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Resolve, to Promote Ethnic Diversity and Maine's French Heritage. Presented by Representative MENDROS of Lewiston; Cosponsored by Senator LaFOUNTAIN of York and Representatives: MADORE of Augusta, MICHAEL of Auburn, MURPHY of Kennebunk, O'BRIEN of Augusta, PARADIS of Frenchville, TWOMEY of Biddeford, Senators: LONGLEY of Waldo, YOUNGBLOOD of Penobscot. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs. Public Hearing 03/13/01. Final Disposition: Majority (ONTP) Accepted 03/28/01.

Original Bill

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Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs

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Floor Proceedings and Debate

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News Articles

Bill would require French language (Wells, Tammy) (Journal Tribune, 2/23/2001) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB120927.pdf)

Lawmaker proposes mandatory French classes (Kennebec Journal, 2/24/2001) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB120937.pdf)

Mendros: Require French (Hartill, Daniel) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 2/27/2001) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB1201661.pdf)

Panel hears bill on teaching French (Carrier, Paul) (Kennebec Journal, 3/14/2001) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB1201056.pdf)

Bill seeks French for some schools (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 3/14/2001) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB1201687.pdf)

French language bill debated (Tice, Lindsay) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/14/2001) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB1201049.pdf)

Panel fries Mendros' French bill (Tice, Lindsay) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/20/2001) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB1201084.pdf)

House rejects French bill (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/28/2001) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 120/LD07xx/nc120-LD-0750/SB1201742.pdf)

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