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History and Final Disposition

LD 1937 / SP0771

An Act To Appropriate Funds to the Maine Potato Board for the Purchase of Potatoes in Need of Disposal Due to Weather Conditions during the Harvest in 2003. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.)

Presented by Senator MARTIN of Aroostook; Cosponsored by Representative WOTTON of Littleton and Senators: CATHCART of Penobscot, KNEELAND of Aroostook, STANLEY of Penobscot, Representatives: BENNETT of Caribou, CARR of Lincoln, CHURCHILL of Washburn, CLARK of Millinocket, COLWELL of Gardiner, DUNLAP of Old Town, FISCHER of Presque Isle, JACKSON of Fort Kent, JOY of Crystal, LUNDEEN of Mars Hill, PARADIS of Frenchville, RICHARDSON of Brunswick, SHERMAN of Hodgdon, SMITH of Van Buren, TARDY of Newport, THOMAS of Orono, YOUNG of Limestone. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Public Hearing 03/25/04. OTP Accepted 04/16/04. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 05/11/04, P & S LAWS, Chapter 52.

Original Bill

[LD 1937 \(121st Legis. 2004\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 1937 / P&SL 2003, c. 52](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment HA \(H-973\) \(LD 1937 2004\)](#)

[Amendment SA \(S-569\) \(LD 1937 2004\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, March 18, 2004 \(H1373-1384\)](#)

- p. H-1381

[SENATE, March 18, 2004 \(S1403-1415\)](#)

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[HOUSE, April 16, 2004 \(H1708-1749\)](#)

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[HOUSE, April 29, 2004 \(H1783-1834\)](#)

- p. H-1830 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-569)

[HOUSE, April 29, 2004 \(H1783-1834\)](#)

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- p. S-1762 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1762, 1763)) (Amendment(s) S-569)

[SENATE, April 29, 2004 \(S1724-1777\)](#)

- p. S-1768 (Amendment(s) S-569)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[P&SL 2003, c. 52](#)

News Articles

Wotton lends support to farm aid legislation (Houlton Pioneer Times, 4/7/2004) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1937/SB121329.pdf)

Potato dumping bill stalls in Legislature (Lynds, Jen) (Bangor Daily News, 4/23/2004) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1937/SB121386.pdf)

Potato relief legislation lets state buy \$750,000 in potatoes (St. John Valley Times, 5/5/2004, p. 6) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1937/SB121411.pdf)

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