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BILL SUMMARY



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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE BILL SUMMARIES MAY 1986

This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees and Joint Select Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the Second Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number under each committee.

All Amendments are listed, by paper number (e.g., H-584 or S-222), together with the sponsor if it is a floor amendment or the designation "CA" if it is a committee amendment. If the amendment was adopted in the House, the letter H appears after the sponsor. If it was adopted in the Senate, the letter S appears.

Final action for each bill is listed to the right of the title. If final House action and Senate action differ, both are listed.

Key to Committee Reports and Floor Action:

Ought to Pass OTP Ought to Pass in New Draft OTP-ND Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title OTP-ND-NT Ought to Pass as Amended OTP-AM Ought Not to Pass ONTP Leave to Withdraw LVWD Indefinitely Postponed INDEF PP

The State Government Committee amended the bill to provide for legislative participation in the allocation of tax exempt bonds for various uses.

The amendment authorizes the Governor to allocate the state ceiling on the issuance of tax-exempt bonds by Executive Order for the year 1986 only. Beginning in 1987, the allocation of the state ceiling requires the approval of the Legislature with respect to the formula for making the allocations and the uses to which the tax-exempt bonds will be put.

In the event that the Tax Reform Act establishes the effective date for the 1987 allocation prior to the enactment of legislation by the Governor and Legislature providing for the 1987 allocation, the Governor, with the approval of the Legislature, shall provide an emergency temporary allocation effective until the Legislature enacts the allocation as provided by law.

The amendment also provides for the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over State Government to establish a procedure by which emergency allocations may be made for the period between January 1, 1987, and the date on which the allocation of the state ceiling becomes effective.

LD RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE LEASE OF LITTLE 2206 JEWELL ISLAND

RESOLVE 1985 c. 65

Sponsor: CLARK, N.

Committee Report: New Draft of LD 1539

SUMMARY: Please refer to LD 1539.

LD AN ACT CONCERNING THE ALLOCATION OF CERTAIN PL 1985
2211 OPERATING COSTS OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE
MAINE CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND
C. 667

Sponsor: DIAMOND, J., Murray, Cote, Swazey, M. Committee Report: New Draft of LD 2000

H-585 BOST H S S-432 VIOLETTE H S S-437 ANDREWS H S

SUMMARY: Please refer to LD 2000.