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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 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.

Please let us know if you would prefer a different format or additional information and if the summaries are helpful.

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

Currently there is no review or overview of the capital facilities and projects of the State. The proposal in LD 1151 would give the Legislature a picture of the capital structure and needs of the state including all levels of government.

The Select Committee on Economic Development opted for a business facilitator and facilitation program to work with other state agencies and with applicants for licenses and permits to facilitate the regulatory process for everyone. The Select Committee perceived an atmosphere of cooperation to be essential rather than the adversarial approach which could create worse roadblocks.

LD 1808 is a new draft of LD 1151, LD 1495, and LD 1024. Please refer to Page 20 for the summary of LD 1808.

LD AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR JOB TRAINING TO LVWD
1192 SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT EFFORTS

Sponsor: RUHLIN, Pearson, Crowley, Martin, J.
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: This bill proposed to establish a Job Development Training Program to be administered by the Maine Vocational-Technical Institute System Office. The program would have awarded grants to educational institutions to conduct training projects within qualifying private enterprises to create new jobs.

The Job Development Training Program, funded at \$1,000,000 each fiscal year, would have awarded grants on a competitive basis based on statutory criteria including number of jobs created, skill levels of new jobs, wages of new jobs, etc.

LD RESOLVE, REQUIRING THE GOVERNOR TO DEVELOP A ND LD 1748
1254 PLAN TO PROVIDE FOR GREATER COORDINATION OF EMERGENCY
 HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
 (Reported Pursuant to Resolves Chapt. 45
 and 53 of 1985)

Sponsor: SELECT COMMITTEE on Economic Development
Committee Report: OTP-ND LD 1748

SUMMARY: See New Draft, LD 1748.