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L.D. 148  
(Filing No. H-478)

3 **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY**

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5 **STATE OF MAINE**  
6 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
7 **123RD LEGISLATURE**  
8 **FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

9 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 130, L.D. 148, Bill, "An Act To  
10 Provide Fairness in Concealed Weapon Reciprocity Agreements"

11 Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

12 **'Resolve, Directing the Department of Public Safety and the Attorney**  
13 **General To Review Other States' Concealed Weapon Reciprocity**  
14 **Agreements and Actively Seek Reciprocity Where Appropriate'**

15 Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and  
16 inserting the following:

17 **'Sec. 1. Commissioner of Public Safety and the Attorney General to**  
18 **review other states' concealed weapon laws and seek concealed weapon**  
19 **reciprocity agreements where appropriate. Resolved:** That the Commissioner of  
20 Public Safety shall work in cooperation with the Attorney General to conduct a  
21 comprehensive review of other states' concealed weapon laws for the purpose of  
22 identifying and seeking other states with whom this State may enter into concealed  
23 weapon reciprocity agreements; and be it further

24 **Sec. 2. Report. Resolved:** That the Commissioner of Public Safety shall report  
25 findings regarding the review of other states' concealed weapon laws, including  
26 identification of the states that meet this State's reciprocity standards, and progress  
27 regarding entering into concealed weapon reciprocity agreements with those other states.  
28 The Commissioner of Public Safety shall report to the Joint Standing Committee on  
29 Criminal Justice and Public Safety no later than January 1, 2008. Upon receipt of the  
30 report, the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety may submit  
31 implementing legislation, if necessary, to the Second Regular Session of the 123rd  
32 Legislature.'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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**SUMMARY**

This amendment replaces the bill and creates a resolve that directs the Commissioner of Public Safety to work in cooperation with the Attorney General to conduct a comprehensive review of other states' concealed weapon laws for the purpose of identifying and seeking other states with whom this State may enter into concealed weapon reciprocity agreements. The Commissioner of Public Safety shall report findings and progress to the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety no later than January 1, 2008. Upon receipt of the report, the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety may submit necessary implementing legislation to the Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
**(See attached)**



# 123rd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 148

LR 631(02)

**An Act To Provide Fairness in Concealed Weapon Reciprocity Agreements**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"**

**Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Public Safety and the Department of the Attorney General can be absorbed utilizing existing budgeted resources.