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This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the Second Regular Session of the 111th Legislature. The summaries are arranged alphabetically, and indexed separately by committee.

<u>LD</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>SPONSOR</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
2127	AN ACT TO AMEND THE WAITING PERIOD BETWEEN RECORDING INTENTIONS OF MARRIAGE AND RECEIPT OF A MARRIAGE LICENSE	McHenry	PL 1983, c. 686

SUMMARY: This bill changed the waiting period between filing of intentions to marry and issuance of a marriage license from 5 days to 3 days. It also permits Supreme Judicial Court justices and Superior Court justices, as well as District Court judges and Probate Court judges, to waive the waiting period.

2134	AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SUSPENSIONS OF DRIVERS' LICENSES ON ADMINISTRATIVE DETERMINATION OF BLOOD-ALCOHOL CONTENT	Hayden	LV/WD
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withdrawn to be redrafted as LD 2431.

2146	AN ACT TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL EXTRADITION ACT	Soule	PL 1983, c. 843
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SUMMARY: This bill is designed to simplify and streamline the criminal extradition process and to speed up the procedure by which fugitives are returned to sister states. It provides that technical defects in extradition paper work shall not prevent extradition unless the fugitive is prejudiced by the defect. It limits bail for a fugitive.

The bill also addresses several recurring technical problems in the extradition process and establishes an extradition account, funded by forfeited bail, to finance the return of fugitives to this State.