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

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 2247 / SP0843

An Act Relating to Dam Abandonment. (GOVERNOR'S BILL). Presented by Senator TREAT of Kennebec; Cosponsored by Representative COLWELL of Gardiner and Senator NUTTING of Androscoggin, Representatives: SHIAH of Bowdoinham, WATSON of Farmingdale. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources. Public Hearing 03/16/98. OTP-AM Accepted 03/24/98. Amended by: CA S-579, SA/CA S-742. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 04/16/98, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 789.

**Original Bill**

[LD 2247 \(118th Legis. 1998\)](#)

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

[LD 2247 / PL 1997, c. 789](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-579\) \(LD 2247 1998\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-742\) \(LD 2247 1998\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[SENATE, March 3, 1998 \(S1685-1694\)](#)

- p. S-1687

[HOUSE, March 4, 1998 \(H1610-1632\)](#)

- p. H-1610

[SENATE, March 23, 1998 \(S1907-1939\)](#)

- p. S-1922 (Amendment(s) S-579)

[HOUSE, March 24, 1998 \(H1849-1892\)](#)

- p. H-1889 (Amendment(s) S-579 (p 1890))

[SENATE, March 24, 1998 \(S1940-1977\)](#)

- p. S-1952 (Amendment(s) S-579)

[HOUSE, March 25, 1998 \(H1893-1937\)](#)

- p. H-1924 (Amendment(s) S-579)

[SENATE, March 26, 1998 \(S2017-2059\)](#)

- p. S-2042 (Amendment(s) S-579)

[HOUSE, April 7, 1998 \(H2204-2252\)](#)

- p. H-2223 (Amendment(s) S-579, S-742)

[HOUSE, April 7, 1998 \(H2204-2252\)](#)

- p. H-2243 (Amendment(s) S-579, S-742)

[SENATE, April 7, 1998 \(S2314-2377\)](#)

- p. S-2336 (Amendment(s) S-579, S-742 (p 2337))

[SENATE, April 7, 1998 \(S2314-2377\)](#)

- p. S-2370 (Amendment(s) S-579, S-742)

#### **Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 1997, c. 789](#)

#### **News Articles**

Bill would give towns time to take over dam (Kennebec Journal, 3/16/1998) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD22xx/nc118-LD-2247/SB118225.pdf)

Officials plead for more time to plan dam (Edwards, Keith) (Kennebec Journal, 3/17/1998) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD22xx/nc118-LD-2247/SB118230.pdf)

Deadline extended on New Mills Dam (Edwards, Keith) (Kennebec Journal, 3/21/1998) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD22xx/nc118-LD-2247/SB118298.pdf)

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