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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION
BILL SUMMARY



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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.

CA-S-138: A Committee Amendment to the minority report added a definition of homosexuality to make a clear distinction between homosexuality and "homosexual activity."

LD: 1215 AN ACT TO INCREASE ACADEMIC LEARNING TIME CROUSE
ND: 195

HOUSE Other
SENATE Engrossed
GOV

SUMMARY:

The original bill would have limited all public announcements made during academic periods, except for emergencies, to one occurrence. The new draft would have required school boards to adopt rules governing interruptions of classes for non-academic activities.

LD: 1227 AN ACT TO PERMIT RESTRUCTURING OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICTS MARTIN J

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

SUMMARY:

The bill would have permitted municipalities to join together to form school administrative districts (SADs) for elementary grades only. At present SADs must include programs for both elementary and secondary schools.

LD: 1228 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR STATE CERTIFICATION OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS BOST
MARTIN J
PEARSON
CROUSE

OTP-AM HOUSE Enacted PUBLIC
SENATE Enacted CH # 287
GOV SIGNED

H-173 CA H S
H-181 CA BROWN A H S

SUMMARY:

This bill would have established a 2 level certification for principals and superintendents with basic standards for each level and a support team to assess a candidates strengths and weaknesses. An action plan would have been developed for each administrator to specify the criteria each administration must meet for certification.

CA-H-173: The Committee Amendment establishes general initial certification and renewal requirements for