

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
AS PASSED BY THE
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE**

**SECOND SPECIAL SESSION
September 5, 1996 to September 7, 1996**

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION
December 4, 1996 to March 27, 1997**

**FIRST SPECIAL SESSION
March 27, 1997 to June 20, 1997**

**THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
FIRST REGULAR SESSION
NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS
JUNE 26, 1997**

**FIRST SPECIAL SESSION
NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS
SEPTEMBER 19, 1997**

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LEGISLATIVE STATISTICS

SECOND SPECIAL SESSION 117th Legislature

Convened	September 5, 1996
Adjourned	September 7, 1996
Days in Session	
Senate	3
House of Representatives	3
Legislative Documents	4
Carryover Bills	0
Public Laws	2
Private and Special Laws	0
Resolves	0
Constitutional Resolutions	0
Competing Measure Resolutions	1
Initiated Bills	2
Vetoed	0
Overridden	0
Sustained	0
Pocket	1
Emergency Enactments	0
Effective Date	December 7, 1996 (unless otherwise indicated)

LEGISLATIVE STATISTICS

FIRST REGULAR SESSION 118th Legislature

Convened	December 4, 1996
Adjourned	March 27, 1997
Days in Session	
Senate	30
House of Representatives	30
Legislative Documents	1694
Carryover Bills	*
Public Laws	65
Private and Special Laws	9
Resolves	11
Constitutional Resolutions	0
Initiated Bills	0
Vetoed	0
Overridden	0
Sustained	0
Emergency Enactments	16
Effective Date	June 26, 1997
	(unless otherwise indicated)

*Pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1354 matters before the 118th First Regular Session were held over to the First Special Session.

LEGISLATIVE STATISTICS

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION 118th Legislature

Convened	March 27, 1997
Adjourned	June 20, 1997
Days in Session	
Senate	39
House of Representatives	38
Legislative Documents	211
Carryover Bills	170
Public Laws	496
Private and Special Laws	48
Resolves	73
Constitutional Resolutions	1
Initiated Bills	1
Vetoed	7
Overridden	0
Sustained	7
Unsigned but not Law	1
Emergency Enactments	85
Effective Date	September 19, 1997 (unless otherwise indicated)