### MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the

LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY

at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library

http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied (searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

### STATE OF MAINE 114TH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION



# BILL SUMMARIES JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**JUNE 1990** 

### **MEMBERS:**

\*Sen. Georgette B. Berube Sen. Donald E. Esty, Jr. Sen. David L. Carpenter

\*Rep. Ruth Joseph
Rep. Dorothy A. Rotondi
Rep. Beverly C. Daggett
Rep. Conrad Heeschen
Rep. Anne M. Larrivee
Rep. Mary F. Cahill
Rep. Alberta M. Wentworth
Rep. Jeanne F. Begley
Rep. Dana C. Hanley
Rep. John S. McCormick, Jr.

\*Denotes Chair

Staff:

Patrick T. Norton, Legislative Analyst Gilbert Brewer, Legislative Analyst

Office of Policy and Legal Analysis Room 101, State House Station 13 Augusta, ME 04333 (207) 289-1670 MARTHA E. FREEMAN, DIRECTOR
WILLIAM T. GLIDDEN, PRINCIPAL ANALYST
JULIE S. JONES, PRINCIPAL ANALYST
DAVID C. ELLIOTT, PRINCIPAL ANALYST
GILBERT W. BREWER
TODD R. BURROWES
GRO FLATEBO
DEBORAH C. FRIEDMAN
JOHN B. KNOX



## STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF POLICY AND LEGAL ANALYSIS

ROOM 101/107/135 STATE HOUSE STATION 13 AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333 TEL.: (207) 289-1670 PATRICK NORTON
HARTLEY PALLESCHI
MARGARET J. REINSCH
PAUL J. SAUCIER
JOHN R. SELSER
HAVEN WHITESIDE
JILL IPPOLITI, RES. ASST.
BARBARA A. MCGINN, RES. ASST.
BRET A. PRESTON, RES. ASST.

One Hundred and Fourteenth Legislature Second Regular Session

> Joint Standing Committee Bill Summaries

> > June 1990

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. Committee Reports and Floor Action are abbreviated as follows:

OTP-ND
OTP-ND-NT
OTP-A
ONTP
LVWD
INDEF PP

Ought to Pass
Ought to Pass in New Draft
Ought to Pass in New Draft, New Title
Ought to Pass as Amended
Ought Not to Pass
Leave to Withdraw
Indefinitely Postponed

Each individual summary was prepared by the analyst or analysts assigned to the committee. But, this document was produced by the efforts of all the office staff, including secretaries: Charlene Raymond, 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 1748

An Act to Amend the Procedure for Approval of the Lincoln County Budget

PUBLIC 718

SPONSOR(S)

**COMMITTEE REPORT** 

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

KILKELLY

ILKELLY

OTP

S-544 BERUBE

HOLLOWAY BEGLEY BREWER

#### **SUMMARY**

LD 1748 creates an advisory budget committee for Lincoln County and transfers final authority to approve the county budget from the Legislature to the Lincoln County Commissioners.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-544) clarified the method of electing municipal officer members of the advisory committee and clarified the term of the Lincoln County legislative delegation member. It also added a sunset clause to repeal the law on July 1, 1993.

LD 1824

An Act to Amend the Zoning Laws to Extend the Time for

PUBLIC 642

Filing a Variance in the Registry of Deeds

SPONSOR(S)

COMMITTEE REPORT

**AMENDMENTS ADOPTED** 

MICHAUD

1A0D

OTP

LV/WD

DEXTER HOGLUND

#### **SUMMARY**

LD 1824 extended the time within which a zoning variance must be recorded after approval from 30 days to 90 days. The LD also clarified that this time period begins to run from the date included in the final written approval for the variance.

LD 1828

An Act Establishing Procedures for Notice of Proposed Zoning

LV/YD

Changes

SPONSOR(S)

**COMMITTEE REPORT** 

**AMENDMENTS ADOPTED** 

DORE

**JOSEPH** 

**HOGLUND** 

CASHMAN

### **SUMMARY**

LD 1828 proposed to require a municipality to publish a notice of any proposed rezoning in the municipality and to provide written notice to all property owners affected by the proposed rezoning.

LD 1861

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Portland Water District

LV/WD

to Give Standish its  $0 \mbox{wn}$  Seat on the Board of Trustees

SPONSOR(S)

**COMMITTEE REPORT** 

**AMENDMENTS ADOPTED** 

GREENLAW

LV/WD

TITCOMB

### **SUMMARY**

LD 1861 proposed to increase the membership of the board of trustees of the Portland Water District by adding a representative of the Town of Standish.

Office of Policy and Legal Analysis

State and Local Government