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History and Final Disposition

LD 1363 / HP0877

An Act to Support Extraction of Common Minerals by Amending the Maine Metallic Mineral Mining Act. Presented by Representative LANDRY of Farmington. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources. Public Hearing 04/13/23. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 06/27/23. Amended by: CA H-384, HA/CA H-576. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 07/07/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 398.

Original Bill

[LD 1363 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 1363 / PL 2023, c. 398](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-1363.pdf)
[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(ENR\) \(04/13/2023\)](#)
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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-384\) \(LD 1363 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)
[Amendment HA/CA \(H-576\) \(LD 1363 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)
[Amendment HB/CA \(H-601\) \(LD 1363 2023\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, March 28, 2023 \(H-235-245\)](#)
p. H-237
[SENATE, March 28, 2023 \(S-328-346\)](#)
p. S-344
[HOUSE, June 8, 2023 \(H-665-701\)](#)
p. H-685 (Amendment(s) H-384)
[HOUSE, June 23, 2023 \(H-1054-1084\)](#)
p. H-1079 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)(p1081)) (Amendment(s) H-384, H-601, H-576)
[HOUSE, June 27, 2023 \(H-1110-1131\)](#)
p. H-1119 (Amendment(s) H-576, H-384)

[SENATE, June 27, 2023 \(S-1463-1489\)](#)

p. S-1464 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-384, H-576)

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

p. S-1500 (Amendment(s) H-576, H-384)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2023, c. 398](#)

Reports and Other Related Documents

[Maine Revenue Services. Maine's Taxation of Metallic Mineral Mining Business Activity \(January 15, 2024\)](#)

News Articles

Regulators propose 'risk-based' approach to Maine metal mining (Kate Cough) (Bangor Daily News, 5/16/2023, p. A1, A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD13xx/nc131-LD-1363/BDN 230516B.pdf)

Ignoring need for caution, mining bill moving at speed of industry (Nickie Sekera) (Portland Press Herald, 6/9/2023, p. A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD13xx/nc131-LD-1363/PPH 230609D.pdf)

Maine likely to amend its strict mining laws (Kate Cough) (Portland Press Herald, 6/20/2023, p. B1, B6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD13xx/nc131-LD-1363/PPH 230619B.pdf)

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