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**122nd Legislature (2004-2006)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1196 / SP0413

An Act To Extend Civil Rights Protections to All People Regardless of Sexual Orientation. (GOVERNOR'S BILL). Presented by Senator TURNER of Cumberland; Cosponsored by Senators: BROMLEY of Cumberland, EDMONDS of Cumberland, MITCHELL of Kennebec, Representatives: DUDLEY of Portland, MUSE of Fryeburg, NORTON of Bangor, PERRY of Calais, RICHARDSON of Brunswick, THOMPSON of China. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 03/23/05. (OTP) Report A Accepted 03/29/05. Amended by: HI H-92. Enacted, Signed 03/31/05, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 10. Final Disposition: Survived People's Veto 11/08/05 (In favor of repeal: 181,926; Opposed: 223,274).

**Original Bill**

[LD 1196 \(122nd Legis. 2005\)](#)

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

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**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-38\) \(LD 1196 2005\) \(Report B\)](#)

[Amendment SA \(S-44\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

[Amendment HA \(H-82\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

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[Amendment HE \(H-86\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

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[Amendment HG \(H-88\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

[Amendment HH \(H-89\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

[Amendment HI \(H-92\) \(LD 1196 2005\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment HJ \(H-94\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

[Amendment HK \(H-95\) \(LD 1196 2005\)](#)

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## News Articles

Gay rights supporters lash out at Baldacci (Williams, Christopher) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 1/16/2005) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122603.pdf)

Baldacci to Legislature: Pass gay rights (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 1/27/2005, p. B1, B9) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122850.pdf)

Baldacci begins gay-bias battle (Goodman, Giselle) (Portland Press Herald, 2/26/2005) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122908.pdf)

Gay rights bill debate resurfaces (Cover, Susan M.) (Morning Sentinel, 2/27/2005, p. A1, A2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122915.pdf)

Gay rights bill would build on past effort (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 3/4/2005, p. B1, B4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122717.pdf)

Bishop neutral on gay-rights bill (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 3/23/2005) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122955.pdf)

Gay-rights debate packs hearing (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 3/24/2005) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122956.pdf)

- Bill's timing bashed (Cover, Susan M.) (Kennebec Journal, 3/26/2005, p. B1, B5) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122964.pdf)
- Senate supports gay-rights measure (Cover, Susan M.) (Kennebec Journal, 3/29/2005, p. A1, A6) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122965.pdf)
- Gay rights bill wins OK (Washuk, Bonnie) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/30/2005, p. A1, A7) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB122966.pdf)
- Pastors announce campaign to undo new gay rights law (Washuk, Bonnie) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 4/1/2005, p. A1, A8) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB1221262.pdf)
- Baldacci signs gay rights bill (Washuk, Bonnie) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 4/1/2005, p. A1, A8) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB1221263.pdf)
- Campaign aims to avoid 'people's veto' (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 4/8/2005, p. B1, B5) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 122/LD11xx/nc122-ld-1196/SB1221278.pdf)

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