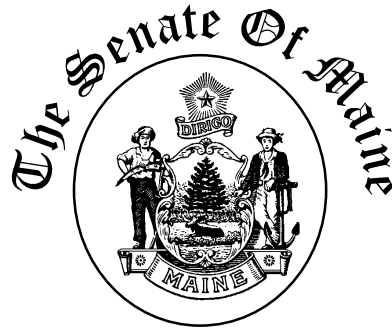


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**One Hundred and Twenty-Eighth Legislature
First Special Session**

Advance Journal and Calendar

1st Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Monday, October 23, 2017.

In compliance with a proclamation of Governor **PAUL R. LEPAGE**, the Senators convened in the Senate Chamber at ten o'clock in the morning and were called to order by President **MICHAEL D. THIBODEAU** of Waldo County.

Prayer by Reverend Susan Berry Taylor, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Winthrop.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Susan A. Deschambault of York County.

Doctor of the day, Robert Chagrasulis, M.D. of Casco.

Michael D. Thibodeau
Senate President

Heather J.R. Priest
Secretary of the Senate

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**MAINE SENATE
128th LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE**

October 19, 2017

Honorable Michael D. Thibodeau
President of the Senate
128th Legislature

Honorable Sara Gideon
Speaker of the House
128th Legislature

Dear President Thibodeau and Speaker Gideon:

On October 12, 2017, one bill was received by the Secretary of the Senate.

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 308.2, this bill was referred to a Joint Standing Committee on October 12, 2017, as follows:

Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Resolve, Authorizing Certain Land Transactions by the Bureau of Parks and Lands within the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 604) (L.D. 1647) (Sponsored by Senator JACKSON of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Representative MARTIN of Sinclair and Representative WHITE of Washburn) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.)

On October 13, 2017, two bills were received by the Secretary of the Senate.

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 308.2, these two bills were referred to a Joint Standing Committee on October 13, 2017, as follows:

Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Bill “An Act To Amend the Law Recognizing Local Control Regarding Food Systems and Require Compliance with Federal and State Food Safety Regulations” (EMERGENCY) (GOVERNOR’S BILL) (S.P. 605) (L.D. 1648) (Sponsored by Senator JACKSON of Aroostook)

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill “An Act To Provide Funding for Geographic Information System Services” (EMERGENCY) (GOVERNOR’S BILL) (S.P. 606) (L.D. 1649) (Sponsored by Senator HAMPER of Oxford)

Sincerely,
S/Heather J.R. Priest
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House
