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

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 165 / HP0106

An Act to Increase the Governor's Salary. Presented by Representative BRIDGEO of Augusta. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government. Public Hearing 04/25/23. OTP-AM Accepted 06/07/23. Amended by: CA H-292. Final Disposition: Enacted, Unsigned 01/07/24, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 488.

**Original Bill**

[LD 165 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law**

[LD 165 / PL 2023, c. 488](#)

**Analyst Notes**

[LD 165 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0165.pdf)

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(SLG\) \(04/25/2023\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(SLG\) \(05/04/2023\)](#)

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-292\) \(LD 165 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 17, 2023 \(H-52-59\)](#)

p. H-55

[SENATE, January 17, 2023 \(S-62-72\)](#)

p. S-70

[HOUSE, June 6, 2023 \(H-610-653\)](#)

p. H-632 (Amendment(s) H-292)

[SENATE, June 07, 2023 \(S-927-995\)](#)

p. S-968 (Amendment(s) H-292)

[HOUSE, June 12, 2023 \(H-702-761\)](#)

p. H-703 (Amendment(s) H-292)

[SENATE, June 12, 2023 \(S-1031-1096\)](#)

p. S-1092 (Amendment(s) H-292)

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

p. S-1568 (Roll Call(s)(p1569)) (Amendment(s) H-292)

**Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2023, c. 488](#)

**News Articles**

Top job, low pay- No governor makes less than Maine's (Randy Billings) (Maine Sunday Telegram, 2/27/2023, p. A1, A8) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD01xx/nc131-LD-0165/MST 230226A.pdf)

Raising governor's salary is about respect (Editorial) (Bangor Daily News, 3/3/2023, p. A10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD01xx/nc131-LD-0165/BDN 230303E.pdf)

Committee backs bill to raise pay of governor (Eric Russell) (Portland Press Herald, 5/5/2023, p. B1, B6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD01xx/nc131-LD-0165/PPH 230505H.pdf)

Lawmakers pass bills to increase Maine politicians pay (Will Tuell) (Machias Valley News Observer, 8/8/2023, p. 14) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD01xx/nc131-LD-0165/Machias Valley News Observer 230809E.pdf)

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