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**129th Legislature (2018-2020)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1679 / SP0550

Original Title: An Act To Establish the Maine Climate Change Council To Assist Maine To Mitigate, Prepare for and Adapt to Climate Change. New Title: An Act To Promote Clean Energy Jobs and To Establish the Maine Climate Council. Presented by Senator WOODSOME of York. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources. Public Hearing 05/17/19. OTP-AM Accepted 06/06/19. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) S-221. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 06/26/19, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 476.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1679 \(129th Legis. 2019\)](#)

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

[LD 1679 / PL 2019, c. 476](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf129-LD-1679.pdf)  
[Public Hearing \(committee page >> audio file\) \(LD 1679\) \(ENR\) \(5/17/2019\)](#)  
[Work Session \(committee page >> audio file\) \(LD 1679\) \(ENR\) \(5/22/2019\)](#)
- (Click audio link on committee page. Audio files may cover several bills/papers)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-221\) \(LD 1679 2019\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, May 2, 2019 \(H448-464\)](#)

- p. H-463

[SENATE, May 2, 2019 \(S530-565\)](#)

- p. S-538

[HOUSE, June 6, 2019 \(H799-841\)](#)

- p. H-829 (Amendment(s) S-221)

[SENATE, June 6, 2019 \(S930-960\)](#)

- p. S-956 (Amendment(s) S-221)

[HOUSE, June 7, 2019 \(H842-857\)](#)

- p. H-847 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) S-221)

[SENATE, June 10, 2019 \(S987-1024\)](#)

- p. S-1004 (Amendment(s) S-221)

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

- p. S-1218 (Amendment(s) S-221)

**Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2019, c. 476](#)

**Reports and Other Related Documents**

[Maine Climate Council Annual Report to the Legislature \(January 15, 2021\)](#)

**News Articles**

Gov Mills proposes climate council to pursue emissions, energy goals (Kevin Miller)  
(Portland Press Herald, 5/1/2019, p. A1, A4) ● (Available on request—please include  
citation: 129/LD16xx/nc129-LD-1679/PPH 190501C.pdf)

More asthma, fewer cod- Mills cites impacts on Maine as she pitches climate (Scott Thistle)  
(Portland Press Herald, 5/18/2019, p. A1, A8) ● (Available on request—please include  
citation: 129/LD16xx/nc129-LD-1679/PPH 190518A.pdf)

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