

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
AGING, RETIREMENT & VETERANS
BILL SUMMARY



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1617 AN ACT TO MODIFY EARLY RETIRE-
MENT PLANS FOR STATE EMPLOYEES
HIRED AFTER SEPTEMBER 30, 1983

McCollister

CARRY OVER
BILL

SUMMARY: Would have eliminated special retirement plans for state employees hired after September 30, 1983, except for State Police and prison guards.

1622 AN ACT CONCERNING GROUP LIFE
INSURANCE FOR STATE EMPLOYEES
AND TEACHERS

Clark, N

(OTP-AM)
EMER. ENACT.
PL 461

SUMMARY: Increases the maximum basic group life insurance from \$25,000 to the annual salary level, rounded up to the next \$1,000; allows the MSRS to offer supplemental insurance at the same level as basic; increases dependent insurance and allows the MSRS to offer 2 programs; and increases the benefit available to retirees who have been insured continuously for 10 years prior to retirement.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-168): Makes several technical drafting corrections to the original bill.(ADOPTED)

1677 AN ACT TO ASSURE PUBLIC
AWARENESS OF NUCLEAR CIVIL
PROTECTION PLANS FOR MAINE

Andrews

ND ID1331
PL 516

SUMMARY: Reduces the number of members on the Commission and the number of public hearings; provides for staff assistance to the Commission and establishes a termination date for the Commission.

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-152): Corrects a technical error in the bill.
(ADOPTED)

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" (S-251): Eliminates the appropriation for "All Other".
(ADOPTED)

1777 AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY
LAWS OF THE STATE OF MAINE

Hickey

(OTP)
Held by Gov.

SUMMARY: Makes a number of substantive changes in the military laws.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-425): Clarifies language relating to the issuance of a temporary restraining order against unnamed persons who are causing a disturbance.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" (H-430): Clarifies that the APA applies to certain actions of the Adjutant General; removes specific language relating to the issuance of temporary restraining orders; clarifies that state environmental laws and rules apply when an armory is built and provides an appeal mechanism for municipalities which disagree with their assigned share of the cost of armory construction.(ADOPTED)