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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. The summaries are arranged by LD number under each committee.

All Adopted 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 "COMMITTEE" if it is a committee amendment.

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

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Key to Committee Reports and Floor Action:

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

FISHERIES & WILDLIFE

LD 30 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR ADDITIONAL MOOSE HUNTING INDEF. PP
PERMITS FOR IN-STATE RESIDENTS.

Sponsor: ROTONDI, Smith, Clark H, Theriault
Committee Report: MAJ-OTP-A, MIN-ONTP

SUMMARY: This bill increases the number of permits that can be issued for moose-hunting from 1000 to 1500. The original bill allocated the entire increase to Maine residents by requiring that no more than 7% of all permits be granted to non-residents. The bill was amended in committee to return to the existing allocation of 10% of total moose permits to non-residents.

The bill was indefinitely postponed in the House and the minority report was accepted in the Senate.

LD 39 AN ACT TO CREATE A NONRESIDENT PROPERTY OWNER LVWD
FISHING LICENSE.

Sponsor: JACKSON, Black, Tamaro, Brown
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: This bill would have created a special nonresident property owner fishing license that would be priced midway between the resident and nonresident's fee. The rationale for introducing this bill was that nonresidents that pay property taxes should receive some relief on their fishing license fees.

LD 40 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE USE OF GILL NETS BY ND LD 1653
AGENTS OF THE STATE FOR SCIENTIFIC PURPOSES.

Sponsor: JACQUES
Committee Report: OTP-ND-NT LD 1653

SUMMARY: See New Draft LD 1653.

LD 41 AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SMALL GAME HUNTING ND LD 1374
LICENSE AND A COMBINATION HUNTING AND FISHING
LICENSE.

Sponsor: JACQUES
Committee Report: OTP-ND-NT LD 1374

SUMMARY: See New Draft LD 1374.