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ON  
STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT  
PART II - LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**JULY 1989**

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JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE  
BILL SUMMARIES  
AUGUST 1989

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 for 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 abbreviated 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 Research Assistant Barbara McGinn, and secretaries: Charlene Brann, and Valarie Parlin, and especially Laurette Knox who coordinated preparation of the overall document.

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

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
MARTIN J	OTP	
LISNIK		
COLLINS		
GRAHAM		

SUMMARY

LD 169 proposed to delay certain county budget deadlines for holding a public hearing on the proposed budget and for holding the meeting between county commissioners and the county legislative delegation to finalize the county budget. Current law required the public hearing to be held by December 1st and the legislative delegation meeting to be held before the Legislature convened in December; the LD pushes those dates back to December 31st and January 1st respectively.

LD 208      **An Act to Correct Errors in the County and Municipal Law  
Recodification**      LV/WD

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
CARROLL D	LV/WD	
BERUBE		
JOSEPH		

SUMMARY

LD 208 proposed to correct errors in the county and municipal law recodification and to enact recently-passed legislation into the new Title 30-A of the Revised Statutes. The substance of this LD was split into 2 separate bills — L.D 1089 and LD 1199.

Also see LD 419, LD 768, LD 1089 and LD 1199.

**LD 229**      **An Act to Annex Township 4, Range 3 WELS to the Town of  
Island Falls**      CARRIED OVER  
UNASSIGNED

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
SMITH	ONTP      MAJ	
PEARSON	OTP      MIN	
MARTIN J		

SUMMARY

LD 229 proposed to allow the Town of Island Falls to annex Township 4, Range 3, WELS.

LD 251      **An Act to Allow the Town of Standish to Plow and Sand  
Certain Private Roads**      LV/WD

<u>SPONSOR(S)</u>	<u>COMMITTEE REPORT</u>	<u>AMENDMENTS ADOPTED</u>
GREENLAW	LV/WD	

SUMMARY

LD 251 proposed to allow the Town of Standish to perform limited maintenance upon privately-owned roads in the town.