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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS LEGISLATION 111th Legislature, First Regular Session

BANKING

LD TITLE SPONSOR DISPOSITION

180 AN ACT TO AMEND THE BANKING CODE DILLENBACK (OTPA)
REGARDING MINIMUM AMOUNT ENTITLED VETO Sustained
TO INTEREST

- SUMMARY: Would eliminate the requirement that thrift institutions pay interest on small accounts, except minors' accounts of \$25 or more. The minimum amount entitled to interest would be set by the bank.
- COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-25): Establish \$100 minimum for regular accounts; \$25 for minors' accounts. (ADOPTED)
- 237 AN ACT TO AMEND THE BANKING CODE CLARK, N (OTPA)
 REGARDING THE TRUST POWERSOF PL 1983,c.89
 THRIFT INSTITUTIONS
- SUMMARY: Would extend trust powers to thrift institutions on an equal basis with commercial banks.
- COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-11): Requires thrifts to send copies of FDIC, FSLIC application materials to Bureau of Banking; strikes section 1, because replaced by LD 353; corrects erroneous references to "trust companies".
- COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (S-17): Same as C "A"; resubmitted due to error on committee report jacket. (ADOPTED)
- HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-60): Corrects section numbering for consistency in Banking Code. (Brannigan) (ADOPTED)
- 319 AN ACT RELATING TO OWNERSHIP OF BRANNIGAN OTPND (838)
 STOCK IN MAINE FINANCIAL
 INSTITUTIONS
- SUMMARY: Allows a financial institution to acquire more than a 5% interest in the shares of another financial institution, subject to approval by the Bureau of Banking.