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**118th Legislature (1996-1998)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 646 / HP0475

An Act to Limit Corporate Contributions and to Establish Voluntary Spending Limits for Citizen-Initiated Ballot Campaigns. Presented by Representative LEMKE of Westbrook; Cosponsored by Representatives: BUCK of Yarmouth, JONES of Bar Harbor, PAUL of Sanford, SHIAH of Bowdoinham, TUTTLE of Sanford, WATERHOUSE of Bridgton, Senators: KILKELLY of Lincoln, NUTTING of Androscoggin. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs. Public Hearing 02/25/97. Final Disposition: Majority (ONTP) Accepted 04/09/97.

**Original Bill**

[LD 646 \(118th Legis. 1997\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

[LD 646](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf118-LD-0646.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-153\) \(LD 646 1997\) \(Minority\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 30, 1997 \(H90-98\)](#)

- p. H-93

[SENATE, January 30, 1997 \(S87-101\)](#)

- p. S-98

[HOUSE, April 7, 1997 \(H400-410\)](#)

- p. H-408 (Amendment(s) H-153)

[HOUSE, April 8, 1997 \(H411-420\)](#)

- p. H-414 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 416)) (Amendment(s) H-153)

[SENATE, April 9, 1997 \(S484-495\)](#)

- p. S-488 (Amendment(s) H-153)

**News Articles**

Forest ecology supports referendum finance reform (Thistle, Scott) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 2/6/1997) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD06xx/nc118-LD-0646/SB118457.pdf)

Forest Ecology Network backers of L.D. 646 (Morning Sentinel, 3/6/1997, p. 6) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD06xx/nc118-LD-0646/SB118668.pdf)

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