

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 117th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1995

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Legislative Document

No. 504

S.P. 195

In Senate, February 10, 1995

**An Act Investing the Joint Standing Committee of the Legislature  
Having Jurisdiction over Taxation Matters with Exclusive Authority to  
Review Legislation Relating to Tax Policy.**

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Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "May M. Ross".

MAY M. ROSS  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator CAREY of Kennebec.  
Cosponsored by Representative: DORE of Auburn.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

4 **Sec. 1. 3 MRSA §165-A is enacted to read:**

6 **§165-A. Jurisdiction over taxation matters**

8 Legislation amending Title 36 must be reviewed by the joint  
10 standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over  
12 taxation matters before enactment. Legislation amending Title 36  
14 that is enacted without the review required by this section is  
16 void.

18 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

20 This bill provides that legislation amending the provisions  
of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, relating to taxation, is  
void unless that legislation has been reviewed by the joint  
standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over  
taxation matters.