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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:

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|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| 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 |

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COMMITTEE REPORT

LV/WD

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

The bill would require the State Fire Marshal's Office to review all plans for the new construction or renovation of places of employment or public accommodation to ensure compliance with accessibility standards.

LD 1010 An Act Concerning the Right to Die

**CARRY OVER
EMERGENCY**

SPONSOR(S)

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MARTIN J

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

The bill would require that all actions concerning the termination of medical services, hydration or nutrition be brought in Superior Court.

Carried over and Council-approved study.

LD 1024 An Act to Allow the Consideration of Foreign Convictions in Drug Cases

PUBLIC 305

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COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

H-335

SUMMARY

The bill allows consideration of drug convictions in other nations in determining the sentence for aggravated trafficking.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-335) changes the word "nation" to "country."