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**JUNE 1990** 

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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.

Please give us your suggestions and comments on these summaries and tell us of any inaccuracies.

LD 2300

An Act to Improve the Organizational Structure of the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Advisory Council

PUBLIC 782 EMERGENCY

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COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

FARREN SMITH H-818 JACQUES H-880

CARROLL J

S-623 PEARSON

CLARK H

#### SUMMARY

New Draft of LD 2149

This new draft increases the membership of the advisory council to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife from 8 to 10 and establishes representation largely on the basis of population centers, rather than on wildlife management units, through the use of county lines. It also prohibits the following from serving as a members of the advisory council: legislators, former employees of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife within one year of department service or former legislative members of the Joint Standing Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife within one year of committee membership.

The new draft was amended (H-880 and H-818 as amended by S-623) to add an allocation to provide funds. for the 2 new advisory council members.

LD 2384

An Act to Reimburse the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife for Search and Rescue Operations (Reported Pursuant to MRSA, Title 12, section 7035 subsection 4, paragraph B)

P & S 141

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**COMMITTEE REPORT** 

**AMENDMENTS ADOPTED** 

OTP-AM

H-1128

## SUMMARY

This bill was reported out by the Joint Standing Committee on Fish and Wildlife to provide general fund reimbursement to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife for search and rescue operations performed by that department. It was referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. The Appropriations Committee reduced the general fund appropriation slightly.

LD 2428

An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations and to Change Certain Provisions of the Law for the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1990 and June 30, 1991

PUBLIC 918 EMERGENCY

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COMMITTEE REPORT

**AMENDMENTS ADOPTED** 

JACQUES GOULD R R OTP-AM

H-1126

ERWIN E GREENLAW

#### SHMMARY

This bill was discussed by the Joint Standing Committee on Fish and Wildlife although never officially referenced to that committee. The Joint Standing Committee on Fish and Wildlife reviewed the budget of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, as presented by this bill, and recommended its enactment in a letter to the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, pursuant to 3 MRSA  $\S522-A$ , with an amendment to correct technical errors in the bill.