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131st Legislature (2022-2024)

History and Final Disposition

LD 724 / SP0282

Original Title: An Act to Expand Workforce Housing in Rural Maine by Funding the Maine State Housing Authority's Rural Affordable Rental Housing Program. New Title: An Act to Increase Opportunities for the Development or Preservation of Low-income Housing. Presented by Senator RENY of Lincoln. Referred to the Joint Select Committee on Housing. Public Hearing 04/14/23. OTP-AM Accepted 06/08/23. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) S-178. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 06/16/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 218.

Original Bill

[LD 724 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 724 / PL 2023, c. 218](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Select Committee on Housing

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0724.pdf)

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(HOU\) \(04/14/2023\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(HOU\) \(04/18/2023\)](#)

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

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-178\) \(LD 724 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

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

p. H-142

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

p. S-173

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

p. S-953 (Amendment(s) S-178)

[HOUSE, June 8, 2023 \(H-665-701\)](#)

p. H-669 (Amendment(s) S-178)

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

p. H-704 (Amendment(s) S-178)

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

p. S-1091 (Amendment(s) S-178)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2023, c. 218](#)

News Articles

Reny introduces bill to invest in affordable housing options (None) (Advertiser Democrat, 4/20/2023, p. B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD07xx/nc131-LD-0724/Advertiser Democrat 230420B.pdf)

A few issues in the Legislature (Cameron Reny) (Lincoln County News, 5/9/2023, p. 6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD07xx/nc131-LD-0724/Clip23185.pdf)

A bipartisan budget that addresses our needs (Cameron Reny) (Lincoln County News, 8/18/2023, p. 6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD07xx/nc131-LD-0724/Clip23352.pdf)

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