

Senate of Maine

One Hundred and Twenty-Ninth Legislature Second Regular Session

Advance Journal and Calendar

9th Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Thursday, February 6, 2020.

Senate called to Order by President Troy D. Jackson of Aroostook County.

Prayer by Senator Lisa Keim of Oxford County.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Everett Brownie Carson of Cumberland County.

Reading of the Journal of Tuesday, February 4, 2020.

Troy D. Jackson *President of the Senate* **Darek M. Grant** Secretary of the Senate

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S.P. 748

Ordered, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they do so until Tuesday, February 11, 2020 at 10:00 in the Morning.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) Resolve, Directing the Maine Human Rights Commission To Implement a Pilot Program To Investigate and Report on Incidents of Harassment Due to Housing Status, Lack of Employment and Other Issues

H.P.937 L.D. 1294

In Senate, June 11, 2019, FINALLY PASSED in concurrence.

In House, **RECALLED** from the Governor's Desk, pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1424.

Comes from the House, **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED** as amended by House Amendment "A" (H-666), in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

House Paper

 (1-2) Bill "An Act To Save Lives by Capping the Out-of-pocket Cost of Certain Medications" H.P. 1493 L.D. 2096

Comes from the House, **REFERRED** to the Committee on **HEALTH COVERAGE**, **INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES** and ordered printed.

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-3) Norma Landry, of Fort Kent, Director of the Dental Program for Fish River Rural Health, who has been named the Greater Fort Kent Area Citizen of the Year for her extensive and devoted community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 805

(1-4) Samuel Dale Fegel, of Oakland, who has attained the high rank and distinction of Eagle Scout. This is the highest award in Scouting and is given for excellence in skills development, leadership, personal growth and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

(1-5) Kiern Sears, of Oakland, who has attained the high rank and distinction of Eagle Scout. This is the highest award in Scouting and is given for excellence in skills development, leadership, personal growth and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

(1-6) Makenzie Mayo, of Oakland, a senior at Messalonskee High School, who is a recipient of a 2020 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 817

(1-7) Lexi Mittelstadt, of Wilton, a student at Mt. Blue High School and a player on the girls basketball team, who recently scored her 1,000th career point. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

(1-8) Colby Carlisle, of Presque Isle, a student at Presque Isle High School and a player on the hockey team, who recently scored his 100th career point. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

Come from the House, **READ** and **PASSED**.

HLS 818

HLS 821

HLS 815

HLS 816

Joint Resolution

(1-9) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1491

JOINT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING JUNE 27, 2020 AS POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS INJURY AWARENESS DAY

WHEREAS, all veterans of the United States Armed Forces possess the basic human right to the preservation of personal dignity and deserve the investment of every possible resource to ensure their lasting physical, mental and emotional well-being; and

WHEREAS, the diagnosis known as post-traumatic stress disorder, or PTSD, was initially formulated in 1980 by the American Psychiatric Association to more accurately assess and assist veterans who had endured severe combat stress in Vietnam; and

WHEREAS, combat stress is an invisible wound that has historically been unjustly portrayed as a mental illness caused by a preexisting flaw of character or ability, and the word "disorder" carries a stigma that perpetuates this misconception; and

WHEREAS, it has been shown through electromagnetic imaging that these invisible wounds can cause physical changes to the brain that more accurately indicate an injury than a disorder; and

WHEREAS, referring to invisible wounds as a disorder may discourage the injured from seeking proper and timely medical treatment; and

WHEREAS, referring to invisible wounds as post-traumatic stress injury, or PTSI, is less stigmatizing and viewed as more honorable, and this designation can favorably influence those affected and encourage them to seek treatment without fear of retribution or shame; and

WHEREAS, post-traumatic stress injury can occur following exposure to extremely traumatic events other than combat such as, but not exclusive to, interpersonal violence, life-threatening accidents and natural disasters; and

WHEREAS, post-traumatic stress injury satisfying the criteria for a diagnosis of posttraumatic stress disorder in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders deserves disability compensation equal to that allowed for PTSD under the law; and

WHEREAS, while all citizens suffering post-traumatic stress injuries deserve our compassion and consideration, those brave men and women of the United States Armed Forces who have received these wounds in operational action against an enemy of the United States further deserve our clear and obvious recognition; and

WHEREAS, timely and appropriate treatment of post-traumatic stress injury can diminish complications and avert suicides; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Legislature now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this

opportunity to designate June 27, 2020 as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Day and respectfully urge the Department of Health and Human Services and the Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management to continue working to educate victims of interpersonal violence, combat, life-threatening accidents or natural disasters and their families, as well as the general public, about the causes, symptoms and treatment of post-traumatic stress injury.

Comes from the House, **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 899

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT AND BUSINESS

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson President of the Senate of Maine 129th Maine State Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Innovation, Development, Economic Advancement and Business has had under consideration the nomination of Omar Andrews of Portland, for appointment to the Finance Authority of Maine.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS	Senators	1	Herbig, E. of Waldo
	Representatives	9	Daughtry, M. of Brunswick, Austin, S. of Gray, Babine, S. of Scarborough, Crockett, E. of Portland, Handy, J. of Lewiston, Harrington, M. of Sanford, Moriarty, S. of Cumberland, Newell, R. of Passamaquoddy Tribe, Perry, J. of Bangor
NAYS	Senators	1	Guerin, S. of Penobscot
	Representatives	2	Higgins, N. of Dover-Foxcroft, Stetkis, J. of Canaan
ABSENT		1	Sen. Millett, R. of Cumberland

Ten members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and three in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Omar Andrews of Portland, for appointment to the Finance Authority of Maine be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Erin Herbig Senate Chair S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry House Chair

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.C. 900

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT AND BUSINESS

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson President of the Senate of Maine 129th Maine State Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Innovation, Development, Economic Advancement and Business has had under consideration the nomination of Rebecca Asen of Falmouth, for appointment to the Finance Authority of Maine.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS	Senators	0	
	Representatives	9	Daughtry, M. of Brunswick, Austin, S. of Gray, Babine, S. of Scarborough, Crockett, E. of Portland, Handy, J. of Lewiston, Harrington, M. of Sanford, Moriarty, S. of Cumberland, Newell, R. of Passamaquoddy Tribe, Perry, J. of Bangor
NAYS	Senators	1	Guerin, S. of Penobscot
	Representatives	2	Higgins, N. of Dover-Foxcroft, Stetkis, J. of Canaan
ABSENT		2	Sen. Herbig, E. of Waldo, Sen. Millett, R. of Cumberland

Nine members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and three in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Rebecca Asen of Falmouth, for appointment to the Finance Authority of Maine be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Erin Herbig Chair S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry Senate House Chair

(2-3) The Following Communication:

S.C. 901

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT AND BUSINESS

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson President of the Senate of Maine 129th Maine State Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Innovation, Development, Economic Advancement and Business has had under consideration the nomination of Dustin D. Brooks of Portland, for appointment to the Finance Authority of Maine.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS	Senators	0	
	Representatives	9	Daughtry, M. of Brunswick, Austin, S. of Gray, Babine, S. of Scarborough, Crockett, E. of Portland, Handy, J. of Lewiston, Harrington, M. of Sanford, Moriarty, S. of Cumberland, Newell, R. of Passamaquoddy Tribe, Perry, J. of Bangor
NAYS	Senators	1	Guerin, S. of Penobscot
	Representatives	2	Higgins, N. of Dover-Foxcroft, Stetkis, J. of Canaan
ABSENT		2	Sen. Herbig, E. of Waldo, Sen. Millett, R. of Cumberland

Nine members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and three in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Dustin D. Brooks of Portland, for appointment to the Finance Authority of Maine be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Erin Herbig Senate Chair S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry House Chair (2-4) The Following Communication:

S.C. 896

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Troy Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Reappointment of Michael Wiers of St. Albans to the Maine Milk Commission

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Michael Wiers of St. Albans for reappointment to the Maine Milk Commission.

Pursuant to Title 7, M.R.S.A § 2952, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

S/Janet T. Mills, Governor

(2-5) The Following Communication:

S.C. 897

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Troy Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Reappointment of Colon Durrell of Farmington to the Maine Milk Commission

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Colon Durrell of Farmington for reappointment to the Maine Milk Commission.

Pursuant to Title 7, M.R.S.A § 2952, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

S/Janet T. Mills, Governor (2-6) The Following Communication:

S.C. 898

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 4, 2020

The Honorable Troy Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Reappointment of John Jemison of Orono to the Board of Pesticides Control

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating John Jemison of Orono for reappointment to the Board of Pesticides Control.

Pursuant to Title 22, M.R.S.A § 1471-B, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

S/Janet T. Mills Governor (2-7) The Following Communication:

S.C. 902

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY

January 31, 2020

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 700 An Act To Prevent Internet Theft

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Susan Deschambault Senate Chair S/Rep. Charlotte May Warren House Chair

(2-8) The Following Communication:

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

February 03, 2020

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1521	An Act To Expand Skill Development Opportunities for Maine Youth
L.D. 1607	An Act To Create the Department of Early Care and Learning
L.D. 1715	An Act To Reorganize the Provision of Services for Children with Disabilities from Birth to 5 Years of Age (EMERGENCY)

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Rebecca Millett Senate Chair S/Rep. Victoria P. Kornfield House Chair (2-9) The Following Communication:

S.C. 904

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY

January 22, 2020

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

- L.D. 790 An Act To Eliminate the Cap on the Number of Accounts or Meters Designated for Net Energy Billing
- L.D. 1127 An Act To Expand Community-based Solar Energy in Maine

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Mark W. Lawrence Senate Chair S/Rep. Seth A. Berry House Chair (2-10) The Following Communication:

S.C. 905

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

January 30, 2020

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 231	An Act To Improve Public Health by Maximizing Federal Funding Opportunities
L.D. 508	Resolve, To Study the Protection of Youth and Young Adults from Addiction and Premature Death by Restricting Marketing of Tobacco Products
L.D. 653	Resolve, To Establish the Task Force To Study Opportunities for Improving Home and Community-based Services
L.D. 1146	An Act To Ensure the Provision of Housing Navigation Services to Older Adults and Persons with Disabilities
L.D. 1429	An Act To Fund Opioid Use Disorder Prevention and Treatment
L.D. 1630	Resolve, To Ensure Access to Opiate Addiction Treatment

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Geoff Gratwick Senate Chair S/Rep. Patty Hymanson House Chair (2-11) The Following Communication:

S.C. 906

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE

January 31, 2020

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1117 An Act To Encourage Turkey Hunting

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Jim Dill Senate Chair S/Rep. Catherine M. Nadeau House Chair

S.C. 891

MAINE MUNICIPAL AND RURAL ELECTRIFICATION COOPERATIVE AGENCY

January 31, 2020

Honorable Troy D. Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

Honorable SaraGideon Speaker of the House 2 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section 12023, please consider this the letter of transmittal for the required report from the Maine Municipal and Rural Electrification Cooperative Agency due by February 1, 2020.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/Scott M. Hallowell MMRECA (2-13) The Following Communication:

S.C. 892

WASHINGTON COUNTY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

January 27, 2020

Honorable Troy Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333

Honorable Sara Gideon Speaker of the House 2 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Senator Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to MRSA Title 5, section 12023, the Sunrise County Economic Council (SCEC) is pleased to submit the 2019-2020 Quasi-Independent State Entities Report to the Legislature on behalf of the Washington County Development Authority (WCDA).

SCEC is a private, nonprofit, federally recognized economic development organization which works to create jobs and wealth in Washington County. We provide staff support for the WCDA and are partnering with the Authority in its effort to redevelop the former U.S. Navy base in Cutler.

As indicated in the enclosed report, the WCDA did not make any significant procurements, contributions or changes to policies and procedures in the past year. In March 2015, the Authority was given the commercial side of the former base by Cutler North, LLC, a private developer that had failed in its redevelopment effort. The WCDA now owns roughly 20 acres and five commercial buildings comprising 75,000 square feet. The Authority is working to bring these facilities back into productive use.

Please contact me with any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/ Charles J. Rudelitch, Esq. Executive Director

(2-14) The Following Communication:

S.C. 893

CONNECTME AUTHORITY AUGUSTA, MAINE

January 2, 2020

Honorable Sara Gideon Speaker of the House 2 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333

Honorable Troy Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Speaker Gideon and President Jackson,

Please find attached the required report pursuant to 5 M.R.S Section 12023 from the ConnectME Authority.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Regards,

S/Peggy Schaffer Executive Director, ConnectME Authority (2-15) The Following Communication:

S.C. 894

WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD AUGUSTA, MAINE

January 30, 2020

Honorable Sara Gideon Speaker of the House 2 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

Honorable Troy D. Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Annual Report of the Workers' Compensation Board Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A. §12023(2)

Dear Speaker Gideon and President Jackson:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., §12023, please consider this the transmittal letter for the required report from the Workers' Compensation Board due by February 1, 2020.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

S/John C. Rohde Executive Director (2-16) The Following Communication:

S.C. 895

MAINE PORT AUTHORITY AUGUSTA, MAINE

January 31, 2020

Honorable Troy D. Jackson President of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

Honorable Sara Gideon Speaker of the House 2 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

In Re: Maine Port Authority Legislative Report

Dear Senator Jackson and Representative Gideon:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section 12023, the Maine Port Authority is pleased to submit the following report to the Legislature, due by February 1, 2020.

Please contact me directly at (207) 557-0923 if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

S/Jonathan Nass, CEO

SENATE PAPERS

(3-1) Bill "An Act To Amend Provisions of the Maine Medical Use of Marijuana Act" S.P. 747 L.D. 2099

Presented by Senator GRATWICK of Penobscot. Submitted by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES suggested and ordered printed.

ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) the Roxbury Swift River Valley Extension Group, to which, for contributions to the community, the Town of Roxbury has dedicated its Town Report. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1040

Sponsored by Senator KEIM of Oxford. Cosponsored by Representative: DOLLOFF of Rumford.

(4-2) Reno's Family Restaurant, of Caribou, which is celebrating its 55th Anniversary. Reno's was recognized as the #1 restaurant in Aroostook County by Bangor Metro in 2012 and later as the 9th-best restaurant in the State by the website bestthingsme.com. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1042

SLS 1043

Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook. Cosponsored by Representative: DeVEAU of Caribou.

(4-3) Ryan Cole, of Woodland, a member of Troop No. 177, who has attained the high rank and distinction of Eagle Scout. This is the highest award in Scouting and is given for excellence in skills development, leadership, personal growth and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook. Cosponsored by Representative: WHITE of Washburn. (4-4) Justice Marable, of Somerville, a seventh grade student at Windsor Elementary School, who has received middle school top honors in the 2019 Maine Native American History and Culture Essay Contest from the Maine Secretary of State for his winning submission, "The Life of Maine's Micmac (Mikmaq)." We extend our congratulations and best wishes; SLS 1044

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln. Cosponsored by Representative: BRADSTREET of Vassalboro.

(4-5) Ireland's Rubbish Services, of Lincoln, a family-run company which is celebrating 50 years in business. Ireland's, which employs 15 people, operates in Lincoln and towns throughout Penobscot, Piscataquis and Aroostook counties, transporting rubbish and processing hundreds of tons of recyclables every year. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1045

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock. Cosponsored by Representative: HANINGTON of Lincoln.

(4-6) Daigle Oil Company, in Fort Kent, which is celebrating its 65th Anniversary of business, providing fuel, heating and cooling systems services and convenience stores to the people of northern Maine. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1046

Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook. Cosponsored by Representative: MARTIN of Eagle Lake.

Joint Resolution

Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

WHEREAS, the Legislature has learned with deep regret of the death of:

(4-7) Mildred Stafford, of Arrowsic. Mrs. Stafford was an active member of her town, having started the Ladies Auxiliary of Arrowsic Fire Department during World War II, before the fire department was formed. The auxiliary bought the town's first pumper and fire trucks. She served as secretary of the Arrowsic Fire Department, and she also served on the town's conservation committee, school board and long-range planning committee and as the town historian. In 2019, the town christened the new fire truck in her name. Mrs. Stafford will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

SLS 1041

Sponsored by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc. Cosponsored by Representative: HEPLER of Woolwich.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Change of Committee

(5-1) The Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act To Amend the Maine Bail Code Regarding the Financial Capacity of a Defendant To Post Bond" H.P. 145 L.D. 182

Reported that the same be **REFERRED** to the Committee on **JUDICIARY**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **REFERRED** to the Committee on **JUDICIARY**.

Pursuant to Joint Order

(5-2) The Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Task Force on Changes to the Maine Indian Claims Settlement Implementing Act" H.P. 1492 L.D. 2094

Reported that the same be **REFERRED** to the Committee on **JUDICIARY**, pursuant to Joint Order, H.P. 1307.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **REFERRED** to the Committee on **JUDICIARY**.

Ought to Pass

(5-3) The Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act Regarding the Recommendations of the Federal Traumatic Brain Injury State Partnership Program Concerning the Membership of the Acquired Brain Injury Advisory Council"

H.P. 1349 L.D. 1883

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.

(5-4) The Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Bill "An Act Regarding the Naming of Bridges and Designating Bridge 5818 as the Specialist Wade A. Slack Memorial Bridge" H.P. 1341 L.D. 1875

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.

Ought to Pass As Amended

(5-5) The Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Bill "An Act To Repeal and Replace the Canton Water District Charter"

H.P. 1346 L.D. 1880

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-670)**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-670).

(5-6) The Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Strengthen Maine's Public Health Infrastructure"

H.P. 190 L.D. 227

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment** "A" (H-667).

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-667).

(5-7) The Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act To Clarify the Use of Burying Grounds and Family Burying Grounds"

H.P. 777 L.D. 1054

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment** "A" (H-669).

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-669). (5-8) The Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act To Establish First Responders Day as a State Holiday on September 11th" H.P. 1362 L.D. 1908

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-668).

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-668).**

Senate

Ought to Pass

(5-9) Senator BELLOWS for the Committee on LABOR AND HOUSING on Bill "An Act To Clarify the Law Protecting Job Applicants from Identity Theft"

S.P. 688 L.D. 1986

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

SECOND READERS

The Committee on **Bills in the Second Reading** reported the following:

Senate As Amended

(6-1) Bill "An Act To Clarify the Financial Reporting Responsibilities of Political Action Committees and Ballot Question Committees"

S.P. 641 L.D. 1869 (C "A" S-377)

(6-2) Bill "An Act To Modify the Financial Disclosure Requirements for a Governor-elect" S.P. 643 L.D. 1871 (C "A" S-376) (6-3) Bill "An Act To Increase Access to and Reduce the Cost of Epinephrine Autoinjectors by Amending the Definition of 'Epinephrine Autoinjector'"

S.P. 674 L.D. 1972 (C "A" S-379)

(6-4) Bill "An Act To Make March Maine Childhood Cancer Awareness Month" S.P. 719 L.D. 2029 (C "A" S-378)

ENACTORS

The Committee on **Engrossed Bills** reported as truly and strictly engrossed the following:

Emergency Measure

(7-1) An Act To Address Student Hunger with a "Breakfast after the Bell" Program
S.P. 99 L.D. 359
(S "B" S-373 to C "A" S-78)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Unfinished Business

The following matters in the consideration of which the Senate was engaged at the time of Adjournment have preference in the Orders of the Day and continue with such preference until disposed of as provided by Senate Rule 516.

1.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act To Establish the Wood Energy Investment Program

S.P. 266 L.D. 912 (C "A" S-193)

Tabled - June 20, 2019 by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(**CARRIED OVER** to any Special or Regular Sessions, or both, of the 129th Legislature pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1322)

(RECALLED From Governor's Desk pursuant to Joint Order S.P. 266)

(In Senate, June 7, 2019, PASSED TO BE ENACTED in concurrence.)

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue for Infrastructure, Economic Development, Workforce Development and Energy and Environment Investment

> S.P. 621 L.D. 1836 (C "A" S-354)

Tabled - June 20, 2019 by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin

Pending - ENACTMENT in NON-CONCURRENCE

(**CARRIED OVER** to any Special or Regular Sessions, or both, of the 129th Legislature pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1322)

(In Senate, June 20, 2019, **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-354)**.)

(In House, FAILED ENACTMENT.)

3.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act Regarding the Definition of 'Serious Bodily Injury' in the Maine Criminal Code S.P. 302 L.D. 1023 (C "A" S-116)

Tabled - June 20, 2019 by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(**CARRIED OVER** to any Special or Regular Sessions, or both, of the 129th Legislature pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1322)

(**RECALLED** From Governor's Desk pursuant to Joint Order S.P. 629)

(In Senate, June 19, 2019, PASSED TO BE ENACTED in concurrence.)

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Ensure Proper Oversight of Sports Betting in the State" S.P. 175 L.D. 553 (C "A" S-318)

Tabled - January 14, 2020 by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, June 19, 2019, PASSED TO BE ENACTED in concurrence.)

(In House, PASSED TO BE ENACTED.)

5.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Create a Credit under the Commercial Forestry Excise Tax for Landowners Using Businesses Based in the United States"

S.P. 80 L.D. 268 (C "A" S-218; S "A" S-277 to C "A" S-218)

Tabled - January 14, 2020 by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, June 18, 2019, PASSED TO BE ENACTED in concurrence.)

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act Regarding the Sale of Information by the Secretary of State" S.P. 718 L.D. 2028

Tabled - January 14, 2020 by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin

Pending - **REFERENCE**

(Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT suggested and ordered printed.)

7.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Resolve, To Require the Construction of a New District Headquarters Building for the Bureau of Forestry in Fort Kent

S.P. 295 L.D. 1016 (C "A" S-94; S "A" S-335 to C "A" S-94)

Tabled - January 14, 2020 by Senator **DILL** of Penobscot

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(RECALLED from the Governor's Desk, pursuant to Joint Order (S.P. 704), in concurrence.)

(In Senate, June 20, 2019, FINALLY PASSED in concurrence.)

(In House, **FINALLY PASSED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Rwanda Bean, in South Portland SLS 987

Tabled - January 28, 2020 by Senator **MILLETT** of Cumberland

Pending - PASSAGE

9.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Kyle Anthony Curtis, of Gray

SLS 988

Tabled - January 28, 2020 by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin

Pending - PASSAGE

10.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT ORDER - Directing the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs To Report Out a Bill Regarding the Study of the Creation of a Comprehensive Career and Technical Education System and Increased Crosswalks for Academic Credit between Secondary Schools and Career and Technical Education Programs

S.P. 740

Tabled - January 30, 2020 by Senator MILLETT of Cumberland

Pending - PASSAGE

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Improve Consistency within the Maine Human Rights Act"

H.P. 1218 L.D. 1703 (C "A" H-643; S "A" S-349; H "A" H-654)

Tabled - February 4, 2020 by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, June 20, 2019, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED** in concurrence.) In House, **RECALLED** from the Governor's Desk, pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1426.

(In House, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" (H-665) in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

12.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT RESOLUTION - RECOGNIZING FEBRUARY 5, 2020 AS NATIONAL GIRLS AND WOMEN IN SPORTS DAY

S.P. 746

Tabled - February 4, 2020 by Senator HERBIG of Waldo

Pending - ADOPTION

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT RESOLUTION - Memorializing Timothy P. Dale, of Augusta. SLS 1024

Tabled - February 4, 2020 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - ADOPTION

14.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT RESOLUTION - Memorializing Todd N. Tolhurst, of South China. SLS 1025

Tabled - February 4, 2020 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - ADOPTION

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Resolve, To Establish a Background Check Consolidation Commission H.P. 436 L.D. 592 (C "A" H-35)

Tabled - April 11, 2019 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE

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2.

Resolve, To Establish the Committee To Study and Develop Recommendations To Address Guardianship Challenges That Delay Patient Discharges from Hospitals H.P. 890 L.D. 1229

(C "A" H-452)

Tabled - June 7, 2019 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE

3.

Resolve, To Establish the Work Group To Study the Use of Body Cameras by Law Enforcement Officers

S.P. 198 L.D. 636 (C "A" S-236)

Tabled - June 11, 2019 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE

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