

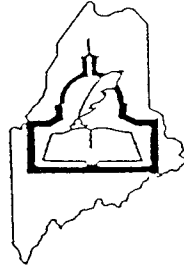
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**One Hundred and Fourteenth Legislature
Second Regular Session**

**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 2232 **An Act to Increase the Penalties for Possession of Certain
Controlled Substances**

LV/WD

SPONSOR(S)

RICHARDS
WEBSTER M
HOLLOWAY
MACOMBER

COMMITTEE REPORT

LV/WD

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

The bill changed the classification of LSD and its precursors from Schedule X to Schedule W.

Incorporated into Joint Order Bill, LD 2474.

LD 2236 **An Act Concerning Representation of Nonprofit Corporations
by Corporate Employees and Officers**

LV/WD

SPONSOR(S)

WEBSTER C
HANLEY
BAILEY

COMMITTEE REPORT

LV/WD

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

The bill authorized any officer or employee of a nonprofit corporation to appear in court for that corporation. Introduced to address the problem faced by Western Maine Community Action, Inc., in defending its denial of benefits to an applicant.

LD 2267 **An Act to Strengthen the Laws Regarding the Casual Disposal
of Solid Waste**

**PUBLIC 820
EMERGENCY**

SPONSOR(S)

ERWIN E
LUDWIG
JACQUES
LORD

COMMITTEE REPORT

OTP-AM

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

S-619

SUMMARY

This bill consolidated current littering laws and enhanced the penalties for illegal disposal of litter. The bill provided for the forfeiture of vehicles used to illegally dispose of more than 500 pounds or more than 100 cubic feet of litter for a commercial purpose.

Committee Amendment "A" strikes out the bill's provisions regarding forfeiture and provides that vehicles used to illegally dispose of more than 1000 pounds or more than 100 cubic feet of litter are subject to forfeiture under the forfeiture procedures in 15 MRSA chapter 517. The amendment also makes several changes in the bill for the purpose of clarification.