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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.

LD: 1370 AN ACT TO EXPAND AND CONTINUE ALCOHOLISM TREATMENT, EDUCATION, PREVENTION AND RESEARCH PROGRAMS BRODEUR  
ROLDE  
BUSTIN  
STOVER  
HOUSE Ref'd to Committee  
SENATE Ref'd to Committee  
GOV

SUMMARY:  
Doubles alcohol premium tax. Held over.

LD: 1481 AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A STUDY OF THE UNORGANIZED TERRITORY MARTIN J  
MCBREAIRTY  
LV-WD HOUSE Accepted Committee Report  
SENATE Accepted Committee Report  
GOV

SUMMARY:  
Provides for study of funding of services and taxation of the unorganized territory.

LD: 1482 AN ACT TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN DISABILITY BENEFITS FROM STATE INCOME TAX HARPER  
HICHBORN  
ONTP HOUSE Accepted Committee Report  
SENATE Accepted Committee Report  
GOV

SUMMARY:  
Provides that taxpayers may continue to exclude certain disability benefits from income for purposes of income tax as an alternative to a retirement credit. This provision permits a continuation of treatment of these benefits before a recent federal change.

LD: 1483 AN ACT TO EXEMPT SEARCH AND RESCUE UNITS FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX SALSBURY  
OTP-AM HOUSE Enacted  
SENATE Enacted  
GOV SIGNED CH #473  
H-398 CA H S

SUMMARY:  
Provides sales tax exemption for search and rescue units.