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BILL SUMMARY



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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                |

and nonprofessional employees were over age 40. If they did not meet this requirement, they would be considered to be in violation of the Maine Human Rights Act's prohibition against age discrimination.

LD AN ACT TO PROVIDE MORE EQUITABLE BENEFITS FOR ND LD 1774  
1251 THE SURVIVING SPOUSE AND CHILDREN OF DECEASED  
MEMBERS OF THE MAINE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Sponsor: BOST, Mayo, Clark N, Matthews K,  
Committee Report: OTP-ND LD 1774

SUMMARY: See New Draft LD 1774

LD AN ACT TO EQUALIZE RETIREMENT CREDITS FOR AIR ND LD 1606  
1252 AND ARMY NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

Sponsor: DUFFY, Richard  
Committee Report: OTP-ND LD 1606

SUMMARY: See New Draft 1606

LD AN ACT TO PROVIDE PENSION RIGHTS TO MORRIS G. P&SL 1987  
1344 PILOT c. 48

Sponsor: DIAMOND, Lebowitz, Stevens, Baldacci  
Committee Report: New Draft of LD 644

SUMMARY: The bill provides a retirement benefit to Judge Morris G. Pilot when he reaches age 65 and a survivors benefit for his wife. The original bill provided a benefit equal to 75% of salary. The benefit in the new draft was set at 35% of the average of his three highest earning years.

LD AN ACT TO REPEAL LOYALTY OATHS FOR CIVIL EMERGENCY PL 1987  
1483 PREPAREDNESS PERSONNEL c. 207

Sponsor: RICHARD, Bickford, Rice, Perkins  
Committee Report: OTP

SUMMARY: This act repealed the loyalty oath for civil emergency personnel. These positions are not positions which have access to security sensitive information and the oaths served no purpose.