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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 452 / HP0331

An Act Regarding Recovery from Members of the Tobacco Industry of Medicaid and Maine Health Program Health Care Costs for Tobacco-related Illness, Disease or Disability. Presented by Representative TOWNSEND of Portland; Cosponsored by Representative BRENNAN of Portland, Senator MILLS of Somerset and Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, BERRY of Livermore, CHIZMAR of Lisbon, FITZPATRICK of Durham, HEESCHEN of Wilton, JOHNSON of South Portland, MITCHELL of Portland, MORRISON of Bangor, RICHARDSON of Portland, SHIAH of Bowdoinham, THOMPSON of Naples, TREAT of Gardiner, Senators: FAIRCLOTH of Penobscot, PARADIS of Aroostook. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Human Resources. Public Hearing 04/03/95. House: Indefinite Postponement 06/28/95; Senate: Majority ONTP Accepted 06/28/95. Final Disposition: Died Between Houses 06/28/95.

**Original Bill**

[LD 452 \(117th Legis. 1995\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

[LD 452](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Human Resources

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-417\) \(LD 452 1995\) \(Minority\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, February 10, 1995 \(H129-136\)](#)

- p. H-129

[SENATE, February 10, 1995 \(S188-197\)](#)

- p. S-192

[HOUSE, June 13, 1995 \(H947-981\)](#)

- p. H-951 (Amendment(s) H-417)

[HOUSE, June 19, 1995 \(H1093-1119\)](#)

- p. H-1102 (Amendment(s) H-417)

[HOUSE, June 28, 1995 \(H1385-1418\)](#)

- p. H-1387 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1390)) (Amendment(s) H-417)

[SENATE, June 28, 1995 \(S1435-1483\)](#)

- p. S-1449 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1452)) (Amendment(s) H-417)

**News Articles**

Measure mimics national fray over smoking (Kesseli, Doug) (Bangor Daily News, 3/13/1995)

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Bill OKs tobacco lawsuit by state (Journal Tribune, 3/13/1995) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 117/LD04xx/nc117-LD-0452/SB1171040.pdf)

Bill seeks tobacco compensation (Portland Press Herald, 3/14/1995) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 117/LD04xx/nc117-LD-0452/SB117732.pdf)

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