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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::*

<b>OTP</b>	<b>Ought to Pass</b>
<b>OTP-ND</b>	<b>Ought to Pass in New Draft</b>
<b>OTP-ND-NT</b>	<b>Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title</b>
<b>OTP-A</b>	<b>Ought to Pass as Amended</b>
<b>ONTP</b>	<b>Ought Not to Pass</b>
<b>LVWD</b>	<b>Leave to Withdraw</b>
<b>INDEF PP</b>	<b>Indefinitely Postponed</b>

*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 Lorette 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 Ban Importing of All Waste  
**2185**

ONTP

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
GOULD R R MARSANO RANDALL WEBSTER C	ONTP	

SUMMARY

The bill banned the importation of waste into the state and included radioactive, hazardous, special, septage and solid wastes as well as waste oil.

**LD** An Act to Provide Greater Public Dissemination of  
**2200** Information Concerning Prohibition of Certain Land Usages **INDEF PP**

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
BEGLEY LORD MAYO LUDWIG	OTP-AM	H-480

SUMMARY

The original bill required the DEP to develop pamphlets discussing all state laws and rules on the introduction of phosphorus or phosphates into the environment and on brush and timber cutting. The pamphlets would have been distributed by the DEP to permit applicants and by the registers of deeds to grantees of real estate. An appropriation of \$4,700 was requested.

The committee amendment (H-480) removed the requirement for distribution by registers of deeds. The Commissioner of Environmental Protection was charged with distributing the pamphlet to a wide range of people and permitted to include other related topics.

The amended version of the bill died on the appropriation table.

**LD** An Act to Strengthen the Site Location of Development Law **PUBLIC**  
**2202** **812**

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
PEARSON MURPHY T MICHAUD LORD	OTP-AM	H-753 GOULD R A S-477 S-483 USHER

SUMMARY

The bill, as amended in committee, makes numerous changes to the Site Location of Development Law. Many of these are purely technical and structural. However, a number of substantive changes are made in the definition of the term, "shoreland area" and in the definition of the term, "development" which