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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 842 / HP0591

An Act to Modify the Ban on Plastic Rings and Other Plastic Holding Devices. Presented by Rep. Gwadosky of Fairfield; Co-sponsored by Rep. Anderson of Woodland, and Rep. Gould of Greenville. Energy & Natural Resources Hearing 03/22/91. Majority OTP-AM Accepted 05/16/91 (Minority ONTP). Amended by: CA H-205, SA S-320. Final Disposition: Enacted, Approved 06/20/91, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 415.

**Original Bill**

[LD 842 \(115th Legis. 1991\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**

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**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-205\) \(LD 842 1991\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA \(S-320\) \(LD 842 1991\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, February 26, 1991 \(H258-285\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 27, 1991 \(S271-278\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 6, 1991 \(H648-660\)](#)

- p. H-656 (Amendment(s) H-205)

[HOUSE, May 7, 1991 \(H661-698\)](#)

- p. H-682 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 688)) (Amendment(s) H-205)

[HOUSE, May 8, 1991 \(H698-711\)](#)

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- p. S-807 (Amendment(s) H-205)

[HOUSE, May 28, 1991 \(H861-875\)](#)

- p. H-868 (Amendment(s) H-205)

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- p. H-886 (Amendment(s) H-205)

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[HOUSE, June 5, 1991 \(H940-986\)](#)

- p. H-986 (Amendment(s) H-205)

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- p. H-1011 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1015)) (Amendment(s) H-205)

[HOUSE, June 10, 1991 \(H1017-1087\)](#)

- p. H-1044 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-205, S-320)

[SENATE, June 10, 1991 \(S1082-1148\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 11, 1991 \(H1088-1147\)](#)

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[SENATE, June 11, 1991 \(S1149-1206\)](#)

- p. S-1185 (Amendment(s) H-205, S-320)

[HOUSE, March 26, 1992 \(H643-682\)](#)

- p. H-661 (R (in passing))

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## News Articles

Panel favors loosening rules on bags, yokes (Hale, John) (Bangor Daily News, 5/2/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151360.pdf)

Committee divided on plastic law (Rankin, Joe) (Morning Sentinel, 5/2/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151362.pdf)

House postpones ban on plastic six-pack yokes (Bangor Daily News, 5/8/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB115837.pdf)

Plastics industry wins two rounds in Augusta (33359) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 5/14/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151692.pdf)

Vote to delay ban on six-pack holders falls short of enactment in House (Adams, Glenn) (Bangor Daily News, 6/7/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151432.pdf)

Plastic 6-pack rings topic of hot debate (Adams, Glenn) (Kennebec Journal, 6/14/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151458.pdf)

Lobbyists fight ban on 6-pack yokes (Adams, Glenn) (Morning Sentinel, 6/14/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151460.pdf)

Legislature delays 6-pack ring ban (Portland Press Herald, 6/14/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151459.pdf)

Ban on six-pack rings proceeds over objections (Portland Press Herald, 6/26/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD08XX/nc115-LD-0842/SB1151490.pdf)

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