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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 2638	An Act to Correct Additional Errors and Inconsistencies in the Laws of Maine (Reported Pursuant to a Joint Order; HP1926)	NON CONCURRENCE EMERGENCY
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<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
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SUMMARY

LD 2638 was the 2nd errors bill.

House Amendment "A" (H-755) added provisions which provided for a vacancy to be declared on the school board or school committee governing a school administrative district or a municipal school district if the board member missed 3 consecutive regular board meetings without excuse.

House Amendment "B" (H-784) provided a grandfather clause to allow any municipality which issued shellfish licenses by a lottery method to continue using that method.

Senate Amendment "A" (S-497) permitted municipalities to adopt any method of issuing shellfish licenses that it desired.

Senate Amendment "B" rewrote the school board vacancy provisions to extend it to also cover community school districts.

LD 2657	An Act Correcting Additional Errors and Inconsistencies in the Laws of Maine	PUBLIC 851 EMERGENCY
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SUMMARY

LD 2657 was the 3rd errors bill. It included all of the earlier errors bill, LD 2638, but did not include the amendments offered to that LD. It also included several additional sections correcting other statutory errors or inconsistencies.

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