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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1158 / SP0379

An Act To Remove the Limit on the Number of Public Charter Schools That May Be Approved. (Submitted by the Department of Education pursuant to Joint Rule 204.) Presented by Sen. MASON of Androscoggin. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs. Public Hearing 04/18/17. Final Disposition: Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report 06/08/17.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1158 \(128th Legis. 2017\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

[LD 1158](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf128-LD-1158.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-217\) \(LD 1158 2017\) \(Minority\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, March 23, 2017 \(H237-253\)](#)

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[SENATE, March 23, 2017 \(S276-295\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 8, 2017 \(H803-832\)](#)

- p. H-830 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-217)

[SENATE, June 8, 2017 \(S956-984\)](#)

- p. S-974 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-217)

[SENATE, June 8, 2017 \(S956-984\)](#)

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**News Articles**

Charter supporters urge Maine legislators to stop '10 schools in 10 years' limit (Noel K. Gallagher) (Portland Press Herald, 4/19/2017, p. B1, B3) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD11xx/nc128-LD-1158/PPH 170419E.pdf)

Bill to allow more than 10 charter schools in Maine falls short in committee (Noel K. Gallagher) (Portland Press Herald, 4/26/2017, p. A1, A7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD11xx/nc128-LD-1158/PPH 170426E.pdf)

Maine needs expanded, higher-level energy office, Republican leader says (Tux Turkel) (Portland Press Herald, 4/26/2017, p. A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD11xx/nc128-LD-1158/PPH 170426F.pdf)

Maine students need more charter schools (Jacob Posik) (Times Record, 6/1/2017, p. A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD11xx/nc128-LD-1158/Times Record 170601B.pdf)

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