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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 (except Audit and Program Review, Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and Taxation). Each individual summary was prepared by the analyst assigned to the 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
ONTO	Ought Not to Pass
LVWD	Leave to Withdraw
INDEF PP	Indefinitely Postponed

Joint Standing Committee on Legal Affairs

LD 1784 An Act to Improve Enforcement of Liquor Licensure Laws

PUBLIC 592

SPONSOR(S)

GWADOSKY

MATTHEWS

PRIEST

MURPHY

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

H-723

SUMMARY

The bill gives the State Liquor Commission authority to deny a liquor license to a person when the purpose of that person's application is to circumvent the eligibility provisions of Title 28-A.

LD 1806

An Act Providing for the Immediate Enforcement of Laws
Governing the Operation of a Watercraft While Under the
Influence

PUBLIC 599

EMERGENCY

SPONSOR(S)

ESTY

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill repeals P.L. 1989, ch. 539, enacted during the First Regular Session, and reintroduces the bill as an emergency measure so that its provisions may be enforced during the present recreational season.

LD 1812 An Act Relating to the Inspection of Sample Ballots Prior to
General, Primary and Special Elections

PUBLIC 602

EMERGENCY

SPONSOR(S)

MANNING

COMMITTEE REPORT

NOT REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill clarifies that the Secretary of State must prepare sample candidate ballots only for special, primary and general elections.