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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 Provide Free Access to Certain State Lands by ONTP
1951 Disabled Persons

SPONSOR(S) COMMITTEE REPORT AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
PARADIS P ONTP

SUMMARY

This bill extended free access to state recreation areas to all disabled persons. Testimony at the public hearing revealed that equal access was more important to most disabled persons than free access.

LD An Act to Ban Importing Solid Waste LV/WD
2002

SPONSOR(S) COMMITTEE REPORT AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
GOULD R R LV/WD
MARSANO

SUMMARY

This bill was withdrawn due to technical errors and was reintroduced as LD 2185.

LD An Act to Amend the Membership of the Soil and Water PUBLIC
2005 Conservation Commission 578

SPONSOR(S) COMMITTEE REPORT AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
TWITCHELL OTP-AM S-311
WHITCOMB
BLACK
PINES

SUMMARY

This bill is the result of a study by the Soil and Water Conservation Commission. The Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection is added to the board as an ex officio member and the representative from the University of Maine is changed. The committee amendment clarifies the intent of the original bill that alternates for ex officio members must have policy making authority on the respective staffs of the member organizations.

LD An Act to Clarify the Hazardous Waste Lien Law ONTP
2013

SPONSOR(S) COMMITTEE REPORT AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
WEYMOUTH ONTP

SUMMARY

The bill would have eliminated a provision of the hazardous waste lien law that defines the term, "real estate", to include any parcels divided from the contaminated parcel within the three years prior to the filing of a hazardous waste lien.