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History and Final Disposition

LD 1398 / SP0519

An Act To Reduce Electric Rates for Maine Businesses. Presented by Senator MASON of Androscoggin. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology. Public Hearing 01/07/16. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 03/24/16. Amended by: CA S-422, SA/CA S-471. Carried Over: 06/30/15. Final Disposition: Enacted, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 498. (Veto Overridden 04/29/16).

SP0700

Joint Order, Recalling Bill "An Act To Reduce Electric Rates for Maine Businesses," SP 519, LD 1398, from the Governor's Desk to the Senate. Presented by Senator WOODSOME of York. Final Disposition: Passed in Concurrence 04/01/16.

Original Bill

[LD 1398 \(127th Legis. 2015\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 1398 \(1st Regular Session\)](#)

[LD 1398 \(Carried Over\) / PL 2015, c. 498](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf127-LD-1398.pdf)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-422\) \(LD 1398 2016\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(S-423\) \(LD 1398 2016\) \(Minority\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-471\) \(LD 1398 2016\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, May 12, 2015 \(H400-418\)](#)

- p. H-413

[SENATE, May 12, 2015 \(S545-569\)](#)

- p. S-553

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

- p. H-1114

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

- p. S-1348

[SENATE, March 23, 2016 \(S1743-1770\)](#)

- p. S-1766 (Amendment(s) S-422, S-423)

[HOUSE, March 24, 2016 \(H1445-1459\)](#)

- p. H-1448 (Amendment(s) S-422, S-423)

[HOUSE, March 28, 2016 \(H1460-1478\)](#)

- p. H-1466 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-422)

[HOUSE, March 29, 2016 \(H1479-1497\)](#)

- p. H-1497 (Remarks (in passing))

[SENATE, March 29, 2016 \(S1803-1821\)](#)

- p. S-1811 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-422)

[HOUSE, April 1, 2016 \(H1545-1551\)](#)

- p. H-1551

[SENATE, April 1, 2016 \(S1863-1871\)](#)

- p. S-1870

[SENATE, April 4, 2016 \(S1872-1885\)](#)

- p. S-1884 (Amendment(s) S-422)

[SENATE, April 5, 2016 \(S1886-1903\)](#)

- p. S-1901 (Amendment(s) S-422, S-471)

[HOUSE, April 7, 2016 \(H1571-1590\)](#)

- p. H-1571 (Amendment(s) S-422, S-471)

[HOUSE, April 7, 2016 \(H1571-1590\)](#)

- p. H-1589 (Amendment(s) S-422, S-471)

[SENATE, April 8, 2016 \(S1953-1972\)](#)

- p. S-1969 (Amendment(s) S-422, S-471)

[HOUSE, April 29, 2016 \(H1731-1779\)](#)

- p. H-1743 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1744)) (Amendment(s) S-422, S-471)

[SENATE, April 29, 2016 \(S2117-2148\)](#)

- p. S-2119 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s))

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2015, c. 498](#)

News Articles

Bill to reduce electric rates for industry gets mixed review (Thistle, Scott) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 1/8/2016, p. A3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD13xx/nc127-ld-1398/D1601022.pdf)

Efficiency investments better deal than electricity subsidies (Bangor Daily News, 1/12/2016, p. A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD13xx/nc127-ld-1398/B1601029.pdf)

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