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<u>LD</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>SPONSOR</u>	
2301	AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ADMN- ISTRATIVE CHANGES IN THE MAINE TAX LAWS REPLACED BY LD 2473	Higgins, H	OTP-ND - LD 2473

2303	AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SALES TAX ON MEALS AND LODGING AND TO ESTABLISH A MEALS AND LODGING TAX FOR THE PUR- POSES OF STABILIZING THE PROPERTY TAX AND PROMOTING TOURISM	Martin, J	LV/WD
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SUMMARY: - 7% meals and lodging tax.  
- Increase revenue sharing to 5 3/4% beginning August, 1984  
- Provides \$100,000/month for tourism promotion

2311	RESOLUTION, PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF MAINE TO PROVIDE THAT MUNICIPALITIES MAY CHOOSE TO TAX CERTAIN PROPERTY WHICH HAS BEEN EXEMPT AT A PERCENTAGE OF JUST VALUE		LV/WD
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SUMMARY - Minority report (Wood) of property tax exemption study  
- Would give municipalities option to tax certain formerly exempt  
property at 25% of just value