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### ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL SUMMARIES
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#### STATE OF MAINE

## ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION

#### JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON

STATE GOVERNMENT

BILL SUMMARY



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(Committee Report)
DISPOSITION

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LD TITLE

2029

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A MAINE HISTORIC REGISTER

Baker

LV/WD

SUMMARY: LD 2029 proposed to authorize the Maine Historic Preservation Commission to maintain a Maine Historic Register of historic sites, buildings, structures, etc., in Maine, in the event that the federal government reduced its committment and responsibilities to this program. The sponsor was requested to accept a "leave-to-withdraw" report because there is no indication that the federal government intends to reduce funding of this program or to abrogate its administrative responsibilities of the program.

Presently over 600 individual building sites and 73 historic districts in Maine are on the National Historic Register. Between 1978 and 1983, \$37,128,120 of historic projects have been undertaken in Maine.

2115 AN ACT PERTAINING TO THE DIS- Violette POSITION OF SURPLUS REAL. ESTATE

OTP-ND SEE LD 2349

SUMMARY: LD 2115 proposed to require the Bureau of Public Improvements to maintain a list of surplus real estate and to provide for the creation of a State Policy for the disposition of surplus real estate. In addition to an inventory of surplus state real estate that describes the current market value, the size and location of the property. LD 2115 created a 6 member commission to develop a state policy for surplus property distribution. The Commission was charged to review policies and procedures pertaining to the sale, leasing, and transfer of title of state surplus property, to determine the branch or agency of government to be vested with the authority to approve the change in title, and to determine the disposition of revenues derived from the sale or lease of surplus property.

The Committee reported the bill out in new draft LD 2349 which retained much of the original bill, but made a number of changes to avoid a fiscal note.