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History and Final Disposition

LD 2283 / SP0908

An Act To Implement Recommendations of the Governor's Task Force on Wind Power Development. (GOVERNOR'S BILL). Presented by Senator BARTLETT of Cumberland; Cosponsored by Representative FITTS of Pittsfield and Senators: GOOLEY of Franklin, MARTIN of Aroostook, Representatives: FLETCHER of Winslow, HAMPER of Oxford, KOFFMAN of Bar Harbor, MACDONALD of Boothbay, MAREAN of Hollis, PIEH of Bremen. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Utilities and Energy. Public Hearing 03/31/08. OTP-AM Accepted 04/09/08. Amended by: CA S-581. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 04/18/08, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 661.

Original Bill

[LD 2283 \(123rd Legis. 2008\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 2283 / PL 2007, c. 661](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Utilities and Energy

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf123-LD-2283.pdf)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-581\) \(LD 2283 2008\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, March 27, 2008 \(H1289-1329\)](#)

- p. H-1301

[SENATE, March 27, 2008 \(S1664-1710\)](#)

- p. S-1670

[HOUSE, April 9, 2008 \(H1491-1530\)](#)

- p. H-1527 (Amendment(s) S-581)

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- p. S-1877 (Amendment(s) S-581)

[HOUSE, April 10, 2008 \(H1531-1545\)](#)

- p. H-1543 (Amendment(s) S-581)

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- p. H-1563 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-581)

[SENATE, April 11, 2008 \(S1942-1970\)](#)

- p. S-1969 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-581)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2007, c. 661](#)

Reports and Other Related Documents

[Report of the Governor's Task Force on Wind Power Development: Finding Common Ground for a Common Purpose: Final Report \(February 2008\)](#)

[Governor's Task Force on Wind Power Development. Report on the State of Maine's Wind Energy Goals and Realization of Tangible Benefits \(January 19, 2009\)](#)

[Governor's Office of Energy Independence and Security. Maine Wind Energy Development Assessment: Report and Recommendations \(March 2012\)](#)

News Articles

Energy company urges lawmakers to approve Redington wind project (Metzler, Rebekah) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 4/1/2008) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD22xx/nc123-ld-2283/SB1232286.pdf)

Wind power bill sails through Legislature (Miller, Kevin) (Bangor Daily News, 4/12/2008) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD22xx/nc123-ld-2283/SB1232360.pdf)

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