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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.

The bill was amended by a Committee Amendment that placed the responsibilities with the Information Services Policy Review Board for the collection and coordination of data for economic development and growth management purposes. This board is required by law to review and recommend policies for the coordination of data collection in state government. The Committee Amendment also added the Executive Director of the Finance Authority of Maine and the Director of the Housing Authority to the Information Services Policy Review Board.

The Information Services Policy Review Board will report to the Joint Standing Committee on Economic Development on January 1, 1989, with respect to a reporting schedule for reporting the board's finding and recommendations. These findings and recommendations will consider the means by which data relating to economic development and growth management can be best coordinated, the means by which ready access to this data can be achieved, the costs of different alternatives for the organization and coordination of the data, the type of data that is available, and the age of the data.

LD 2220 An Act to Create the Economic Corridor Action Grant Program ND 2601

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
CROWLEY EMERSON BAILEY	OTP-ND	

SUMMARY
Replaced By LD 2601

LD 2269 An Act to Make Housing More Affordable to Maine Citizens PUBLIC
(Reported Pursuant to a Study by the Committee on Economic 820
Development)

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
	OTP-AM	H-678 H-740 CROWLEY

SUMMARY
LD 2269 proposed the following:

1. To create a partnership between the Maine State Housing Authority, municipal housing authorities and municipalities which would:
 - A. Develop comprehensive plans for municipalities or regions for developing affordable housing for low-income and moderate-income households;
 - B. Coordinate programs and resources of these organizations to more effectively address the problem of affordable housing; and
 - C. Share resources to make affordable housing available to eligible Maine citizens;