



MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE LIBRARY
Legislative History Collection
129th Legislature (2018-2020)

History and Final Disposition

LD 540 / HP0397

An Act Regarding Qualifications for District Attorneys. Presented by Representative MORRIS of Turner. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 02/21/19. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 04/23/19. Amended by: CA H-98. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 05/08/19, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 85.

Original Bill

[LD 540 \(129th Legis. 2019\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 540 / PL 2019, c. 85](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf129-LD-0540.pdf)
[Public Hearing \(committee page >> audio file\) \(LD 540\) \(JUD\) \(2/21/2019\)](#)
[Work Session \(committee page >> audio file\) \(LD 540\) \(JUD\) \(2/26/2019\)](#)
- (Click audio link on committee page. Audio files may cover several bills/papers)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-98\) \(LD 540 2019\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)
[Amendment CB \(H-99\) \(LD 540 2019\) \(Minority\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, January 31, 2019 \(H94-101\)](#)

- p. H-98

[SENATE, January 31, 2019 \(S101-118\)](#)

- p. S-117

[HOUSE, April 18, 2019 \(H373-389\)](#)

- p. H-386 (Amendment(s) H-98, H-99)

[SENATE, April 23, 2019 \(S454-475\)](#)

- p. S-466 (Amendment(s) H-98, H-99)

[HOUSE, April 25, 2019 \(H414-426\)](#)

- p. H-424 (Amendment(s) H-98)

[SENATE, April 30, 2019 \(S498-529\)](#)

- p. S-523 (Amendment(s) H-98)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2019, c. 85](#)

News Articles

Republican lawmaker aims to avoid another Seth Carey electoral embarrassment (Judy Harrison) (Bangor Daily News, 2/22/2019, p. B1, B2) ● (Available on request—please include citation: 129/LD05xx/nc129-LD-0540/BDN 190222E.pdf)

Seth Carey's unsuccessful DA race spurs effort to change law (Steve Collins) (Sun-Journal, 4/14/2019, p. C1, C3) ● (Available on request—please include citation: 129/LD05xx/nc129-LD-0540/Sun Journal 190414B.pdf)

To obtain items available on request, or to report errors or omissions in this history, please contact:

[Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library](#)