

Senate of Maine

One Hundred and Twenty-Ninth Legislature Second Regular Session

Advance Journal and Calendar

16th Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Tuesday, March 3, 2020.

Senate called to Order by President Pro Tem Robert Foley of York County.

Prayer by Pastor Brian Kline of Lighthouse Baptist Church in Farmingdale.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Nathan L. Libby of Androscoggin County.

Reading of the Journal of Thursday, February 27, 2020.

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

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PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) Resolve, To Direct the Department of Health and Human Services To Amend Its Rules for Eligibility for Community Support Services

H.P. 580 L.D. 775 (C "A" H-403)

In Senate, June 18, 2019, FINALLY PASSED in concurrence.

In House, **RECALLED** from the Governor's Desk, pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1419.

Comes from the House, **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-403) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-699)** thereto in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-2) Olivia Neely, of Old Town, a freshman at Old Town High School, who has been named a Distinguished Finalist for 2020 by The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards, a nationwide program honoring young people for outstanding acts of volunteerism. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 860

(1-3) Matthew Miles, of Rumford, a student at Mountain Valley High School and a member of the wrestling team, who won the Class B State Championship in the 126-pound Weight Class. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 861

(1-4) Andrew Belisle, of Sanford, a sergeant with the Kennebunk Police Department, who is retiring after 45 years in law enforcement, including 29 years of service in Kennebunk as well as service in Sanford and Lebanon. We extend our appreciation and best wishes;

HLS 862

(1-5) Gabriel Daniels, of Buxton, a member of Troop No. 349, 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;

HLS 863

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

COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 966

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

RE: Maine Turnpike Authority Board of Directors

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Thomas J. Zuke of Saco for reappointment to the Maine Turnpike Authority Board of Directors.

Pursuant to Title 23, MRSA §1964-A, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.C. 967

STATE OF MAINE 129TH LEGISLATURE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AUGUSTA, MAINE

March 2, 2020

Honorable Darek M. Grant Secretary of the Senate 3 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under Senate Rule 201.3, please be advised that I appoint the Senator from York County, Senator Robert Foley, to serve as President Pro Tem to convene the Senate on Tuesday, March 3, 2020.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

S/Troy D. Jackson President of the Senate (2-3) The Following Communication:

S.C. 974

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

February 27, 2020

The Honorable Troy Jackson, President of the Senate The Honorable Sarah Gideon, Speaker of the House of Representatives 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Please accept this letter as the report of the findings of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary from its review and evaluation of the Office of the Attorney General under the State Government Evaluation Act, Title 3 Maine Revised Statutes, chapter 35.

The committee finds that the Office of the Attorney General is operating within its statutory authority.

Sincerely,

S/Senator Mike Carpenter Senate Chair S/Representative Donna Bailey House Chair (2-4) The Following Communication:

S.C. 975

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

February 27, 2020

The Honorable Troy D. Jackson, President of the Senate The Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House of Representatives 129th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Please accept this letter as the report of the findings of the Joint Standing Committee on Energy Utilities and Technology from its review and evaluation of the Office of the Public Advocate under the State Government Evaluation Act, Title 3 Maine Revised Statutes, chapter 35.

The committee finds that the Office of the Public Advocate is operating within its statutory authority.

Sincerely,

S/Senator Mark W. Lawrence Senate Chair S/Representative Seth A. Berry House Chair (2-5) The Following Communication:

S.C. 976

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

RE: Reappointment of Captain Wendy L. Morrison of Dickinson, TX to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Captain Wendy L. Morrison of Dickinson, TX for reappointment to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to Title 5 §12004-C and Public Law 1941, c. 37, §1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c 27, §1, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-6) The Following Communication:

S.C. 977

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

RE: Reappointment of Robert D. Somerville of Fort Lauderdale, FL to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Robert D. Somerville of Fort Lauderdale, FL for reappointment to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to Title 5 §12004-C and Public Law 1941, c. 37, §1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c 27, §1, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-7) The Following Communication:

S.C. 978

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

> RE: Reappointment of Miles Unobsky Theeman of Bangor to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Miles Unobsky Theeman of Bangor for reappointment to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to Title 5 §12004-C and Public Law 1941, c. 37, §1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c 27, §1, this reappointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-8) The Following Communication:

S.C. 979

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Wayne Allen Norton of Gorham to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Wayne Allen Norton of Gorham for Appointment to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to Title 5 §12004-C and Public Law 1941, c. 37, §1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c 27, §1, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-9) The Following Communication:

S.C. 980

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Ashley A. Porter of Cutler as Student Trustee to the Maine Maritime Academy Board of Trustees

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Ashley A. Porter of Cutler for appointment as Student Trustee to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to Title 5 §12004-C and Public Law 1941, c. 37, §1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c 27, §1, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-10) The Following Communication:

S.C. 981

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 28, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Paul Mercer of Penobscot to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Paul Mercer of Penobscot for Appointment to the Board of Trustees Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to Title 5 §12004-C and Public Law 1941, c. 37, §1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c 27, §1, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-11) The Following Communication:

S.C. 982

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 27, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of The Honorable William Schneider of Durham to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Mr. The Honorable William Schneider of Durham for Appointment to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices.

Pursuant to Title 1 MRSA §1002, this Appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-12) The Following Communication:

S.C. 983

STATE OF MAINE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUGUSTA, MAINE

February 27, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Dennis Marble of Hampden to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Dennis Marble of Hampden for appointment to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices.

Pursuant to Title 1 MRSA §1002, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(2-13) The Following Communication:

S.C. 965

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS

February 27, 2020

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

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon,

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that we have approved the request by the bill sponsor Rep. Pierce of Falmouth, to report the following bill Leave to Withdraw:

L.D. 720 An Act Regarding Maine's Adult Use Marijuana Law Sincerely,

S/Sen. Louis J. Luchini Senate Chair

S/Rep. John C. Schneck House Chair (2-14) The Following Communication:

S.C. 968

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HOUSING

February 04, 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 Labor and Housing has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1976 An Act To Help Retain School Bus Drivers

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Shenna Bellows Senate Chair S/Rep. Mike A. Sylvester House Chair (2-15) The Following Communication:

S.C. 969

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HOUSING

February 19, 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 Labor and Housing has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1250 An Act To Prohibit Sexual Harassment as a Subject Matter of Mandatory Arbitration in Employment Contracts

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Shenna Bellows Senate Chair S/Rep. Mike A. Sylvester House Chair (2-16) The Following Communication:

S.C. 970

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HOUSING

February 05, 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 Labor and Housing has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 2015 An Act To Provide for Leave from Work for Victims of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault or Stalking

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Shenna Bellows Senate Chair S/Rep. Mike A. Sylvester House Chair (2-17) The Following Communication:

S.C. 971

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

February 24, 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 Transportation has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1987 Resolve, To Exempt Truck Drivers Transporting Live Lobsters from Certain Hours-of-service Restrictions

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Bill Diamond Senate Chair S/Rep. Andrew McLean House Chair (2-18) The Following Communication:

S.C. 972

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

February 20, 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 Transportation has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1034 An Act To Provide Revenue To Fix and Rebuild Maine's Transportation Infrastructure

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Bill Diamond Senate Chair S/Rep. Andrew McLean House Chair (2-19) The Following Communication:

S.C. 973

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY NINTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS

February 25, 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 Veterans and Legal Affairs has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 1432	An Act To Improve the Adult Use Marijuana Laws
L.D. 1444	An Act To Make the Distance to Schools for Marijuana Establishments Consistent with the Liquor Laws

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Louis J. Luchini Senate Chair S/Rep. John C. Schneck House Chair

SENATE PAPERS

(3-1) Bill "An Act To Correct Errors, Inconsistencies and Conflicts in and To Revise the State's Liquor Laws"

S.P. 766 L.D. 2131

Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on Veterans and Legal Affairs pursuant to Resolve 2019, chapter 15, section 3.

Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS suggested and ordered printed.

ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) Amy Graham, of Marion Township, who is celebrating her 95th Birthday on March 4, 2020. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1093

Sponsored by Senator MOORE of Washington. Cosponsored by Representative: JAVNER of Chester.

(4-2) Stanley and Patty Dennison, of East Machias, who are celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary on February 28, 2020. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; SLS 1094

Sponsored by Senator MOORE of Washington. Cosponsored by Representative: TUELL of East Machias.

(4-3) Peter Crichton, of Windham, who is stepping down as Auburn City Manager after a 35year career in municipal and county administration, including for Mars Hill, Lewiston and Cumberland County. We extend our appreciation and best wishes;

SLS 1096

Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin. Cosponsored by Senator: DIAMOND of Cumberland, Representatives: BRYANT of Windham, COREY of Windham, SHEATS of Auburn.

(4-4) Doug and Marie Cutchin, of Fairfield, recipients of a Spirit of America Foundation Award. The Spirit of America Foundation was established to encourage and promote volunteerism, and the foundation presents awards to honor local individuals, organizations or projects in appreciation of community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1097

Sponsored by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec. Cosponsored by Representative: RUDNICKI of Fairfield.

(4-5) Ed Small, of Winslow, recipient of a Spirit of America Foundation Award. The Spirit of America Foundation was established to encourage and promote volunteerism, and the foundation presents awards to honor local individuals, organizations or projects in appreciation of community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1098

Sponsored by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec. Cosponsored by Representative: NADEAU of Winslow. (4-6) Main Street Skowhegan, recipient of a Spirit of America Foundation Award. The Spirit of America Foundation was established to encourage and promote volunteerism, and the foundation presents awards to honor local individuals, organizations or projects in appreciation of community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1099

Sponsored by Senator FARRIN of Somerset. Cosponsored by Representative: AUSTIN of Skowhegan.

(4-7) the Town of Searsport, which is celebrating its 175th Anniversary in 2020 with a yearlong series of festivities. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1100

Sponsored by Senator HERBIG of Waldo. Cosponsored by Representative: CUDDY of Winterport.

Joint Resolution

Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

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

(4-8) Corey Corson, of Levant. Mr. Corson worked for United Parcel Service for 23 years. A devoted husband and father and an avid sportsman, Mr. Corson will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends;

SLS 1095

Sponsored by Senator GUERIN of Penobscot. Cosponsored by Representative: GRIFFIN of Levant.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Divided Report

(5-1) The Majority of the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act To Determine the Need To Increase the Number of Forensic Emergency and Crisis Beds"

H.P. 938 L.D. 1295

Reported that the same be **REFERRED** to the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**.

Signed:

Senators:

DESCHAMBAULT of York CARPENTER of Aroostook ROSEN of Hancock

Representatives:

WARREN of Hallowell BEEBE-CENTER of Rockland COOPER of Yarmouth COREY of Windham MORALES of South Portland PICKETT of Dixfield RECKITT of South Portland

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought Not To Pass**.

Signed:

Representative: JOHANSEN of Monticello

Comes from the House with the Majority **REFER TO COMMITTEE** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **REFERRED** to the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**.

Senate

Ought to Pass

(5-2) Senator GRATWICK for the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Consolidate Certain Reporting Requirements of the Department of Health and Human Services"

S.P. 727 L.D. 2054

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

Ought to Pass As Amended

(5-3) Senator DILL for the Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY on Bill "An Act To Penalize Violators of Wood Shipment and Quarantine Laws" S.P. 575 L.D. 1726

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-412).

(5-4) Senator LUCHINI for the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Maine Veterans' Memorial Cemetery System" S.P. 668 L.D. 1926

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-411).

Divided Report

(5-5) The Majority of the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Activities at or near the Polls on Election Day" S.P. 655 L.D. 1903

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-409).

Signed:

Senators:

LUCHINI of Hancock HERBIG of Waldo

Representatives:

SCHNECK of Bangor ACKLEY of Monmouth COOPER of Yarmouth DOLLOFF of Rumford HICKMAN of Winthrop HUBBELL of Bar Harbor McCREIGHT of Harpswell

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass** as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-410).

Signed:

Senator:

CYRWAY of Kennebec

Representatives:

ANDREWS of Paris HANINGTON of Lincoln STROM of Pittsfield

Divided Report

(5-6) The Majority of the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Amend Certain Laws Governing Elections"

S.P. 656 L.D. 1904

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment** "A" (S-408).

Signed:

Senators:

LUCHINI of Hancock HERBIG of Waldo

Representatives:

SCHNECK of Bangor ACKLEY of Monmouth COOPER of Yarmouth DOLLOFF of Rumford HICKMAN of Winthrop HUBBELL of Bar Harbor McCREIGHT of Harpswell STROM of Pittsfield

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought Not To Pass**.

Signed:

Senator:

CYRWAY of Kennebec

Representatives:

ANDREWS of Paris HANINGTON of Lincoln

Divided Report

(5-7) The Majority of the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Clarify Certificate of Approval Requirements under the State's Liquor Laws" S.P. 738 L.D. 2089

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-407).

Signed:

Senators:

LUCHINI of Hancock CYRWAY of Kennebec HERBIG of Waldo

Representatives:

SCHNECK of Bangor ACKLEY of Monmouth COOPER of Yarmouth DOLLOFF of Rumford HANINGTON of Lincoln HICKMAN of Winthrop HUBBELL of Bar Harbor McCREIGHT of Harpswell STROM of Pittsfield

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought Not To Pass**.

Signed:

Representative: ANDREWS of Paris

SECOND READERS

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

House

(6-1) Bill "An Act To Amend the Maine Uniform Probate Code"

H.P. 1334 L.D. 1863

(6-2) Resolve, To Name Bridge 3880 in the Town of Dresden the Veterans Memorial Bridge H.P. 1342 L.D. 1876 (6-3) Bill "An Act To Require Forest Rangers To Be Trained at the Maine Criminal Justice Academy" (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1389 L.D. 1945

(6-4) Bill "An Act Regarding Driver's License Suspensions for Nondriving Violations" H.P. 1397 L.D. 1953

(6-5) Bill "An Act To Extend Arrearage Management Program Requirements for Transmission and Distribution Utilities for One Year"

H.P. 1434 L.D. 2013

(6-6) Bill "An Act To Eliminate the Requirement That Municipalities Retain Paper Copies of Certain Vital Statistics Records"

H.P. 1451 L.D. 2040

(6-7) Resolve, Authorizing Certain Land Transactions by the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Bureau of Parks and Lands

H.P. 1459 L.D. 2048

(6-8) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 27: Standards for Pesticide Applications and Public Notification in Schools, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control (EMERGENCY) H.P. 1470 L.D. 2069

(6-9) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 26: Standards for Indoor Pesticide Applications and Notification for All Occupied Buildings Except K-12 Schools, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1471 L.D. 2070

(6-10) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 311: Portfolio
Requirement, a Major Substantive Rule of the Public Utilities Commission (EMERGENCY)
H.P. 1482 L.D. 2081

(6-11) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 28: Notification Provisions for Outdoor Pesticide Applications, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control (EMERGENCY) H.P. 1483 L.D. 2082

House As Amended

(6-12) Bill "An Act Regarding Access to Lobster Licenses"

H.P. 29 L.D. 28 (C "A" H-686)

(6-13) Bill "An Act To Amend the Greater Augusta Utility District Charter" H.P. 341 L.D. 432 (C "A" H-684)

 (6-14) Bill "An Act To Improve the Laws Regarding Discontinued and Abandoned Roads" H.P. 1028 L.D. 1415 (C "A" H-691)

(6-15) Bill "An Act To Increase Access to Justice and Maine's Rural Lawyer Workforce by Expanding Student Attorney Practice Opportunities"

H.P. 1330 L.D. 1859 (C "A" H-690)

 (6-16) Bill "An Act To Make Changes to the So-called Dig Safe Law" (EMERGENCY) H.P. 1358 L.D. 1892 (C "A" H-685)

 (6-17) Bill "An Act To Prohibit, Except in Emergency Situations, the Performance without Consent of Pelvic Examinations on Unconscious or Anesthetized Patients" H.P. 1392 L.D. 1948 (C "A" H-688)

(6-18) Bill "An Act To Provide Support Services for Military Members Transitioning to Civilian Life in Maine"

H.P. 1396 L.D. 1952 (C "A" H-687)

(6-19) Bill "An Act To Expand Tax Increment Financing To Include Adult Care Facilities and Services and Certain Child Care Facilities"

H.P. 1402 L.D. 1958 (C "A" H-695)

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(6-20) Bill "An Act Making Technical Changes to the Maine Tax Laws" H.P. 1429 L.D. 2008 (C "A" H-693)

(6-21) Resolve, Authorizing the State Tax Assessor To Convey the Interest of the State in Certain Real Estate in the Unorganized Territory

H.P. 1433 L.D. 2012 (C "A" H-694)

(6-22) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 100: Enforcement
Procedures, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization (EMERGENCY)
H.P. 1479 L.D. 2078
(C "A" H-689)

Senate

(6-23) Bill "An Act To Amend the Law Governing Maximum Length Limits for Truck Tractor Semitrailers"

S.P. 707 L.D. 2005

Senate As Amended

(6-24) Bill "An Act To Encourage the Development of Broadband Coverage in Rural Maine" S.P. 498 L.D. 1563 (C "A" S-405)

ENACTORS

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

Emergency Measure

(7-1) An Act To Amend the Unemployment Compensation Laws

S.P. 658 L.D. 1911 (C "A" S-388)

Emergency Measure

(7-2) An Act To Reduce Financial Burdens on Small Water Utilities

H.P. 1442 L.D. 2032

Acts

 (7-3) An Act To Clarify Lobbyist Reporting Requirements and Simplify Registration Requirements for State Employees Who Lobby on Behalf of a State Department or Agency S.P. 639 L.D. 1867 (C "A" S-389)

(7-4) An Act To Support Emergency Shelter Access for Persons Experiencing Homelessness in Maine

H.P. 1363 L.D. 1909 (C "A" H-680)

(7-5) An Act To Amend the Laws Regarding the Reserve Funds of Certain School Organizational Structures

H.P. 1366 L.D. 1918 (C "A" H-681)

(7-6) An Act To Ensure an Efficient Contracting Process for the Department of Health and Human Services

H.P. 1461 L.D. 2057

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 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.)

5.

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

7.

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.)

9.

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

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY on Bill "An Act To Create Certain Recreational Opportunities on State-owned Land"

S.P. 390 L.D. 1270

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (11 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass (2 members)

Tabled - February 18, 2020 by Senator DILL of Penobscot

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report

11.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Require Background Investigations for Certain Individuals To Receive Federal Tax Information in Accordance with Federal Standards" (EMERGENCY) H.P. 1375 L.D. 1931

Tabled - February 20, 2020 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED in concurrence

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

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Create Fairness in the Revitalization of Maine's Paper Industry" S.P. 763 L.D. 2123

Tabled - February 27, 2020 by Senator CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Pending - **REFERENCE**

(Committee on TAXATION suggested and ordered printed.)

13.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Establish the Maine Community College System No-cost Tuition Program" H.P. 634 L.D. 860

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-692) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - February 27, 2020 by Senator MILLETT of Cumberland

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report in concurrence

(In House, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-692).)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **TAXATION** on Resolve, Establishing the Commission To Study Fair, Equitable and Competitive Tax Policy for Maine's Working Families and Small Businesses (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1373 L.D. 1929

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-696) (10 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (3 members)

Tabled - February 27, 2020 by Senator CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report in concurrence

(In House, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Resolve PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-696).)

SPECIAL STUDY TABLE

1.

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

4.

Resolve, To Establish the Commission To Study the Use of Adjunct Professors in Maine Community College System

> H.P. 1344 L.D. 1878 (C "A" H-679)

Tabled - February 27, 2020 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence

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