

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACCEPTED BILL REQUESTS

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SPONSOR: Rep. Annis LR 2411
of Dover-Foxcroft ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Charter of the Dover and Foxcroft Water
District

SPONSOR: Rep. Barstow LR 2286
of Gorham ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Authorize Certain School Children To Carry
Asthma Inhalers on Their Persons

SPONSOR: Rep. Bowles LR 2327
of Sanford ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Requiring Blood Alcohol Testing of all Drivers
Involved in Accidents Resulting in Fatalities

SPONSOR: Rep. Bowles LR 2392
of Sanford ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Regarding Photo Identification

SPONSOR: Rep. Brannigan LR 2334
of Portland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Provide an Exemption to the Laws Governing
Patient Confidentiality Regarding Certain Former Patients
of the Augusta Mental Health Institute

SPONSOR: Sen. Brennan LR 2443
of Cumberland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Allow Psychologists to Prescribe Psychotropic
Drugs

SPONSOR: Sen. Brennan LR 2453
of Cumberland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
Resolve, Regarding the Financing of the Federal No Child
Left Behind Act of 2001

SPONSOR: Sen. Brennan LR 2538
of Cumberland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Transfer a Parcel of Land on Peaks Island to the
Peaks Island Land Preserve

SPONSOR: Sen. Bromley LR 2440
of Cumberland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Encourage the Proper Disposal of Expired
Pharmaceuticals

SPONSOR: Sen. Bromley LR 2444
of Cumberland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Financial Management Procedures of the
Maine Developmental Disabilities Council

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SPONSOR: Rep. Bruno LR 2439
of Raymond ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Promote Strong Economies and Smart Communities
by Supporting the New Century Program

SPONSOR: Rep. Bruno LR 2653
of Raymond ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Provide Vital Records for Adults in Maine

SPONSOR: Rep. Bruno LR 2654
of Raymond ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Clarify the Boundary Line of Third Beach in
Naples

SPONSOR: Rep. Bruno LR 2655
of Raymond ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Promote Fairness for Small Businesses That Serve
Alcoholic Beverages

SPONSOR: Sen. Bryant LR 2220
of Oxford ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Improve Awareness of Meningococcal Meningitis
Vaccination

SPONSOR: Rep. Canavan LR 2210
of Waterville ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Restrict the Use of Credit Scoring by Insurance
Companies

SPONSOR: Rep. Clark LR 2244
of Millinocket ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Prohibit Remote Control Train Crews

SPONSOR: Rep. Collins LR 2323
of Wells ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Require Owners and Operators of Snowmobiles and
All-terrain Vehicles To Carry Liability Insurance

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2194
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Provide Property Tax Relief to Maine Homeowners

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2206
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Promote Responsible Pet Ownership

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2209
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Honor Maine's First Peoples

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SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2345
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Revise the Frequency of Home Health Licensing
Surveys

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2346
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Promote Transparency in Budgeting

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2348
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Coordinate Employment Opportunities

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2454
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Restore the Violence Intervention and Prevention
Program

SPONSOR: Rep. Colwell LR 2551
of Gardiner ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Establish the Maine Jobs Trade and Democracy Act

SPONSOR: Rep. Cowger LR 2228
of Hallowell ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Ban the Sale of Novelties Using Mercury-containing
Batteries

SPONSOR: Rep. Craven LR 2214
of Lewiston ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Require That Rules Pertaining to Reimbursement for
Services for Child Development Services Be Major
Substantive Rules

SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2215
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Strengthen the Sex Offender Registration and
Notification Act of 1999

SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2218
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Encourage Cost Savings by State Employees

SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2241
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Creating the Central Maine Regional Public Safety
Communications Center

SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2256
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Encourage Efficient Facilities for Persons with
Mental Retardation

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SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2314
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
Resolve, To Commission a Portrait of the Honorable George
J. Mitchell to Hang in the State House

SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2315
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Create the Maine Military Family Relief Fund

SPONSOR: Sen. Daggett LR 2510
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Enhance Home-based Supportive Services To
Promote Independence for Maine Citizens

SPONSOR: Sen. Damon LR 2442
of Hancock ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Streamline the Sales Tax Credit for Worthless
Accounts To Eliminate Unnecessary Burdens on Maine
Businesses and Consumers

SPONSOR: Sen. Davis, Sr. LR 2238
of Piscataquis ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Strengthen State Retirement

SPONSOR: Sen. Douglass LR 2312
of Androscoggin ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Ensure Appropriate Care and Custody of Children
Orphaned by Domestic Violence

SPONSOR: Sen. Douglass LR 2313
of Androscoggin ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Require Criminal History Checks Prior to Placement
of Children by the Department of Human Services

SPONSOR: Rep. Dudley LR 2556
of Portland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Ensure Access to Life-sustaining Pharmaceuticals

SPONSOR: Rep. Dudley LR 2570
of Portland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Permit the Refilling of a Prescription prior
to the Exhaustion of the Original Prescription

SPONSOR: Rep. Dugay LR 2532
of Cherryfield ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Stock Spring River Lake in Township 10

SPONSOR: Rep. Dunlap LR 2401
of Old Town ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Publish Legal Shooting Times

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SPONSOR: Rep. Dunlap LR 2402
of Old Town ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Reestablish the Great Ponds Act

SPONSOR: Rep. Dunlap LR 2600
of Old Town ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Strengthen the Prohibition Against Night Hunting

SPONSOR: Rep. Duplessie LR 2306
of Westbrook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Increase the Amount of Restitution Allowed for
State and Municipal Fire Service

SPONSOR: Rep. Duplessie LR 2398
of Westbrook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Clarify Law Enforcement Procedures when Fatal
Motor Vehicle Accidents Involve More than One Vehicle

SPONSOR: Rep. Duplessie LR 2456
of Westbrook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act to Revise the Minimum Firefighter Safety Standards

SPONSOR: Rep. Duplessie LR 2587
of Westbrook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Clarify the Prevailing Wage Law

SPONSOR: Rep. Duprey, Jr. LR 2552
of Medway ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Authorize a Bond Issue for the Renovation of
Millinocket Municipal Airport

SPONSOR: Sen. Gagnon LR 2339
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the
Amount of \$1,000,000 to Fund Downtown Revitalization in
Order To Preserve the Heritage of a Municipality

SPONSOR: Sen. Gagnon LR 2341
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Regarding the Operation of All-terrain Vehicles
on Private Roads

SPONSOR: Sen. Gagnon LR 2420
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Penalty Provisions of the Campaign
Reports and Finance Laws

SPONSOR: Rep. Goodwin LR 2534
of Pembroke ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Abrogate the Hearsay Rule in Cases Involving
Custody or Protection of Children

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SPONSOR: Sen. Hall LR 2375
of Lincoln ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Guarantee That Consumers Receive Notification of
Insurance Policy Cancellation

SPONSOR: Sen. Hall LR 2542
of Lincoln ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Reimburse School Districts for Children in Group
Care Facilities

SPONSOR: Rep. Hutton LR 2296
of Bowdoinham ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
Resolve, Authorizing the Department of Transportation to
Erect Signs Identifying the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in
Capitol Park

SPONSOR: Rep. Jackson LR 2390
of Fort Kent ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Allow All Legal Fishing on Fish River

SPONSOR: Rep. Jackson LR 2628
of Fort Kent ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Ensure Access To Real Property by Owners

SPONSOR: Rep. Ketterer LR 2603
of Madison ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Prohibit Computer Hackers from Causing Damage to
Maine Residents or Businesses

SPONSOR: Rep. Koffman LR 2387
of Bar Harbor ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Growth Management

SPONSOR: Sen. LaFountain III LR 2481
of York ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Maine Consumer Credit Code

SPONSOR: Rep. Ledwin LR 2255
of Holden ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Rename the Vocational Technical Education Schools
"Career and Technical Education Schools"

SPONSOR: Rep. Lemoine LR 2434
of Old Orchard Beach ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Modify State Investments in Pharmaceutical
Manufacturers

SPONSOR: Rep. Lerman LR 2404
of Augusta ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Provide Assistance to Municipalities Regarding
Downtown Rehabilitation Building Codes

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SPONSOR: Rep. Lerman LR 2469
of Augusta ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
Resolve, To Require Cost Neutrality and Population
Appropriateness for Assisted Living Medication Courses

SPONSOR: Rep. Marley LR 2239
of Portland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Regarding Island Vehicles

SPONSOR: Rep. Marrache LR 2217
of Waterville ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Protect Local Communities

SPONSOR: Sen. Martin LR 2359
of Aroostook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Establish a Monitoring Program of Maine Lakes
Identified as Having Invasive Aquatic Species

SPONSOR: Sen. Mayo, III LR 2474
of Sagadahoc ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Clarify Membership on Boards of Directors for
Maine Financial Institutions

SPONSOR: Rep. Mills LR 2585
of Farmington ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Clarify the Standards for Granting a Name Change

SPONSOR: Rep. Mills LR 2602
of Farmington ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Relating to 48-hour Accident Reports

SPONSOR: Rep. Mills LR 2265
of Cornville ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Regarding Automobile Dealer Registration Plates

SPONSOR: Rep. Mills LR 2267
of Cornville ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Regarding the Number of Jurors Required To Render
a Verdict in a Civil Trial

SPONSOR: Rep. O'Neil LR 2358
of Saco ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Making Amendments to the Uniform Commercial Code
Covering Provisions Dealing with Negotiable Instruments
and Bank Deposits and Collection

SPONSOR: Rep. O'Neil LR 2536
of Saco ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Law Relating to Insurance Contracts

SPONSOR: Rep. Paradis, Jr. LR 2572
of Frenchville ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Control Exclusively Pornographic Establishments

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SPONSOR: Rep. Paradis, Jr. LR 2573
of Frenchville ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Allow the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and
Wildlife To Increase the Number of Moose Permits in
Critical Zones

SPONSOR: Rep. Pellon LR 2361
of Machias ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Mechanics' Liens

SPONSOR: Rep. Percy LR 2396
of Phippsburg ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Make Polling Places More Convenient

SPONSOR: Rep. Perry LR 2528
of Calais ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

Resolve, Directing the Department of Labor and the Executive
Department, Substance Abuse To Study the Prevalence of Drug
and Substance Abuse in Maine's Workforce

SPONSOR: Rep. Pingree LR 2247
of North Haven ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Ensure the Fair Counting of Votes

SPONSOR: Rep. Pingree LR 2478
of North Haven ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Reduce Contamination of Breast Milk and the
Environment from the Release of Brominated Chemicals in
Consumer Products

SPONSOR: Rep. Piotti LR 2343
of Unity ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act Concerning the Boundary Lines of the Town of Unity

SPONSOR: Rep. Richardson LR 2281
of Brunswick ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the
Amount of \$150,000,000 To Finance the Acquisition of Lands
and Interests in Lands for Conservation, Water Access,
Outdoor Recreation, Wildlife and Fish Habitat and Farmland
Preservation and Access \$50,000,000 in Matching
Contributions from Public and Private Sources

SPONSOR: Rep. Richardson LR 2419
of Brunswick ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Restore Funding for Certain Nursing Facilities
and Residential Care Facilities

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SPONSOR: Rep. Richardson LR 2544
of Brunswick ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Ensure Adequate Home-based Care Services and
Provide the Most Cost-effective Long-term Care for Maine
Seniors

SPONSOR: Rep. Richardson LR 2559
of Brunswick ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Amend the Laws Concerning Optional Membership
for Participating Local Districts in the Maine State
Retirement System

SPONSOR: Rep. Richardson LR 2562
of Brunswick ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Correct an Oversight in Maine's Homestead
Exemption for the Blind

SPONSOR: Sen. Rotundo LR 2430
of Androscoggin ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Require Pawnbrokers To Hold Property for at
Least 10 Days

SPONSOR: Rep. Saviello LR 2275
of Wilton ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Amend the Random Drug Testing Laws

SPONSOR: Rep. Sherman LR 2331
of Hodgdon ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Require the State To Allow Businesses an Income
Tax Deduction for the Empowerment Zone Credit in the Same
Way It Allows a Deduction for the Work Opportunity Credit

SPONSOR: Rep. Simpson LR 2324
of Auburn ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Prohibit Female Genital Mutilation

SPONSOR: Rep. Simpson LR 2325
of Auburn ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act Regarding Child Support Collection Practices

SPONSOR: Rep. Simpson LR 2356
of Auburn ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Electricians

SPONSOR: Rep. Smith LR 2526
of Van Buren ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Discourage Misuse of Protection-from-abuse
Proceedings

SPONSOR: Sen. Stanley LR 2363
of Penobscot ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03

An Act To Allow Towns to Consolidate for the Purpose of
Establishing a Voting Place

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SPONSOR: Sen. Stanley LR 2370
of Penobscot ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Require That Toll-free Telephone Numbers Listed
in a Telephone Book Have an Address Listed

SPONSOR: Sen. Strimling LR 2428
of Cumberland ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Amend the Freedom of Access Law To Exclude
Public Employees' Home Addresses

SPONSOR: Rep. Thomas LR 2480
of Orono ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
Resolve, Directing the Department of Education To Amend
Its Rules Regarding Child Development Services for
Children of Kindergarten Age

SPONSOR: Rep. Thompson LR 2282
of China ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Provide Equity in Veterans Exemptions

SPONSOR: Sen. Treat LR 2548
of Kennebec ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Ensure the Lowest-priced Prescription Drugs for
Maine Seniors

SPONSOR: Rep. Twomey LR 2437
of Biddeford ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Prohibit Tracking by Credit Bureaus through
Telecommunications

SPONSOR: Rep. Usher LR 2399
of Westbrook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the Amount
of \$3,000,000 To Stimulate and Support Maine's
Manufacturing, Transportation and Harbor Industries

SPONSOR: Rep. Usher LR 2525
of Westbrook ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Introduce the Grass Carp to Inland Waters on a
Trial Basis

SPONSOR: Rep. Watson LR 2235
of Bath ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Include Disability Pension Income in the
Definition of Eligible Pension Income

SPONSOR: Sen. Weston LR 2319
of Waldo ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act to Exempt Antique Auto Dealers from Dealer Plate
Restrictions

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SPONSOR: Rep. Woodbury LR 2598
of Yarmouth ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act Requiring Long-range Budget Planning

SPONSOR: Sen. Youngblood LR 2416
of Penobscot ACCEPTED ON: 10/22/03
An Act To Authorize the Town of Verona To Change Its Name
