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**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE
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**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL SUMMARIES**

MAY 1994

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 volume is organized alphabetically by committee; within each committee, the summaries are arranged by LD number. A subject index is provided at the beginning of each committee's summaries.

The committee report or reports, the prime sponsor for each bill and the lead co-sponsor in each house if one has been designated are listed below each bill title. All adopted amendments are listed, by paper number, together with the sponsor for floor amendments. Final action on each bill is listed to the right of the title. Various types of final action are abbreviated as follows:

PUBLIC XXX

P&S XXX

RESOLVE XXX

CON RES XXX

EMERGENCY

ONTP

INDEF PP

FAILED ENACTMENT

FAILED EMERGENCY ENACTMENT

FAILED MANDATE ENACTMENT

DIED BETWEEN BODIES

CONF CMTE UNABLE TO AGREE

VETO SUSTAINED

UNSIGNED

DIED ON ADJOURNMENT

Chapter # of enacted Public Law

Chapter # of enacted Private & Special Law

Chapter # of enacted Resolve

Chapter # of Constitutional Resolution passed by both Houses

Enacted law takes effect sooner than 90 days

Ought Not to Pass report accepted

Bill Indefinitely Postponed

Bill failed to get majority vote

Emergency bill failed to get 2/3 vote

Bill imposing local mandate failed to get 2/3 vote

House & Senate disagree; bill died

Committee of Conference unable to agree; bill died

Legislature failed to override Governor's Veto

Not signed by Governor within 10 days

Action incomplete when session ended; bill died

These summaries were prepared by the analyst or analysts assigned to the committee. If you have any suggestions or comments on the summaries, please let us know.

5581LHS

LD 2005

**An Act to Authorize Applied Technology Regions to Borrow
Funds for Necessary Repairs to Existing Buildings**

PUBLIC 742

SPONSOR(S)
WHITCOMB

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED
H-1073 WHITCOMB
H-1082 CHONKO

SUMMARY

Currently, vocational regions have statutory borrowing authority for school construction purposes. School construction projects do not include repairs to existing buildings, except for additions and certain complete restorations. This bill authorizes vocational regions to issue bonds for minor capital costs relating to maintenance of plant so that they may finance repairs to existing buildings. The bill would not increase existing debt ceilings.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-1073) adds an emergency preamble and an emergency clause to the bill. This amendment also adds a fiscal note.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" (H-1082) adds a fiscal note to the bill.

LD 2007

**An Act to Clarify the Process for Filling Unexpired
Terms for School Board Members**

PUBLIC 668

SPONSOR(S)
GRAY

COMMITTEE REPORT

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED

SUMMARY

This bill clarifies the process for filling vacancies on certain school committees.

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