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BILL SUMMARIES
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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 First Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number and indexed separately by committee.

LD: 209 AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE PAYMENT OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS TO WORKERS WHO ARE ON STRIKE
ND: 1057

WILLEY
TWITCHELL
BELL
BROWN A

ONTP HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:
See new draft, LD 1057.

LD: 210 AN ACT TO INCREASE FAIRNESS TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMANTS
ND: 1221

BEAULIEU

OTP-ND HPO864 HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:
See new draft, LD 1221.

LD: 211 AN ACT TO INCORPORATE LAST BEST OFFER PROVISIONS INTO THE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC EMPLOYEES LABOR RELATIONS LAW FOR SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND J
WEYMOUTH

LV-WD HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:
The bill would have allowed binding arbitration on all negotiable items, including economic issues, for all collective bargaining involving public school employees since they do not have the right to strike. The bill required an "item-by-item last best offer" method of arbitration in which the arbitrator must select one of the final offers made by either the employees or the employer.

LD: 212 AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CAP ON WORKERS' COMPENSATION INCREASE

RIDLEY
POULIOT
DAGGETT

ONTP HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

SUMMARY:
LD 212 created a 5% cap on all annual benefit adjustments under the Workers' Compensation Act.