

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**131st Maine State Legislature  
Legislative Council Taken on  
Requests to Introduce Legislation and  
Joint Resolutions  
First Regular Session  
January 26, 2023**

**AFTER DEADLINE BILL REQUESTS**

**Requestor:** Department of Public Safety

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
664	An Act to Require the Probate Court to Report Name Changes to the State Bureau of Identification	PASSED

**SPONSOR:** Sen. Eric Brakey

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2431	An Act to Establish a Maine Commercial Driver's License for Use Within State Borders	PASSED

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Benjamin Thomas Collings

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2389	An Act to Allow for Evidence-based Home Visiting Services	PASSED

2390	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Fully Fund Passenger Rail Expansion Between Brunswick and Bangor and Between Portland and Lewiston	PASSED
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2391	Resolve, to Provide for One Month of Free Passenger Rail Service in Maine	PASSED
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**SPONSOR:** Rep. Scott Wynn Cyrway

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2421	An Act Regarding the Regulation of Public and Private Ambulance Services and Fees for Treatment	PASSED

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Jack Ducharme

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2410	An Act to Amend the Membership of the Somerset Woods Trustees	PASSED

**SPONSOR: Rep. Billy Bob Faulkingham**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2396	An Act to Enact the Protection of Shared Physical and Digital Property from Warrantless Searches Act	PASSED

2398	An Act to Increase the Deduction from Income for Pension Benefits	PASSED
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**SPONSOR: Rep. Jessica L. Fay**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2408	An Act to Protect Internet Consumers	PASSED

**SPONSOR: Sen. Craig V. Hickman**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2392	An Act to Strengthen Legislative Oversight of Government Agencies and Programs by Providing the Government Oversight Committee Access to Confidential Records	PASSED

**SPONSOR: Pres. Troy Dale Jackson**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2419	An Act to Finish Completion of the Green Energy Materials Building at the University of Maine	PASSED

2427	An Act to Construct a New District Headquarters Building for the Bureau of Forestry in Fort Kent	PASSED
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**SPONSOR: Rep. Karen Lynn Montell**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2399	An Act to Expand Educational and Vocational Opportunities For Inmates and Incarcerated Individuals to Provide a Pathway to Re-entry	PASSED

**SPONSOR: Sen. Tim Nangle**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
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2397	An Act to Index Workers' Compensation Benefits to the Rate of Inflation	PASSED
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**SPONSOR: Sen. Trey Stewart**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2393	An Act to Bolster Maine's Workforce and Economy	PASSED

2394	An Act to Assist Parents in Finding Stable Employment	PASSED
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2423	An Act to Require the Payment of Child Support by an Intoxicated Driver Who Kills a Parent	PASSED
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2425	An Act to Implement Critical Reforms to the Department of Environmental Protection Outlined in the Nonpartisan Maine COVID-19 Reopening Plan	PASSED
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**SPONSOR: Rep. Holly B. Stover**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2426	Resolve, To Name a Bridge in the Town of Bremen the Kitty Breskin Memorial Bridge	PASSED

**SPONSOR: Sen. Eloise A. Vitelli**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2422	An Act to Establish the Disabled Veterans Municipal Shellfish Program	PASSED

#### JOINT RESOLUTIONS

**SPONSOR: Rep. John Andrews**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
1266	JOINT RESOLUTION URGING THE BIDEN ADMINISTRATION TO OPEN UP DOMESTIC ENERGY PRODUCTION	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Sen. Donna Bailey**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2400	JOINT RESOLUTION URGING MAINE'S FEDERAL DELEGATION TO CONTINUE WORKING WITH ALL STAKEHOLDERS TO FIX THE DELAYS IN POSTAL DELIVERY IN MAINE	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Sen. Richard A. Bennett**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
885	JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT THE REFORM OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY OFFSETS OF THE GOVERNMENT PENSION OFFSET AND THE WINDFALL ELIMINATION PROVISION	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Sen. Stacy Fielding Brenner**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
803	JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO LEAD A GLOBAL EFFORT TO PREVENT NUCLEAR WAR	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Rep. Billy Bob Faulkingham**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2038	JOINT RESOLUTION TO URGE THE MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL COMMISSIONER TO REINSTATE PETE ROSE AND TO INDUCT HIM INTO THE BASEBALL HALL OF FAME	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Sen. Craig V. Hickman**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2349	JOINT RESOLUTION, URGING MAINE'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUBMIT LEGISLATION TO PROTECT THE FOOD SUPPLY FROM PERFLUOROALKYL AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES AND OTHER CONTAMINANTS	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Pres. Troy Dale Jackson**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
579	JOINT RESOLUTION, URGING CONGRESS TO ACT QUICKLY TO PROVIDE HEATING ASSISTANCE TO MAINE PEOPLE	No action taken

**SPONSOR: Sen. James D. Libby**

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
577	JOINT RESOLUTION, URGING CONGRESS TO LIMIT THE FEDERAL RESERVE MONEY SUPPLY	No action taken

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Laurel Libby

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
2224	JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO REPEAL THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005	No action taken

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Rick G. Mason

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
960	JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO DEMAND THAT THE SOUTHERN UNITED STATES BORDER BE CLOSED TO DRUG CARTELS	No action taken

**SPONSOR:** Rep. Charles Axel Skold

<u>LR #</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
966	JOINT RESOLUTION, SUPPORTING FEDERAL LEGISLATION GRANTING STATEHOOD TO THE PEOPLE OF WASHINGTON, D.C.	No action taken