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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

LD AN ACT CONCERNING FUTURE INDIAN COMMUNITIES
286

LVWD

Sponsor: PEARSON, Cashman
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: The bill sought to remove the requirement that 25 tribal members must live within trust lands before a petition for an extended reservation can be presented to the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission.

LD AN ACT TO BROADEN PEER REVIEW IMMUNITY
294

CARRY-OVER

Sponsor: KIMBALL, Hanley, Thistle, Clark, M.
Committee Report: Carry-Over

SUMMARY: The bill seeks to broaden the exemption from discovery given by statute for proceedings and records of proceedings concerning reviews of hospitals and medical staffs conducted by committees of health care personnel on behalf of hospitals. The bill adds reviews of medical care and reviews on behalf of individual physicians to the statute. It also removes the ability to discover these proceedings and records upon a showing of good cause.

LD AN ACT TO PERMIT A JUVENILE TO WAIVE THE
295 PROTECTION OF THE MAINE JUVENILE CODE

LVWD

Sponsor: MANNING, Paradis, P.
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: The bill sought to give a juvenile offender committed to the Maine Youth Center or charged with a juvenile crime that would be an adult felony the option to seek to be tried as an adult. Currently, the prosecuting attorney has the authority to seek an adult trial for a juvenile offender. The Juvenile Court (which is the District Court when dealing with a juvenile case) would have considered certain factors in denying or granting the request.