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ON
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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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.

**LD 1481 Resolve, to Mandate a Comprehensive Planning Process for
Rail Transportation**

LV/WD

SPONSOR(S)

CLARK M
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COMMITTEE REPORT

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AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This resolve requires the State Planning Office and the Dept of Economic and Community Development to study and report by Dec 1, 1989 on the future of rail service in the State.

LD 1495 An Act to Continue Recodification of the Railroad Laws

PUBLIC 398

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COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

H-478

SUMMARY

This bill, submitted by DOT, recodifies the railroad parts of Title 23.

CA (H-478) This amendment restores 2 portions of existing law that were inadvertently repealed but not reallocated in the original bill.

**LD 1497 An Act to Authorize Posting of a Sign on Interstate 95 for
the Kennebec Valley Vocational-Technical Institute**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

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AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill requires a sign on Interstate 95 in Fairfield for the Kennebec Valley Vocational-Technical Institute.