

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# *The House Calendar*

*The Advance Journal and Calendar of the House of Representatives*

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**ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH MAINE LEGISLATURE**

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## **SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

23rd Legislative Day

Monday, March 2, 1998

Calling of the House to Order by the Speaker.

Prayer by Reverend Margaret Edmonston, Winthrop Center Friends Church.

National Anthem by Messalonskee High School Concert Choir, Oakland.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Reading of the Journal of Thursday, February 26, 1998.

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## **COMMUNICATIONS**

(2-1) The Following Communication: (H.C. 398)

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON BANKING AND INSURANCE**

February 24, 1998

Honorable Mark W. Lawrence, President of the Senate  
Honorable Elizabeth H. Mitchell, Speaker of the House  
118th Maine Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

*Elizabeth H. Mitchell, Speaker*

*Joseph W. Mayo, Clerk*

Sincerely,

S/Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate

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**PETITIONS, BILLS AND RESOLVES REQUIRING REFERENCE**

(3-1) Bill "An Act to Amend the Law Concerning Tax Base Sharing"

(H.P. 1613) (L.D. 2239)

Presented by Speaker MITCHELL of Vassalboro.

Cosponsored by Senator DAGGETT of Kennebec and Representatives: GAGNON of Waterville, GREEN of Monmouth, MADORE of Augusta, TESSIER of Fairfield, TRIPP of Topsham, VIGUE of Winslow, Senator: RUHLIN of Penobscot.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.

(3-2) Bill "An Act to Provide for Equitable Taxation of All Financial Institutions"

(H.P. 1614) (L.D. 2240)

Presented by Representative TRIPP of Topsham. (GOVERNOR'S BILL)

Cosponsored by Senator MILLS of Somerset.

Committee on **TAXATION** suggested and ordered printed.

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**Pursuant to Statute  
Department of Human Services**

(3-3) Representative MITCHELL for the **Department of Human Services** pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 8072 asks leave to report that the accompanying Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 113: Regulations Governing the Licensing and Functioning of Assisted Living Facilities, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Human Services (EMERGENCY)

(H.P. 1615) (L.D. 2241)

Be **REFERRED** to the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** and printed pursuant to Joint Rule 218.

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**ORDERS**

(4-1) On motion of Representative GOODWIN of Pembroke, the following Joint Order: (H.P. 1616)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that Bill, "An Act to Reduce the Maine State Sales Tax to 5%," S. P. 164, L. D. 493, and all its accompanying papers, be recalled from the legislative files to the House.

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