

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Part I State Government

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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  
1258

AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE HEALTH INSURANCE  
PROGRAM AND THE BUREAU OF STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH

LVWD

Sponsor: BUSTIN, Tuttle, Carroll  
Committee Report: LVWD

SUMMARY: The intent of LD 1258 was to organize the Bureau of State Employee Health into 3 divisions: Division of Benefits, Division of Wellness and Health Planning and the Division of State Employee Assistance Program. The State Employee Health Commission, made up of representatives from each bargaining unit and a retiree, and an equal number of management representatives would have advised the Director of the Bureau of State Employee Health on all programs under the charge of the bureau. The commissioner would have replaced the trustees of the Accident and Sickness or Health Insurance Program, with certain administrative appeal responsibilities assigned to a subcommittee.

LD  
1273

AN ACT TO MAINTAIN LIFEGUARD SERVICES IN STATE  
GOVERNMENT

PL 1987  
c. 340  
EMERGENCY

Sponsor: TUTTLE, Carroll, Lacroix, Wentworth  
Committee Report: OTP-A  
Amendments Adopted:  
H-318 CARROLL

SUMMARY: LD 1273 requires that the Bureau of Parks and Recreation oversee lifeguard training conducted by the Lifeguard Academy and that the Bureau appoint an employee to serve as Lifeguard Coordinator.

LD 1273 originally required the State and Local Government Committee, assisted by the Bureau of Parks and Recreation to conduct a feasibility study that examines specific issues relating to lifeguard training and services. The amendment, however, removed the study requirement, and the study will be established via conventional study request procedures. The committee is also required to develop a 5-year plan which will be presented to the Second Regular Session of the Legislature.