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**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
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 1825 **An Act to Enable Families of Maine Veterans Eligible for
Burial in the Veterans' Memorial Cemetery to Make Burial
Arrangements on Weekends**

LV/WD

SPONSOR(S)

GWADOSKY
MATTHEWS
HICKEY
BREWER

COMMITTEE REPORT

LV/WD

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill provides funds to the Bureau of Veterans' Services to employ one person on a part-time, on-call basis during the weekends. The Statement of Fact indicates that this is to allow burial arrangements to be made on weekends.

LD 1835 **An Act Relating to the Administrative Staff of the Maine
State Retirement System**

PUBLIC 612

SPONSOR(S)

CLARK N
TITCOMB
HICKEY

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

S-477 TITCOMB

SUMMARY

This bill adds an additional deputy director to the staff of the Maine State Retirement System to work in the investment area and moves the position of Assistant Executive Director from the classified service to the unclassified service with a change of title to Deputy Director, Administrative and Legal Affairs.

Senate Amendment "A" adds a fiscal note to the bill.

LD 1848 **An Act Relating to the Designation of Beneficiaries by
Members of the Maine State Retirement System**

PUBLIC 658

SPONSOR(S)

HICKEY
CLARK N
JALBERT
MCSWEENEY

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

S-504 CLARK N

SUMMARY

This bill specifies the conditions under which more than one person may be designated as beneficiary by members of the Maine State Retirement System with relation to each of the several types of death benefits that may become payable to those beneficiaries.

Senate Amendment "A" corrects an error in which the term "only one" was used rather than "more than one" in the part dealing with local district members.