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JULY 1989

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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:

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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 |

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 1594 Resolve, to Study Sidewalk Repair and Maintenance

LV/WD

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COMMITTEE REPORT

LV/WD

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This resolve requires the DOT to study the cost of repair and maintenance of sidewalks and allocates \$200,000 for FY91 to reimburse the municipalities on a per mile basis.

**LD 1597 Resolve, that the Deadline for the Revision of the State's
Motor Vehicle Laws be Extended**

**RESOLVE 53
EMERGENCY**

SPONSOR(S)

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COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

S-248

SUMMARY

The Resolve extends the reporting time for the recodification of Title 29. The report was to be submitted to the 1st Regular Session and \$33,344 was allocated.

CA (S-248) sets a reporting date of Feb 1, 1990, and de-allocates \$11,873 from FY89 and allocates \$15,344 for FY90.

**LD 1615 An Act Regarding the Handicap Parking Privilege to Veterans
with Disabled Veterans License Plates**

PUBLIC 394

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MCSWEENEY
HOLT
WEYMOUTH

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

H-469

SUMMARY

This bill clarifies that disabled veterans may display either a special placard or a special license plate when parked in a parking space reserved for handicapped persons.

**LD 1619 An Act to Increase the Fine for Improper Use of Handicapped
Parking Spaces**

LV/WD

SPONSOR(S)

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HALE

COMMITTEE REPORT

LV/WD

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill increases the penalty for unlawful parking in a handicapped parking space to \$100, including