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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

projects and delayed implementation for the third level for one year with a report to the Education Committee and recommendations to the Legislature.

LD 1648 AN ACT RELATING TO POWERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MAINE MARITIME ACADEMY AND TO AUTHORIZE CONFERRAL OF THE MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN MARITIME MANAGEMENT. P&SL 1987 c. 41

Sponsor: RICE, Gould RR, Estes
Committee Report: OTP

SUMMARY: This bill gives the Maine Maritime Academy the authority to establish the Maine Maritime Press in order to publish scholarly works by its faculty, graduate and undergraduate students. The bill also deletes the requirement that graduate students complete 50 credit hours and instead specifies that they must complete all post baccalaureate degree requirements.

LD 1649 AN ACT TO CHANGE THE PROCESS OF SELECTING THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES. NOT ACCEPTED

Sponsor: ESTES
Committee Report: New Draft of LD 246 (MINORITY REPORT)

SUMMARY: See LD 246.

LD 1658 AN ACT TO CORRECT, AMEND AND IMPROVE THE LAWS RELATING TO EDUCATION. INDEF. PP

Sponsor: ESTES, Randall, Small, Gould RA
Committee Report:

SUMMARY: This bill is the Department of Educational and Cultural Services omnibus bill to correct, clarify and amend various provisions of the educational laws to improve their administration and implementation. The Statement of Fact for the bill contains a section by section analysis of the bill. The committee reviewed each section of the bill and proposed several amendments.

The committee amendment added a fiscal note to the bill showing an increase in dedicated revenue and a corresponding decrease in General Fund revenue, deleted a section dealt with in another bill considered by the committee this Session and added four new sections to the bill.