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History and Final Disposition

LD 466 / HP0305

An Act To Increase Competition and Ensure a Robust Information and Telecommunications Market. Presented by Representative DUNPHY of Embden. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology. Public Hearing 04/01/15. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 04/11/16. Amended by: CA H-655. Carried Over: 06/30/15. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/13/16, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 462.

Original Bill

[LD 466 \(127th Legis. 2015\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 466 \(1st Regular Session\)](#)

[LD 466 \(Carried Over\) / PL 2015, c. 462](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-655\) \(LD 466 2016\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(H-656\) \(LD 466 2016\) \(Minority\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, February 24, 2015 \(H99-112\)](#)

- p. H-102

[SENATE, February 24, 2015 \(S119-133\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 30, 2015 \(H1099-1158\)](#)

- p. H-1114

[SENATE, June 30, 2015 \(S1318-1391\)](#)

- p. S-1348

[HOUSE, April 8, 2016 \(H1591-1600\)](#)

- p. H-1599 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-655, H-656)

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- p. H-1616 (Amendment(s) H-655)

[SENATE, April 11, 2016 \(S1973-2001\)](#)

- p. S-1978 (Amendment(s) H-655 (p 1979), H-656 (p 1979))

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- p. S-1993 (Amendment(s) H-655)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2015, c. 462](#)

News Articles

- AARP Maine to lawmakers: Don't cut seniors' landlines (Thistle, Scott) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 2/26/2016, p. B6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/D1602122.pdf)
- Bill would cut FairPoint mandatory landline service in 25 communities (Fishell, Darren) (Bangor Daily News, 3/4/2016, p. A1, A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/B1603037.pdf)
- Maine starts to acknowledge the end of landlines (Bangor Daily News, 3/15/2016, p. A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/B1603059.pdf)
- Unfair: FairPoint landline negotiations abandon Maine's elderly, poor (Oliver, Deborah) (Bangor Daily News, 3/21/2016, p. A5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/B1603079.pdf)
- Advocates for seniors, consumers keeping eye on landline bill (Scribner, Krysteana) (Journal Tribune, 4/9/2016, p. A1, A3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/D1604065.pdf)
- Maine moves toward making telephone landlines extinct (Bell, Tom) (Kennebec Journal, 4/20/2016, p. A1, A2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/K1604020.pdf)
- Regulated landline service to end in Maine's biggest communities (Fishell, Darren) (Bangor Daily News, 4/27/2016, p. A1, A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD04xx/nc127-ld-0466/B1604066.pdf)

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