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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-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.

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House amendment "A" (H-1011) to the committee amendment makes a number of technical changes.

Senate amendment "A" (S-732) to the committee amendment deletes the appropriation, as funding for the bill was included in the Part II budget, and makes a technical correction.

LD 2385

An Act to Establish the International Commerce Council

ONTP-MAJ REP

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**COMMITTEE REPORT** 

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

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SUMMARY

LD 2385 would have removed the Division of Development Policy from the Department of Economic and Community Development and added a development policy program to the list of duties and responsibilities of the commissioner. The bill also would have established the International Commerce Council to encourage the initiation, expansion and location of businesses in the State that generate revenues through participation in international commerce.

LD 2485

RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Commit State Support of Affordable Housing (Reported Pursuant to Joint Order, HP1773) CON RES 2

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COMMITTEE REPORT

**AMENDMENTS ADOPTED** 

#### SUMMARY

LD 2485 proposes an amendment to the Constitution of Maine authorizing the State to pledge its full faith and credit to insure the payment of mortgage loans for affordable housing for Maine citizens. The full faith and credit is limited to \$15,000,000 in insured mortgage loans outstanding at any one time. The question is to be posed to the voters at the next general election in the month of November following passage of this resolution.