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**124th Legislature (2008-2010)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1541 / HP1085

An Act To Protect Consumers from Charges after a Free Trial Period. (Submitted by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Joint Rule 204.) Presented by Representative HUNT of Buxton. Referred to Jt. Standing Comm. on Business, Research and Economic Development. Public Hearing 01/14/10. OTP-AM Accepted 02/18/10. Amended by: CA H-626. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 03/10/10, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 502.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1541 \(124th Legis. 2010\)](#)

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

[LD 1541 / PL 2009, c. 502](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf124-LD-1541.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-626\) \(LD 1541 2010\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 6, 2010 \(H940-963\)](#)

- p. H-943

[SENATE, January 7, 2010 \(S1227-1244\)](#)

- p. S-1232

[HOUSE, February 11, 2010 \(H1050-1056\)](#)

- p. H-1052 (Amendment(s) H-626)

[HOUSE, February 17, 2010 \(H1057-1069\)](#)

- p. H-1063 (Amendment(s) H-626)

[SENATE, February 18, 2010 \(S1365-1373\)](#)

- p. S-1366 (Amendment(s) H-626)

[SENATE, February 23, 2010 \(S1374-1390\)](#)

- p. S-1384 (Amendment(s) H-626)

[HOUSE, February 25, 2010 \(H1089-1101\)](#)

- p. H-1101 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-626)

[SENATE, March 2, 2010 \(S1403-1421\)](#)

- p. S-1420 (Amendment(s) H-626)

**Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2009, c. 502](#)

**News Articles**

Maine enacts law to end deceptive free trial offers (Harrison, Judy) (Bangor Daily News, 4/1/2010, p. B6) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD15xx/nc124-ld-1541/B1004005.pdf)

New law protects consumers from deceptive free trials (Advertiser Democrat, 4/8/2010, p. 5A) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD15xx/nc124-ld-1541/Clip10706.pdf)

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