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

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 718 / SP0276

Original Title: An Act to Increase the Beneficial Reuse of Construction and Demolition Debris. New Title: An Act to Facilitate the Management of Wastewater Treatment Plant Sludge at the State-owned Juniper Ridge Landfill. Presented by Senator BLACK of Franklin. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources. Public Hearing 05/08/23. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 06/16/23. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) S-330. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Emergency Signed 06/23/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 283.

**Original Bill**

[LD 718 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law**

[LD 718 / PL 2023, c. 283](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0718.pdf)

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(ENR\) \(05/08/2023\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(ENR\) \(05/17/2023\)](#)

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-330\) \(LD 718 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(S-331\) \(LD 718 2023\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, February 16, 2023 \(H-131-143\)](#)

p. H-141

[SENATE, February 16, 2023 \(S-160-188\)](#)

p. S-172

[SENATE, June 14, 2023 \(S-1154-1212\)](#)

p. S-1199 (Amendment(s) S-330, S-331)

[HOUSE, June 16, 2023 \(H-901-919\)](#)

p. H-914 (Amendment(s) S-330, S-331)

[HOUSE, June 20, 2023 \(H-920-967\)](#)

p. H-920 (Amendment(s) S-330)

[SENATE, June 20, 2023 \(S-1280-1327\)](#)

p. S-1302 (Amendment(s) S-330)

**Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2023, c. 283](#)

**Reports and Other Related Documents**

[Maine Department of Environmental Protection. Analysis of Sludge and State-Owned Landfills as Public Utilities \(January 2024\)](#)

**News Articles**

Lawmakers clash over bill to delay out-of-state trash ban (Penelope Overton) (Portland Press Herald, 5/9/2023, p. A1, A5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD07xx/nc131-LD-0718/PPH 230509C.pdf)

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