DEATH BENEFITS

AN ACT PERTAINING TO ORDINARY DEATH BENEFITS UNDER THE MAINE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM HP1885, L.D.1939, PRESENTED BY M NELSON OF PORTLAND, VETERANS AND RETIREMENT HEARING 1-11-78; MAJORITY OTP-AM ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.N.T.P.) AMENDED BY; CA H-984, SB/CA S-596, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 700.

PERSONS

BACHELDER, WILLIAM T

RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING A PARTIAL DISABILITY PENSION UNDER THE MAINE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO WILLIAM T BACHELDER OF BALDWIN HP1970, L.D.2050, PRESENTED BY SPENCER OF SEBAGO LAKE, VETERANS AND RETIREMENT HEARING 1-25-78; MAJORITY O.N.T.P. ACCEPTED (MINORITY O.T.P.)

STATUTES

ERRORS/INCONSISTENCIES

ADDITIONAL

AN ACT TO MAKE ADDITIONAL CORRECTIONS OF ERRORS AND INCONSISTENCIES IN THE LAWS OF MAINE SP692, L.D.2132, PRESENTED BY S COLLINS OF KNOX, JUDICIARY HEARING 2-15-78; OTP-ND SP748 LD2199 ACCEPTED
NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; SP748, L.D.2199, PRESENTED BY S COLLINS OF KNOX, JUDICIARY AMENDED BY; HA H-1184, HF H-1189, HG H-1190, HH H-1191, HK H-1194, HL H-1195, HM H-1196, HO H-1198, SO S-567, SE S-569, SG S-571, SH S-572, SI S-573, SJ S-574, SK S-575, SL S-576, SM S-577, SN S-578, SO S-579, SP S-580, HP H-1202, HQ H-1203, HA/SK H-1204, HR H-1206, HS H-1207, HT H-1208, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-31-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 696.

STEVENS ACADEMY
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TRICTS

STUDY ORDERS
AIR FIELDS, PRIVATE
REVENUE

JOINT ORDER RE THE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE STUDYING
THE REVENUES PRODUCED AT PRIVATE AIR STRIPS THROUGHOUT
THE STATE HP2225, PRESENTED BY CARROLL OF LIMERICK,
READ AND PASSED

CORRECTIONS OFFICERS
TURNOVER

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR
CORRECTIONS OFFICERS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY
ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1592 AUTHORIZED BY THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2039, L.D.2104, STATE
GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY;
CA H-1057, SA/CA S-616, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT.
701.

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW
UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

JOINT ORDER RE THE LABOR COMMITTEE STUDYING HOW THE
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY ACT AND THE STATE UNEMPLOYMENT
COMPENSATION FUND CAN MORE EFFECTIVELY AND EQUITABLY
PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF ALL CONCERNED PARTIES HP2180,
PRESENTED BY LEWIS OF AUBURN, CO-SPONSORED BY BUSTIN
OF AUGUSTA, READ AND PASSED

INSURANCE
GROUP HEALTH COVERAGE

RESOLVE, TO ESTABLISH A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE
CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE UNDER CERTAIN GROUP HEALTH
INSURANCE POLICIES HP2131, L.D.2156, PRESENTED BY
CARROLL OF LIMERICK, BUSINESS LEGISLATION FINALLY
PASSED RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 66.

STUDY ORDERS (C O N T * D)
 INSURANCE COVERAGE
 STATE EMPLOYEES

ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAINE STATE EMPLOYEES ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS OR HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN NEW TITLE: RESOLVE, REQUIRING THE COMMISSIONER OF BUSINESS REGULATION TO STUDY THE COSTS AND BENEFITS ACCRUING TO THE STATE AS A RESULT OF SELF-INSURANCE OF ALL OR PART OF GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE SP637, L.D.1996, PRESENTED BY PIERCE OF KENNEBEC, STATE GOVERNMENT HEARING 1-17-78; RE-REFERRED TO BUSINESS LEGISLATION OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) S-514, FINALLY PASSED, RESOLVE LAWS, CHAPT. 75.

MUNICIPAL CLERKS
 COMPENSATION FOR DUTIES

AN ACT RELATING TO THE PLACE OF FILING UNDER THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE HP2232, L.D.2190, PRESENTED BY TIERNEY OF LISBON FALLS, CO-SPONSORED BY CAREY OF WATERTOWN, SPROWL OF HOPE, A BOUDREAU OF PORTLAND, BUSINESS LEGISLATION AMENDED BY; HB H-1158, HC H-1159, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 702.

POTATO COMMISSION
 MEMBERS

AN ACT TO READJUST DISBURSEMENT OF THE POTATO TAX FUND HP2067, L.D.2128, PRESENTED BY SMITH OF MARS HILL, CO-SPONSORED BY LOUGEE OF ISLAND FALLS, MCKEAN OF LIMESTONE, AGRICULTURE HEARING 2-13-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1110, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 653.

PRACTICAL NURSES/VOC EDUC
 JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE

JOINT ORDER RE CREATING A JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND REVIEW LEGISLATION AFFECTING PRACTICAL NURSES AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION HP2281, PRESENTED BY BIRT OF E MILLINOCKET, CO-SPONSORED BY BENOIT OF SOUTH PORTLAND, HOWE OF SOUTH PORTLAND, GILL OF SOUTH PORTLAND, READ AND PASSED

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE VALUATION OF INDUSTRIAL
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HALL OF DOVER-FOXCROFT, CO-SPONSORED BY MORTON OF
FARMINGTON, TAXATION HEARING 2-8-78; O.N.T.P.
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AN ACT TO ASSIST LOCALITIES IN IMPROVING THE ACCURACY
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PRESENTED BY BENOIT OF SO PORTLAND, CO-SPONSORED BY
CAREY OF WATERVILLE, MORTON OF FARMINGTON, TAXATION
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AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY
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1-5-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-955, SB/CA
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AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF HP1968,
L.D.2053, PRESENTED BY BENOIT OF SO PORTLAND,
CO-SPONSORED BY TEAGUE OF FAIRFIELD, GREENLAW OF
STONINGTON, CAREY OF WATERVILLE, TAXATION HEARING
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AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAXATION OF THE UNORGANIZED TERRITORY (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER HP1820 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) HP2059, L.D.2117, TAXATION HEARING 2-15-78; OTP-ND HP2139 LD2159 ACCEPTED
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ELIGIBILITY

AN ACT TO EXPAND ELIGIBILITY UNDER THE ELDERLY HOUSEHOLDERS TAX AND RENT REFUND ACT HP1927, L.D.1988, PRESENTED BY K GOODWIN OF BATH, CO-SPONSORED BY CURRAN OF SOUTH PORTLAND, GREENLAW OF STONINGTON, MCBREAIRTY OF CARIBOU, TAXATION HEARING 1-18-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED INDEFINITELY POSTPONED

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A 2% INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR TAXABLE YEARS ENDING IN 1978 HP1891, L.D.1948, PRESENTED BY JALBERT OF LEWISTON, CO-SPONSORED BY KELLEHER OF BANGOR, CAREY OF WATERTOWN, NORRIS OF BREWER, TAXATION HEARING 1-11-78; LV/WD; BILL SUBSTITUTED FOR REPORT; AMEND BY; SA S-617, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 686.

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR REFORM OF THE STATE TAX LAWS (REPORTED PURSUANT TO JOINT ORDER HP2023) HP2216, L.D.2184, TAXATION HOUSE ACCEPTED O.T.P. IN HOUSE- ACCEPT MAJ REP LD 2183 IN SENATE- LD 2183 WAS ACCEPTED DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

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NEW DRAFT SAME TITLE; SP696, L.D.2138, PRESENTED BY S COLLINS OF KNOX, JUDICIARY AMENDED BY; HA H-1039, SA/HA S-0471, EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 3-8-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 626.

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AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISCOUNT FACTOR AND CAPITALIZATION RATE IN THE TREE GROWTH TAX STATUTES HP1882, L.D.1936, PRESENTED BY J MARTIN OF EAGLE LAKE, TAXATION HEARING 1-10-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED EMERG.ENACTED, APPROVED 2-9-78; PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 590.

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AN ACT TO PERMIT PERSONS OTHER THAN ARBORISTS TO TAKE DOWN TREES BY TOPPING OR SECTIONS HP1858, L.D.1925, PRESENTED BY TOZIER OF UNITY, AGRICULTURE HEARING 1-11-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; SA S-460, IN HOUSE- CONF-ASKED IN SENATE- ADHERE TO INDEF PP DIED BETWEEN HOUSES.

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AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE VINALHAVEN WATER DISTRICT HP2164, L.D.2173, PRESENTED BY POST OF OWLS HEAD, PUBLIC UTILITIES HEARING 3-9-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED; AMENDED BY; CA H-1178, EMERG. ENACTED, APPROVED 3-24-78; P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 99.

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AN ACT TO SET OFF A PORTION OF LAND FROM THE TOWN OF WALES AND ANNEX THE SAME TO THE TOWN OF SABATTUS HP2058, L.D.2116, PRESENTED BY LAPLANTE OF SABATTUS, LOCAL & COUNTY GOVERNMENT HEARING 2-7-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, P AND S LAWS, CHAPT. 94.

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 LICENSES AND PERMITS

AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING OF SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT OPERATORS SP623, L.D.1940, PRESENTED BY TROTZKY OF PENOBSCOT, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 1-11-78; LV/WD ACCEPTED.

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AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE INVESTIGATION POWERS OF THE
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CONVEYANCE PROGRAM HP1959, L.O.2041, PRESENTED BY
CLARK OF FREEPORT, NATURAL RESOURCES HEARING 1-25-78;
OTP-AM ACCEPTED IN HOUSE- ADHERE TO ENG W/ HA
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ORIGINAL TITLE; AN ACT TO PROVIDE MUNICIPALITIES WITH
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ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA (CHANGED TITLE) H-1079,
ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 631.

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AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE MAKING OF DECREES BY THE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP598 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) SP643, L.D.2010, LABOR HEARING 1-26-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-455, SA S-476, HA/SA H-1097, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 632.

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AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION TO WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION COMMISSION (PURSUANT TO STUDY ORDER; SP598) SP641, L.D.2008, LABOR HEARING 1-26-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 612.

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AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP598 APPROVED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) SP655, L.D.2015, APPROPRIATIONS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS HEARING 1-31-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA S-555, SA S-560, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 709.

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AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY NOTICE PROCEDURES REQUIRED IN WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION CASES (REPORTED PURSUANT TO A STUDY ORDER; JOINT ORDER SP598 AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL) SP645, L.D.2012, LABOR HEARING 1-26-78; O.T.P. ACCEPTED ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 613.

OCCUPATIONAL DEAFNESS
FILING TIME LIMIT

AN ACT CONCERNING FILING OF CLAIMS FOR OCCUPATIONAL DEAFNESS UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION STATUTES HP1872, L.D.1913, PRESENTED BY BIRT OF E MILLINOCKET, CO-SPONSORED BY MCHENRY OF MADAWASKA, FLANAGAN OF PORTLAND, LABOR HEARING 1-6-78; OTP-AM ACCEPTED AMENDED BY; CA H-1108, HA/CA H-1117, ENACTED, PUBLIC LAWS, CHAPT. 659.

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H GOODWIN OF SOUTH BERWICK, EDUCATION HEARING 2-2-78;
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