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LD 1563 / SP0498

An Act To Encourage the Development of Broadband Coverage in Rural Maine. Presented by Senator BELLOWS of Kennebec. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology. Public Hearing 01/21/20. OTP-AM Accepted 03/17/20. Amended by: CA S-405, SA/CA S-443. Carried Over: 06/20/19. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 03/18/20, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 625.

Original Bill

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[LD 1563 \(1st Regular Session\)](#)

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-405\) \(LD 1563 2020\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-443\) \(LD 1563 2020\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, April 16, 2019 \(H362-372\)](#)

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[SENATE, April 16, 2019 \(S410-440\)](#)

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[SENATE, June 19, 2019 \(S1192-1273\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 27, 2020 \(S1471-1486\)](#)

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[SENATE, March 3, 2020 \(S1487-1503\)](#)

- p. S-1496 (Amendment(s) S-405)

[HOUSE, March 5, 2020 \(H1291-1302\)](#)

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Enacted Law or Resolve

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