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131st Legislature (2022-2024)

History and Final Disposition

LD 1352 / HP0866

An Act to Remove Barriers to Becoming a Lawyer. Presented by Representative BOYER of Poland. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 04/11/23. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 07/06/23. Amended by: CA H-705. Final Disposition: Indefinitely Postponed 07/06/23.

Original Bill

[LD 1352 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-1352.pdf)

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(JUD\) \(04/11/2023\)](#)

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

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-705\) \(LD 1352 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-438\) \(LD 1352 2023\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

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

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[SENATE, March 28, 2023 \(S-328-346\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 23, 2023 \(H-1054-1084\)](#)

p. H-1066 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)(p1070)) (Amendment(s) H-705)

[SENATE, June 23, 2023 \(S-1443-1462\)](#)

p. S-1450 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)(p1451)) (Amendment(s) H-705)

[HOUSE, July 6, 2023 \(H-1132-1152\)](#)

p. H-1149 (Amendment(s) H-705)

[SENATE, July 6, 2023 \(S-1490-1530\)](#)

p. S-1510 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)(p1511)) (Amendment(s) H-705, S-438)

News Articles

Bill aims to drop law school requirement to be licensed to practice law in Maine (Joe Charpentier) (Sun Journal (Lewiston), 4/7/2023, p. A1, A3) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD13xx/nc131-LD-1352/Sun Journal 230407A.pdf)

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