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#### STATE OF MAINE

## ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON TAXATION

BILL SUMMARY



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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE BILL SUMMARIES JULY 1985

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:

237

AN ACT CONCERNING WIDOW'S EXEMPTIONS FOR LOCAL PROPERTY TAXES

STEVENS P LACROIX MAYO HICKEY

LV-WD

HOUSE Accepted Committee Report SENATE Accepted Committee Report GOV

SUMMARY:

Permits veteran's widows who remarry to regain their property tax exemption if they are again widowed or divorced.

AN ACT RELATING TO AN INCREASE IN CIGARETTE LD: 238 EMERGENCY EXCISE TAX

MARTIN J VIOLETTE DIAMOND J CASHMAN

HOUSE Ref'd to Committee SENATE Ref'd to Committee GOV

SUMMARY:

Held over. Makes increase in cigarette tax scheduled for October 1, 1985 contingent upon reduction in federal cigarette tax.

239 AN ACT TO REPEAL THE UNITARY TAX LD:

SPROUL JACKSON ZIRNKILTON WEBSTER M

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Accepted Committee Report SENATE Accepted Committee Report GOV

SUMMARY:

Repeals unitary treatment of corporations for purposes of income tax.

LD: 240 AN ACT TO EXEMPT LOBSTER FEED AND MEDICATION FOSTER NECESSARY FOR THE LOBSTER POUND BUSINESS FROM HOLLOWAY THE STATE SALES TAX

OTP-AM HOUSE Enacted SENATE Enacted

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SUMMARY:

Permits sales tax exemption for products and bait used in aguacultural production. Revenue loss--\$39,400 in FY 85-86 and \$64,700 in FY 86-87.