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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL SUMMARIES
MAY 1988

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 for floor amendments. Final action is listed to the right of the title. If final House and Senate action differ, both are listed. Committee Reports and Floor Action are indicated as follows::

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

Each individual summary was prepared by the analyst assigned, as noted for each committee. But, this document was produced by the efforts of all the office staff, including Secretaries: Charlene Brann, Janet Jean, Earl Knox, Valarie Parlin; Research Assistant Hartley Palleschi. Finally, Secretary Laurette Knox, Legal Assistant Carolyn Chick, and Research Assistant Robert Dunn had special responsibilities in the preparation of the overall document.

Please give us your suggestions and comments on these summaries and tell us of any inaccuracies.

LD An Act to Authorize the Use of Electronic Recording of LV/WD 1955 Nonjury Superior Court Proceedings

SPONSOR(S)

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

PARADIS P

LV/WD

BLACK

BRANNIGAN

SUMMARY

LD 1955 proposed to allow the use of electronic recording in nonjury Superior Court proceedings.

LD An Act Concerning High Speed Chases
1961

ND 2552

SPONSOR(S)

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

MCGOWAN

OTP-ND

OTP

LV/WD

MARTIN J

CHONKO

DEXTER

SUMMARY

Replaced By LD 2552

LD An Act to Provide for a Record of the Facility Designated

PUBLIC

1968 for Confinement in Criminal Cases

616

SPONSOR(S)

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

FOSS

MATTHEWS Z

GOULD R R

RYDELL

SUMMARY

LD 1968 updated the requirements regarding the official documents provided when a prisoner is committed to the Department of Corrections.

LD An Act to Authorize a Probation Officer to Bring an Ex Parte LV/WD 1971 Motion to Change the Conditions of Probation

SPONSOR(S)

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

KIMBALL

STROUT B

THISTLE

DILLENBACK

SUMMARY

LD 1971 proposed to allow a probation officer to bring an ex parte motion before a court to change the conditions of probation for a prisoner.

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