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LD 206 / HP0172

An Act to Redefine Deadly Force. Presented by Rep. Drinkwater of Belfast; Co-sponsored by Rep. Whitcomb of Waldo. Judiciary Hearing 02-21-85. Majority O.N.T.P. Accepted by Senate; Minority OTP-ND (HP0772 / LD 1074) Accepted by House. Died Between Houses.

Original Bill

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Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

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New Drafts and Amendments

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News Articles

Groups shooting to redefine deadly force (Perry, Nancy) (Portland Press Herald, 2/22/1985)

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GOP called too soft on home force bill (Portland Press Herald, 3/13/1985) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD02XX/nc112-LD-0206/SB1121144 6A.pdf)

Maine House gives preliminary approval to deadly force bill (Rawson, Davis) (Bangor Daily News, 3/23/1985) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD02XX/nc112-LD-0206/SB1121200 2.pdf)

Coon cat, crime bills win house approval (Associated Press) (Portland Evening Express, 3/23/1985) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD02XX/nc112-LD-0206/SB1121200 1A.pdf)

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'Deadly force' defeat seen (Allen, Tim) (Lewiston Journal, 3/25/1985) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD02XX/nc112-LD-0206/SB1121200 3.pdf)

Deadly force bill is tabled in the House (Allen, Tim) (Lewiston Journal, 3/26/1985) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD02XX/nc112-LD-0206/SB1121200 4.pdf)

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