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**127th Legislature (2014-2016)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1655 / SP0676

An Act To Increase the Number of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Professionals in the State. Presented by Senator ALFOND of Cumberland. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs. Public Hearing 03/22/16. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 03/31/16. Amended by: CA S-446. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/05/16, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 435.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1655 \(127th Legis. 2016\)](#)

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

[LD 1655 / PL 2015, c. 435](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-446\) \(LD 1655 2016\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(S-447\) \(LD 1655 2016\) \(Minority\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[SENATE, March 16, 2016 \(S1693-1704\)](#)

- p. S-1699

[HOUSE, March 17, 2016 \(H1388-1399\)](#)

- p. H-1388

[SENATE, March 30, 2016 \(S1822-1842\)](#)

- p. S-1833 (Amendment(s) S-446, S-447)

[HOUSE, March 31, 2016 \(H1518-1544\)](#)

- p. H-1522 (Amendment(s) S-446)

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

- p. H-1547 (Amendment(s) S-446)

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

- p. S-1883 (Amendment(s) S-446)

**Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2015, c. 435](#)

**News Articles**

Panel backs bill that would give Maine residents a break on students loans (Gallagher, Noel K.) (Portland Press Herald, 3/23/2016, p. B3) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD16xx/nc127-ld-1655/P1603077.pdf)

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