

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LEGISLATIVE RECORD**

**OF THE**

***One Hundred and Tenth***

***Legislature***

**OF THE**

**STATE OF MAINE**

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## HOUSE

Wednesday, January 6, 1982

Pursuant to Article IV, Part 3, Section 1 of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Maine, the Representatives to the One Hundred and Tenth Legislature assembled in the hall of the House and were called to order by John L. Martin of Eagle Lake, Speaker of the House.

Prayer by Father Royal J. Parent of St. Martin of Tours Church, Millinocket.

The members stood at attention during the playing of the National Anthem by the Waterville High School Concert Band.

A roll call was taken. 145 members answered to their names and accordingly a quorum was found to be present.

Those who were absent were: Representatives Baker of Portland, Gavett of Orono, Moholland of Princeton, Prescott of Hampden, and two seats vacant.

On motion of Representative Mitchell of Vassalboro, it was

ORDERED, that a Committee of nine be appointed to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that a quorum of the House of Representatives was assembled in the Hall of the House for the consideration of such business as may come before the House.

The Speaker appointed the following members:

Representatives:  
KANY of Waterville  
PARADIS of Augusta  
DIAMOND of Bangor  
LISNIK of Presque Isle  
McGOWAN of Pittsfield  
MASTERTON of Cape Elizabeth  
SMALL of Bath  
BELL of Paris  
DILLENBACK of Cumberland

Subsequently, Mrs. Kany for the Committee reported that it had attended to the duty to which it was assigned.

On motion of Representative Diamond of Windham, it was

ORDERED, that a message be conveyed to the Senate that a quorum of the House of Representatives was present for the consideration of such business as may come before the House.

Representative Mitchell of Vassalboro was appointed to convey the message and subsequently reported that she had delivered the message with which she was charged.

At this point, a message was received from the Senate, borne by Senator Collins of Knox of that body, informing the House that a quorum was present and that the Senate was ready to transact such business as might properly come before it.

### Messages and Documents

The following Communication:

State of Maine  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Augusta, Maine 04333

December 18, 1981

To Honorable Edwin H. Pert, Clerk  
House of Representatives,  
One Hundred and Tenth Legislature

Dear Clerk Pert:

In compliance with 3 MRSA § 1, please be advised that Representative Richard E. McKean, District 7 died on December 14, 1981.

You are hereby notified that a vacancy now exists in House of Representative District 7. According to Article IV, Part First, Section 6 of the Constitution of Maine, this vacancy may be filled by a new election. No date has been set to conduct such an election.

Respectfully,

S/RODNEY S. QUINN

Was read and ordered placed on file, and Dis-

trict 7 Seat was declared vacant.

The following paper appearing on Supplement No. 4 was taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

Mr. Mahany of Easton presented the following Joint Resolution and moved its adoption:

In Memory of:

The Honorable Richard E. McKean of Limestone, Member of the 108th, 109th and 110th Legislatures; (H. P. 1764) by Representative Mahany of Easton (Cosponsors: Representative Martin of Eagle Lake and Senators Viollette of Aroostook and Carpenter of Aroostook)

The Resolution was read and adopted and sent up for concurrence.

(The members stood for a moment of silence in memory of Representative Richard E. McKean of Limestone)

By unanimous consent, ordered sent forthwith to the Senate.

The following Communication: (H. P. 1757)

State of Maine  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
Augusta, Maine  
04333

December 18, 1981

The Honorable Joseph Sewall  
President of the Maine Senate  
332 Stillwater Avenue  
Old Town, Maine 04468

and  
The Honorable John L. Martin  
Speaker of the Maine House

Box 250  
Eagle Lake, Maine 04739

Dear Joe and John:

I am required by P.L. 1977 c. 710 § 1 to submit my recommendations for funding personnel and program costs in State government with monies from the Maine Criminal Justice Planning and Assistance Agency by January 15.

Once again, no Law Enforcement Assistance Administration funds will be available for new program grants. Further, I do not anticipate any new programs or personnel to be funded under the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act. Therefore, I do not anticipate any new personnel or program expenditures in State government under this program.

In the event either of these projections changes, I will notify you at the earliest time.

Sincerely,  
S/JOSEPH E. BRENNAN  
Governor

Was read and with accompanying report ordered placed on file and sent up for concurrence.

The following Communication:

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE at Orono  
December 30, 1981

Mr. Ed Pert  
Clerk of the House  
State House  
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Mr. Pert:

Enclosed please find a copy of the annual report on the operation of the State Government Internship Program as required by the Maine State Statutes, Chapter 14, paragraph 294. Due to a decreased budget, we are not able to provide copies for each Representative this year.

Sincerely,  
S/KATHRYN H. GODWIN, Director  
Bureau of Public Administration

Was read and with accompanying report ordered placed on file.

The following Communication: (H. P. 1756)

State of Maine  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
State House Station 22  
Augusta, Maine 04333

December 23, 1981

The Honorable John L. Martin

Speaker of the House  
Station #2

Augusta, Maine 04333

The Honorable Joseph Sewall  
President of the Senate  
Station #2

Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Speaker Martin and President Sewall:

As provided by 12 M.R.S.A. Section 685-A, Subsection 8, any amendments to the Land Use Regulation Commission's land use standards must be submitted to the Legislature. On behalf of the Commission, I am submitting to you amendments which the Commission adopted this past October. Under the LURC statute, if the Legislature chooses to take no action, these amendments will remain in effect as adopted.

These particular amendments are clarifications of the Commission's regulations concerning mineral exploration activities. They define those types of intensive exploration activities which require a LURC permit, and allow for less intensive exploration activities to be undertaken by adhering to performance standards similar to those applied to forestry activities. Attached to this letter is the Basis Statement which we prepared to explain the reasoning behind the changes to our regulations. The Basis Statement also contains representative comments made by the public during the public hearing we held on these changes, as well as responses to those comments.

Also attached to this letter is a document showing each of the amendments as well as a complete set of the Commission's revised standards which incorporate these changes.

We believe that these revised standards are more effective in protecting the environment, while minimizing burdens on landowners, than were the standards prior to amendment. The Commission and its staff are committed to an ongoing process of reviewing and improving these standards in order to assure that they are fully responsive to public needs and LURC's statutory mandate.

I will be happy to meet with the appropriate legislative committee and/or yourselves to further explain these amendments.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
S/JEFFREY R. PIDOT  
Director

Was read and with accompanying report ordered placed on file and sent up for concurrence.

The following Communication: (H. P. 1748)

State of Maine  
OFFICE OF  
SECRETARY OF STATE

January 4, 1982

To the Honorable 110th Legislature of the State of Maine  
Attention: House of Representatives, Clerk Pert

I have the honor to transmit herewith an initiated bill, "AN ACT to Adjust Annually Income Tax Laws to Eliminate Inflation-Induced Increases in Individual State Income Taxes," and the results of the examination by this office of the initiative petitions relating to it.

The minimum number of valid signatures required to initiate this legislation is 37,026. On December 22, 1981, our office received 1,343 petitions said to contain 39,226 signatures. After extensive review we have determined the number of valid signatures to be 39,214.

In view of the foregoing determination, I hereby certify that these petitions have met the constitutional requirements of the minimum of 37,026 valid signatures. Since the petitions have previously satisfied the constitutional requirements in all other respects, under the provision of Article IV, Part Third, Section 18, of the Constitution of Maine, I do hereby declare this initiative petition to be valid.

In the event the Legislature rejects this initiative proposal, a referendum election will be called for November, 1982.

Respectfully,  
S/RODNEY S. QUINN

Was read and ordered placed on file and sent up for concurrence.

The question now before the House is on I.B. 2, L.D. 1737, Bill "An Act to Adjust Annually Individual Income Tax Laws to Eliminate Inflation-Induced Increases in individual State Income Taxes."

On motion of Mrs. Mitchell of Vassalboro, tabled pending reference and later today assigned.

The following Communication:

State of Maine  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
State House Station 22  
Augusta, Maine 04333

December 31, 1981

The Honorable John Martin  
Speaker of the House  
House of Representatives  
State House Station #2  
Augusta, ME 04333  
Dear Speaker Martin:

In accordance with 12 MRSA 1601, I hereby submit to the Legislature my written estimate of the total anticipated costs of the Maine Forestry District for the next fiscal year.

My estimate of anticipated costs for the MFD for fiscal year 1983 is \$3,238,087.

Sincerely,  
S/RICHARD B. ANDERSON  
Commissioner

Was read and ordered placed on file.

### Petitions, Bills and Resolves

#### Requiring Reference

The following 31 Bills and 5 Resolves were transmitted by the Clerk of the House of the 110th Legislature in accordance with the provisions of Joint Rules 24 and 26 and referred to the following Committees:

#### Aging, Retirement and Veterans

Bill "An Act to Revise the Maine State Retirement Law to Provide Local Participating Districts the Option of Paying Employees' Mandatory Contributions to the Maine State Retirement System" (H. P. 1719) (L. D. 1704) (Presented by Representative Kelleher of Bangor) (Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26) (Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Agriculture

Bill "An Act to Protect Maine Milk Producers from Abrupt Loss of Markets" (H. P. 1726) (L. D. 1711) (Presented by Representative Mahany of Easton) (Cosponsors: Senator Hichens of York and Carpenter of Aroostook and Representative Sherburne of Dexter) (Submitted by the Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 24) (Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Business Legislation

Bill "An Act to Revise the Fair Credit Reporting Act and to Conform it to Recent Maine Judicial Decisions" (H. P. 1727) (L. D. 1712) (Presented by Representative Brannigan of Portland) (Cosponsor: Representative Jackson of Yarmouth) (Submitted by the Department of Business Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Clarify Variable Rate Disclosures in the Maine Consumer Credit Code" (H. P. 1752) (L. D. 1742) (Presented by Representative Gwadosky of Fairfield) (Submitted by the Department of Business Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Adjust the Fees for Licenses of the Electricians' Examining Board" (H. P. 1728) (L. D. 1713) (Presented by Representa-

tive Manning of Portland) (Cosponsors: Representative Vose of Eastport and Senator Sutton of Oxford) (Submitted by the Department of Business Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Clarify the First Lien Mortgage Exemption in the Maine Consumer Credit Code" (H. P. 1729) (L. D. 1714) (Presented by Representative Brannigan of Portland) (Cosponsors: Representatives Pouliot of Lewiston and Perkins of Brooksville) (Submitted by the Department of Business Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Education

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Procedure for Budget Meetings" (Emergency) (H. P. 1730) (L. D. 1715) (Presented by Representative Rolde of York) (Cosponsors: Representatives Murphy of Kennebunk, O'Rourke of Camden and Senator Clark of Cumberland) (Submitted by the Department of Educational and Cultural Services pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Correct Errors in the Education Laws" (H. P. 1783) (L. D. 1727) (Presented by Representative Connolly of Portland) (Submitted by the Department of Educational and Cultural Services pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Provide an In-State Practice Option as a Loan Forgiveness Factor of the Osteopathic Student Loan Program" (H. P. 1749) (L. D. 1739) (Presented by Representative Beaulieu of Portland) (Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Energy and Natural Resources

Bill "An Act to Eliminate a Mandatory Public Hearing for Permits to Locate Solid Waste Disposal Areas Closer than 300 Feet to a Classified Body of Surface Water" (H. P. 1721) (L. D. 1706) (Presented by Representative Davies of Orono) (Cosponsors: Representatives Dexter of Kingfield and Michaud of East Millinocket and Senator McBreairey of Aroostook) (Submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

RESOLVE, Authorizing the Exchange of Certain Public Reserved Lands (H. P. 1739) (L. D. 1728) (Presented by Representative Martin of Eagle Lake) (Submitted by the Department of Conservation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Allocate Funds from Low-Level Waste Siting Fund" (Emergency) (H. P. 1751) (L. D. 1741) (Presented by Representative Kany of Waterville) (Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26)

Bill "An Act to Provide for Withdrawal of Certain Lands from the Spruce Budworm Suppression Program" (H. P. 1750) (L. D. 1740) (Presented by Representative Hall of Sangerville) (Cosponsors: Representative Locke of Sebec and Senator McBreairey of Aroostook) (Submitted by the Department of Conservation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Fisheries and Wildlife

Bill "An Act Pertaining to Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Laws" (H. P. 1731) (L. D. 1716) (Presented by Representative MacEachern of Lincoln) (Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Define Open Firearm Season on Deer" (H. P. 1723) (L. D. 1708) (Presented by Representative MacEachern of Lincoln) (Cosponsor: Representative Peterson of Caribou) (Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act Relating to Control of Nuisance Wildlife" (H. P. 1722) (L. D. 1707) (Presented by Representatives Masterman of Milo) (Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Regulate the Harvest of Antlerless Deer Within the Western Deer Zone" (H. P. 1754) (L. D. 1744) (Presented by Representative Austin of Bingham) (Cosponsor: Representative Dexter of Kingfield) (Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act Relating to Wild Birds and Wild Animals Kept in Captivity" (H. P. 1720) (L. D. 1705) (Presented by Representative Gillis of Calais) (Cosponsor: Representative Erwin of Rumford) (Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Eliminate Discrimination in the Granting of Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Licenses" (H. P. 1740) (L. D. 1729) (Presented by Representative Post of Owl's Head) (Cosponsors: Representative MacEachern of Lincoln and Senator Usher of Cumberland) (Submitted by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Labor

Bill "An Act to Clarify and Make Corrections in the Labor Laws of Maine" (H. P. 1724) (L. D. 1709) (Presented by Representative Beaulieu of Portland) (Submitted by the Department of Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Amend Certain Provisions of the Elevator Laws" (H. P. 1732) (L. D. 1717) (Presented by Representative Beaulieu of Portland) (Submitted by the Department of Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act Allowing Variations on Interest Reflecting Conventional Interest Rates on Overdue Employer Contributions to the Bureau of Employment Security" (H. P. 1741) (L. D. 1730) (Presented by Representative Tuttle of Sanford) (Submitted by the Department of Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Amend the Employment Security Law to Include Federal Requirements and Other Options Available to the State" (H. P. 1753) (L. D. 1743) (Presented by Representative Beaulieu of Portland) (Submitted by the Department of Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act to Regulate the Materials, Construction and Installation of Chimneys, Fireplaces, Vents and Solid Fuels Burning Appliances" (H. P. 1733) (L. D. 1718) (Presented by Representative Beaulieu of Portland) (Cosponsors: Representatives Theriault of Fort Kent, Drinkwater of Belfast and Gillis of Calais) (Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Marine Resources

Bill "An Act Relating to Emergency Closure of Contaminated Shellfish Areas" (H. P. 1734) (H. P. 1719) (Presented by Representative Fowlie of Rockland) (Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act to Clarify Fish Inspection Responsibilities" (H. P. 1742) (L. D. 1731) (Presented by Representative Vose of Eastport) (Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Public Utilities

Bill "An Act to Clarify Certain Provisions of

the Public Advocates Statutes" (H. P. 1735) (L. D. 1720) (Presented by Representative Ridley of Shapleigh) (Cosponsor: Representative Bordeaux of Mount Desert) (Submitted by the Office of the Public Advocate pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### State Government

Bill "An Act to Create a Revolving Fund for Publications of the Department of Conservation" (H. P. 1743) (L. D. 1732) (Presented by Representative Michaud of East Millinocket) (Cosponsors: Representatives Bell of Paris and Diamond of Bangor) (Submitted by the Department of Conservation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

RESOLVE, Authorizing the Transfer of the Care and Custody of Certain Property to Grand Falls Township to the Bureau of Public Lands (H. P. 1745) (L. D. 1734) (Presented by Representative Kane of South Portland) (Submitted by the Department of Finance and Administration pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

RESOLVE, Authorizing the Bureau of Public Lands to Convey by Bid Sale of the State's Interest in Certain Real Property in the Unorganized Territory in Knox County (H. P. 1744) (L. D. 1733) (Presented by Representative Post of Owl's Head) (Cosponsor: Senator Collins of Knox) (Submitted by the Department of Conservation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Public Utilities

Bill "An Act to Allow the Chairman to Apportion Members of the Public Utilities Commission to Serve as Hearing Examiners" (H. P. 1755) (L. D. 1745) (Presented by Representative Vose of Eastport) (Cosponsor: Representative Weymouth of West Gardiner) (Submitted by the Office of the Public Advocate pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Committee on State Government was suggested.

On motion of Mrs. Kany of Waterville, the Bill was referred to the Committee on Public Utilities, ordered printed and sent up for concurrence.

#### Taxation

Bill "An Act Providing for Administrative Changes in the Maine Tax Laws" (H. P. 1746) (L. D. 1735) (Presented by Representative Kilcoyne of Gardiner) (Submitted by the Department of Finance and Administration pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

RESOLVE, Reimbursing Great Pond on Account of Taxes Lost Due to Lands being Classified under the Maine Tree Growth Tax Law (H. P. 1736) (L. D. 1721) (Presented by Representative Post of Owl's Head) (Submitted by the Department of Finance and Administration pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

RESOLVE, Reimbursing Certain Municipalities on Account of Taxes Lost Due to the Veterans' Property Tax Exemption (H. P. 1737) (L. D. 1722) (Presented by Representative Kane of South Portland) (Submitted by the Department of Finance and Administration pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Transportation

Bill "An Act Relating to Interstate Signing" (H. P. 1725) (L. D. 1710) (Presented by Representative Ingraham of Houlton) (Submitted by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

Bill "An Act Providing Greater Flexibility on the Use of State Public Transportation Funds for Operating Assistance to Public Transportation Providers" (H. P. 1747) (L. D. 1736) (Presented by Representative Swazey of Bucksport) (Submitted by the Department of

Transportation pursuant to Joint Rule 24)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Special Sentiment Calendar

In accordance with House Rule 56, the following items (Expressions of Legislative Sentiment) Recognizing:

Jim Balmer, of Bangor, who has been named to the 1981 Maine Class AA All-State Football Team; (H. P. 1758) by Representative Diamond of Bangor.

Dana Birnbaum, of Bangor, who has been named Maine's "Outstanding Young Woman" for 1981; (H. P. 1759) by Representative Diamond of Bangor.

Peter Durant, of Bangor, who has been named to the 1981 Maine Class AA All-State Football Team's offensive and defensive squad; (H. P. 1760) by Representative Diamond of Bangor.

Robbie Gould, of Bangor, who has been named to the 1981 Maine Class AA All-State Football Team, second team; (H. P. 1761) by Representative Diamond of Bangor.

Captain Raymond J. Normandeau who is retiring December 31, 1981, after 20 years of dedicated service to Sanford and the State as a firefighter; (H. P. 1762) by Representative Tuttle of Sanford. (Cosponsors: Senator Wood of York, Representatives Paul of Sanford and Ridley of Shapleigh)

In Memory of:

Frank Russell Hopper, of Caribou, who devoted his life in the service of his county and community; (H. P. 1763) by Representative Peterson of Caribou. (Cosponsors: Representatives Matthews of Caribou and Martin of Eagle Lake and Senator McBrearty of Aroostook)

There being no objections, these Expressions of Legislative Sentiment were considered passed or adopted.

The following paper appearing on Supplement No. 1 was taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

The following Joint Order: (S. P. 728)

ORDERED, the House concurring, that two hundred seventy five (275) copies of the Legislative Record for the session of 1982 be printed, one copy for each of the members of the Senate, House of Representatives, the secretary of the Senate and clerk of the House, and the remainder to be deposited with the State Law Librarian for exchange and library use; and be it further

ORDERED, that suitable index be prepared for such Legislative Record, under the direction of the Director of Legislative Research.

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, the Order was read and passed in concurrence.

The following papers appearing on Supplement No. 2 were taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

The following Joint Order: (S. P. 729)

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to furnish 100 20¢ stamps for each member of the House and Senate for the purpose of distributing various reports of the Departments of State and other public documents such as they may desire to mail to the citizens of the State.

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, the Order was read and passed in concurrence.

The following Joint Order: (S. P. 730)

ORDERED, the House concurring, that there be paid to the members of the Senate and House as advances on account of compensation established by statute, the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250) a week, payable bi-weekly, according to lists certified to the State Controller by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, respectively.

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, the Order was read and passed in concurrence.

The following papers appearing on Supplement No. 3 were taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

The following Joint Order: (S. P. 732)

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House be directed to furnish each morning to each member of the Senate and the House, a copy of the newspaper published in the State of Maine, chosen by the member during the Second Regular Session of the Legislature.

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, the Order was read and passed in concurrence.

The following Joint Order: (S. P. 731)

ORDERED, the House concurring, that there be prepared, after adjournment of the present session, by the Legislative Information Officer, a Register of all the Bills and Resolves considered by both branches of the Legislature, showing the history and final disposition of each Bill and Resolve and that there be printed 500 copies of the same. The Legislative Information Officer shall mail a copy of the Register to each member and officer of the Legislature and the State Law and Legislative Reference Library shall receive such number of copies as may be required.

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, the Order was read and passed in concurrence.

The following papers appearing on Supplement No. 5 were taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

Bill "An Act to Address the Potential Conflict of Interest of the Board of Pesticides Control" (Emergency) (S. P. 738) (L. D. 1723)

Bill "An Act to Transfer Certain Responsibilities for Insect Nuisance Identification from the Department of Conservation to the Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources" (S. P. 741) (L. D. 1726)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Agriculture in concurrence.

Bill, "An Act to Adjust the Fees for Licenses Issued by the Arborist Examining Board" (S. P. 739) (L. D. 1724)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Business Legislation and ordered printed.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Business Legislation in concurrence.

The following papers appearing on Supplement No. 6 were taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

Bill "An Act Permitting Deaf Persons to Serve on Juries" (S. P. 742) (L. D. 1738)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Judiciary and ordered printed.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Amend the Membership of the Governor's Advisory Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment" (S. P. 740) (L. D. 1725)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on State Government and ordered printed.

In the House, referred to the Committee on State Government in concurrence.

(Off Record Remarks)

#### House at Ease

Called to order by the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Cox of Brewer,

Adjourned until ten o'clock tomorrow  
morning in memory of Representative Richard  
E. McKean of Limestone.