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LD 1249 / SP0446

An Act to Include the Term 'Sexual Orientation' in the Maine Human Rights Act.
Presented by Sen. Najarian of Cumberland; Co-sponsored by Sen. Bustin of Kennebec,
Sen. Baldacci of Penobscot, Rep. Connolly of Portland. Judiciary Hearing 05-23-85.
(Majority O.N.T.P.) Minority OTP-AM Accepted by Senate. House - Adhered to Indefinite
Postponement. 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

- Christian Civic League attacks state agencies' support of gay rights bill (Rawson, Davis) (Bangor Daily News, 5/21/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121410B 15A.pdf)
- Rights of gays argued at hearing (Rawson, Davis) (Bangor Daily News, 5/24/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121422C 10.pdf)
- Author Chute plugs gay rights (Mokrzycki, Michael) (Morning Sentinel, 5/24/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121422C 11.pdf)
- Bill would permit bias against gays (Jackson, Peter) (Morning Sentinel, 5/30/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121439D 2.pdf)
- Compromise gay rights bill zips through Senate (Rawson, Davis) (Bangor Daily News, 6/7/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121454E 12.pdf)
- 'Gay rights bill' picks up strong Senate support (Perry, Nancy) (Portland Press Herald, 6/7/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121454E 10.pdf)
- Senate vote seeks gay-rights alternative (Perry, Nancy) (Portland Press Herald, 6/8/1985) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 112/LD12XX/nc112-LD-1249/SB1121454E 17.pdf)

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