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**115th Legislature (1990-1992)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 944 / HP0665

Original Title: An Act to Permit Off-track Betting. New Title: An Act to Permit Off-track Betting and to Revise the Harness Racing Laws. Presented by Rep. Tardy of Palmyra; Co-sponsored by Rep. Macomber of South Portland, Rep. Ketover of Portland, and Sen. Titcomb of Cumberland. Legal Affairs Hearing 04/09/91. Majority OTP-AM Accepted 06/11/91. (Minority ONTP). Amended by: CA H-541, HD/CA (Changed Title) H-672. Final Disposition: Enacted, Approved 07/14/91, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 579.

**Original Bill**

[LD 944 \(115th Legis. 1991\)](#)

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

[LD 944 / PL 1991, c. 579](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Legal Affairs

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf115-LD-0944.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-541\) \(LD 944 1991\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment HA/CA \(H-596\) \(LD 944 1991\)](#)

[Amendment HB/CA \(H-654\) \(LD 944 1991\)](#)

[Amendment HC/CA \(H-664\) \(LD 944 1991\)](#)

[Amendment HD/CA \(H-672\) \(LD 944 1991\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, March 13, 1991 \(H325-356\)](#)

- p. H-325

[SENATE, March 13, 1991 \(S293-332\)](#)

- p. S-308

[HOUSE, June 6, 1991 \(H987-1016\)](#)

- p. H-992 (Amendment(s) H-541)

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

- p. H-1038 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596)

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

- p. H-1056 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596)

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

- p. S-1155 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596 (p 1156))

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

- p. S-1170 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596)

[HOUSE, June 12, 1991 \(H1148-1220\)](#)

- p. H-1155 (R (in passing)) (Amendment(s) H-654)

[HOUSE, June 12, 1991 \(H1148-1220\)](#)

- p. H-1175 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596)

[HOUSE, June 12, 1991 \(H1148-1220\)](#)

- p. H-1197 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596, H-672)

[SENATE, June 12, 1991 \(S1207-1272\)](#)

- p. S-1263 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-596, H-672)

[HOUSE, June 19, 1991 \(H1221-1243\)](#)

- p. H-1228 (Roll Call(s) (p 1228)) (Amendment(s) H-541, H-672)

[SENATE, June 19, 1991 \(S1273-1301\)](#)

- p. S-1294 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-672)

[SENATE, July 10, 1991 \(S1485-1519\)](#)

- p. S-1514 (Amendment(s) H-541, H-672)

### Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 1991, c. 579](#)

### Cross References

[LD 337 \(115th Legis. 1991\)](#)

[LD 402 \(115th Legis. 1991\)](#)

[LD 784 \(115th Legis. 1991\)](#)

[LD 833 \(115th Legis. 1991\)](#)

### News Articles

Off-track betting could become a reality in Maine (Ward, Ken) (Bangor Daily News, 3/15/1991) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD09XX/nc115-LD-0944/SB115705.pdf)

Lotto participation may end; Horse-race simulcasts possible (Kennebec Journal, 6/11/1991)

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: 115/LD09XX/nc115-LD-0944/SB115892.pdf)

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