

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
ACTION ON REQUESTS TO INTRODUCE LEGISLATION  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION  
December 27, 1993

|          |  | Action             |
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| SPONSOR: | Sen. Baldacci  | TABLED<br>12/27/93 |
| LR 3141  | An Act to Allow the Sale of Irradiated Food in Maine   |                    |
| SPONSOR: | Sen. Berube  | ACCEPTED           |
| LR 3125  | An Act to Ensure that Surplus Revenues in Androscoggin County are Used to Reduce the Tax Levy  |                    |
| SPONSOR: | Sen. Cahill  | ACCEPTED           |
| LR 3121  | Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation to Erect Signs Indicating the Bath-Brunswick Topsham Recreational Area           |                    |
|          | Cosponsors: Sen. Harriman  |                    |
| LR 3145: | An Act Concerning Municipally Owned and Operated Solid Waste Incinerators  | TABLED<br>12/27/93 |
| SPONSOR: | Rep. Campbell  | TABLED<br>12/27/93 |
| LR 3142  | An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the Amount of \$7,000,000 for Equipment for the Technical College System            |                    |
| SPONSOR: | Rep. Cathcart  | ACCEPTED           |
| LR 3124  | An Act to Provide for Comprehensive Investigations of Suspicious Deaths of Children  |                    |
| SPONSOR: | Rep. Clark   | TABLED<br>12/27/93 |
| LR 3140  | An Act to Amend the Maine State Retirement System Laws to Authorize the Buy-back of Time Served in the Peace Corps or VISTA Programs |                    |
| SPONSOR: | Rep. Daggett   | ACCEPTED           |
| LR 3136  | An Act to Clarify the Concealed Firearms Permit Law  |                    |

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| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Rep. Faircloth</b>  | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| LR 3119         | Resolve, to Extend the Reporting Date of the Healthy Start Task Force                      |                                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Sen. Foster</b>   | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| LR 3122         | An Act to Protect the Interests of the Town of Otis in Certain Ponds                       |                                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Rep. Gean</b>   |                                  |
| LR 2949         | An Act to Establish Minimum Standards for Adult and Family Shelters for the Homeless       | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Rep. Holt</b>   |                                  |
| LR 3143         | An Act to Extend the Sagadahoc County Budget Advisory Committee                            | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Rep. Ketterer</b>   | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| LR 3127         | An Act to Amend the Charter of the Madison Water District                                  |                                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Sen. Lawrence</b>   | <b>TABLED</b><br><b>12/27/93</b> |
| LR 3128         | An Act to Remove the Automatic Repeal of Exemption from Liability for Recycling Activities |                                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Sen. Luther</b>   | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| LR 3123         | An Act to Amend the Charter of the Canton Water District                                   |                                  |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Rep. Morrison</b>   | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| LR 3108         | An Act to Reinstitute Stipends for Professional Staff at State Mental Health Institutions  |                                  |
| LR 3126         | An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Refuse Disposal Districts                               | <b>TABLED</b><br><b>12/27/93</b> |
| <b>SPONSOR:</b> | <b>Sen. Pingree</b>  | <b>ACCEPTED</b>                  |
| LR 3132         | An Act to Establish Trap Limits and Establish Limits on Lobster and Crab Fishing Licenses  |                                  |

**SPONSOR: Rep. Simonds**

**ACCEPTED**

**LR 3144** An Act Regarding Real Estate Transfer Tax

**SPONSOR: Rep. Spear**

**FAILED**

**LR 3133** An Act to Extend the Moratorium on the Laws Governing  
Biosynthetic Bovine Somatotropin

**SPONSOR: Sen. Summers**

**TABLED**

**12/27/93**

**LR 3137** An Act to Clarify the Standards for the Appropriate  
Secular Observance of Religious Holidays in Maine  
Schools

**SPONSOR: Sen. Titcomb**

**TABLED**

**12/27/93**

**LR 2886** An Act to Require Labeling on Genetically Engineered  
Food

(NOTE: This request was rejected at initial screening.)

**SPONSOR: Rep. Whitcomb**

**TABLED**

**12/27/93**

**LR 3135** RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution  
of Maine to Impose the Responsibility for Determining  
Election Results of Disputed House and Senate Elections  
to the Judicial Branch

**SPONSOR: Rep. Zirnkilton**

**FAILED**

**LR 3134** An Act Establishing a License Plate for the Fraternal  
Order of Police

PREVIOUSLY TABLED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Erwin

**TABLED**  
**10/24/93**

LR 3089 An Act to Regulate Cultivation and Sale of Ginseng

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Gray

**TABLED**  
**11/06/93**

LR 3114 An Act to Stablize the Economic Impact of Timber  
Exports on the Timber Industry

**SPONSOR:** Sen. Dutremble, Dennis L.

**TABLED**  
**10/24/93**

LR 2550 An Act to Clarify the Definition of "Teacher" under  
the Laws of the Maine State Retirement System

JOINT RESOLUTIONS

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Donnelly

**TABLED**  
**10/24/93**

LR 2516 JOINT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE MAINE CONGRESSIONAL  
DELEGATION TO ADOPT THE SO-CALLED VETERANS' PLEDGE

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Farren, Jr.

**TABLED**  
**10/24/93**

LR 2849 JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING CONGRESS TO EXTEND  
THE MAINE TERRITORIAL COASTAL WATERS FROM 3 MILES  
TO 12 MILES

**SPONSOR:** Sen. Summers

**TABLED**  
**10/24/93**

LR 2515 JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING CONGRESS TO PASS  
LEGISLATION SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZING LIMITATIONS  
ON UNPROCESSED TIMBER