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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
ENERGY & NATURAL RESOURCES
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.

The new draft would have required the State, acting through the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, and the City of Augusta and nearby towns, to negotiate an agreement for the development of the greenbelt area. The negotiations could result in revision of the plan and development of an agreement based on that revision. The costs of updating the plan and eventually of developing and administering the greenbelt area would be borne by the area communities. The commissioner was to report any agreement reached to the Second Regular Session of the 112th Legislature which could then enact legislation implementing development of the greenbelt area.

HA-H-168: The House Amendment authorizes the City of Augusta to develop a plan for a greenbelt and provides for lease of the property to the City of Augusta upon approval of the plan by the Second Session of the 112th Legislature.

LD:	1470	AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A FUNDING MECHANISM TO MAKE THE JOINT ENVIRONMENTAL TRAINING PROGRAM SELF-SUPPORTING	NAJARIAN LAW HOGLUND RIDLEY
ND of	1262		
		HOUSE Enacted SENATE Enacted GOV SIGNED	PUBLIC CH # 204

SUMMARY:

This new draft of LD 1262 mandates that the Environmental Training Program be self-supporting. Sources of revenue can include any except the General Fund.

LD:	1478	AN ACT TO REAUTHORIZE THE FOREST RESOURCE ASSESSMENT AND MARKETING PROGRAM	MICHAUD JACQUES DEXTER USHER
EMERGENCY			
OTP-AM		HOUSE Emerg. Enacted SENATE Emerg. Enacted GOV EMER SIGNED	PUBLIC CH # 491
H-217	CA	H S	

SUMMARY:

The bill reestablishes a program in the Department of Conservation designed to promote further utilization of Maine's forests. The Committee amended the bill (CA H-217) to require the Commissioner (DOC) to report annually to the Committee.