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**121st Legislature (2002-2004)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1661 / HP1237

Original Title: An Act To Ban the Sale of Novelties Containing Batteries with Mercury.  
New Title: Resolve, Regarding the Sale of Batteries Containing Mercury. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)  
Presented by Representative COWGER of Hallowell; Cosponsored by Senator DAMON of Hancock and Representatives: BULL of Freeport, DUNLAP of Old Town, HUTTON of Bowdoinham, KOFFMAN of Bar Harbor, O'NEIL of Saco, SAVIELLO of Wilton, SMITH of Monmouth, THOMPSON of China. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources. Public Hearing 01/20/04. OTP-AM Accepted 03/23/04. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-780. Final Disposition: Finally Passed, Signed 04/09/04, RESOLVE LAWS, Chapter 125.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1661 \(121st Legis. 2004\)](#)

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

[LD 1661 / Resolve 2003, c. 125](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf121-LD-1661.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-780\) \(LD 1661 2004\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 7, 2004 \(H1064-1086\)](#)

- p. H-1066

[SENATE, January 8, 2004 \(S1124-1140\)](#)

- p. S-1128

[HOUSE, March 19, 2004 \(H1385-1401\)](#)

- p. H-1390 (Amendment(s) H-780)

[HOUSE, March 22, 2004 \(H1402-1413\)](#)

- p. H-1405 (Amendment(s) H-780)

[SENATE, March 23, 2004 \(S1430-1440\)](#)

- p. S-1433 (Amendment(s) H-780)

[SENATE, March 25, 2004 \(S1441-1457\)](#)

- p. S-1451 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-780)

[HOUSE, March 30, 2004 \(H1467-1479\)](#)

- p. H-1476 (Amendment(s) H-780)

[SENATE, March 31, 2004 \(S1492-1503\)](#)

- p. S-1499 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-780)

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

[Resolve 2003, c. 125](#)

#### **News Articles**

Will Legislature ban Barbie? (McGregor, Jim) (Ellsworth American, 1/29/2004) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD16xx/nc121-LD-1661/SB121069.pdf)

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