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**131st Legislature (2022-2024)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 56 / HP0031

Original Title: An Act to Provide Free Admission to State Parks and Historic Sites for the Spouses and Children of Veterans Holding Free Day Use Passes. New Title: An Act to Provide Free Admission to State Parks and Historic Sites for the Immediate Family Members of Veterans and Active Military Personnel. Presented by Representative HEPLER of Woolwich. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation, and Forestry. Public Hearing 01/25/23. Carried Over: 07/26/23. Final Disposition: Carried Over 05/10/24.

**Original Bill**

[LD 56 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0056.pdf  
[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(ACF\) \(01/25/2023\)](#)  
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(ACF\) \(02/01/2023\)](#)
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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-9\) \(LD 56 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 4, 2023 \(H-24-44\)](#)

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[SENATE, January 4, 2023 \(S-24-51\)](#)

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[HOUSE, March 28, 2023 \(H-235-245\)](#)

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[SENATE, March 30, 2023 \(S-347-386\)](#)

p. S-365 (Amendment(s) H-9)

[SENATE, April 05, 2023 \(S-387-410\)](#)

p. S-406 (Amendment(s) H-9)

[HOUSE, April 6, 2023 \(H-290-296\)](#)

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[SENATE, April 11, 2023 \(S-424-435\)](#)

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[SENATE, July 25, 2023 \(S-1531-1592\)](#)

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[HOUSE, July 25, 2023 \(H-1153-1189\)](#)

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#### **News Articles**

Legislators vote to expand access to state parks, historical sites (Will Tuell) (Machias Valley News Observer, 2/8/2023, p. 17) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD00xx/nc131-LD-0056/The Machias Valley News Observer 230208B.pdf)

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