In Senate Chamber, Friday, June 9, 2017.

Senate called to Order by President Michael D. Thibodeau of Waldo County.

Prayer by Pastor Robert Richards, Fellowship Baptist Church in Augusta.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Susan A. Deschambault of York County.

Reading of the Journal of Thursday, June 8, 2017.

Doctor of the day, Minda Gold, M.D. of Damariscotta.
PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY on Bill "An Act To Provide Maine Landlords Advance Notice of Water Disconnection Postings"

H.P. 1038  L.D. 1514
(C "A" H-273)

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-273) (5 members)

In Senate, June 7, 2017, on motion by Senator WOODSOME of York, the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-273) in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Comes from the House, that Body having INSISTED on its former action whereby the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report was READ and ACCEPTED.

(1-2) HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on TAXATION on Bill "An Act To Prevent Tax Haven Abuse"

H.P. 564  L.D. 784

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-169) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

In Senate, June 7, 2017, on motion by Senator DOW of Lincoln, the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Comes from the House, that Body having INSISTED on its former action whereby the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report was READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-169).
Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-3) HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Allow Municipalities To Adjust Times of Operation for Establishments That Serve Alcohol"

H.P. 781  L.D. 1107

Majority - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-266)** (8 members)

Minority - **Ought Not to Pass** (5 members)

In Senate, June 7, 2017, the Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report was **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-266)**.

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Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-4) HOUSE REPORT - from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Temporary Sign Usage"

H.P. 165  L.D. 209

Report - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-111)**

In Senate, May 24, 2017, **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-111) AS AMENDED BY SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-141)** thereto in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Bill was **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-111)**.
Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-5) SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Eliminate the 24-hour Reporting Requirement under the Election Laws"
S.P. 340  L.D. 1033
(C "A" S-213)

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (8 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-213) (5 members)

In Senate, June 8, 2017, on motion by Senator COLLINS of York, the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-213).

Comes from the House, the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

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The Following Communication:

S.C. 497

STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION & FORESTRY

June 7, 2017

The Honorable Michael D. Thibodeau
President of the Senate of Maine
128th 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 Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry has had under consideration the nomination of Donald A. Kleiner of Union, for appointment to the Land For Maine’s Future Board.

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 3 Davis of Piscataquis, Dill of Penobscot, Saviello of Franklin
Representatives 10 Dunphy of Old Town, Ackley of Monmouth, Black of Wilton, Chapman of Brooksville, Higgins of Dover-Foxcroft, Kinney of Knox, Martin of Sinclair, McElwee of Caribou, O’Neil of Saco, Skolfield of Weld

NAYS 0

ABSENT 0

Thirteen members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Donald A. Kleiner of Union, for appointment to the Land For Maine’s Future Board be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Paul T. Davis
Senate Chair

S/Michelle Ann Dunphy
House Chair
June 8, 2017

The Honorable Heather J.R. Priest
Secretary of the Senate
128th Maine Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Priest:

The House voted today to adhere to its former action whereby it accepted the Majority Ought to Pass as Amended Report of the Committee on State and Local Government on Bill "An Act To Provide Stability and Continuity in the Department of Education" (S.P. 120) (L.D. 379) and Passage to be Engrossed as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-170).

The House voted today to insist on its former action whereby it accepted the Majority Ought Not to Pass Report of the Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs on Bill "An Act To Amend Education Statutes" (S.P. 537) (L.D. 1531).

Sincerely,

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House
June 8, 2017

The Honorable Heather J.R. Priest
Secretary of the Senate
128th Maine Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Priest:

Senate Paper 278, Legislative Document 832, "An Act To Carry Out the Will of the People of the State of Maine by Ensuring the Issuance of Bonds To Support the Independence of Maine's Seniors," having been returned by the Governor, together with objections to the same, pursuant to Article IV, Part Third, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Maine, after reconsideration, the House proceeded to vote on the question: "Shall this Bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?"

89 voted in favor and 58 against, with 1 being excused, and accordingly it was the vote of the House that the Bill not become a law and the veto was sustained.

Sincerely,

Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House
ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) Devin Whitmore, of Lebanon, a senior at Noble High School, who is a recipient of a 2017 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend to Devin our congratulations and best wishes;

Sponsored by Senator COLLINS of York.
Cosponsored by Representatives: GERRISH of Lebanon, O'CONNOR of Berwick, PARKER of South Berwick.

(4-2) Madison Frazier, of Deer Isle, who has earned the distinction of being named Salutatorian of the 2017 graduating class of Deer Isle-Stonington High School. We extend to Madison our congratulations and best wishes;

Sponsored by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: KUMIEGA of Deer Isle.

(4-3) Jordyn Judkins, of Deer Isle, who has earned the distinction of being named Valedictorian of the 2017 graduating class of Deer Isle-Stonington High School. We extend to Jordyn our congratulations and best wishes;

Sponsored by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: KUMIEGA of Deer Isle.

(4-4) Mike Vail, of Cumberland, President of Hannaford Supermarkets, who along with Hannaford Supermarkets is the recipient of the JoAnn Pike Humanitarian Award from the Good Shepherd Food Bank, which is given to an individual or organization whose charitable efforts have not only helped to end hunger in Maine, but whose leadership and commitment to the nonprofit community have enriched the lives of the citizens of the State. We extend to Mr. Vail and the employees of Hannaford Supermarkets our congratulations and best wishes;

Sponsored by Senator VOLK of Cumberland.
Joint Resolution

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

(4-5) Paul Lyndon Hazard, of Belfast, a veteran of the United States Navy. Mr. Hazard served as an Engineering Officer and Legal Officer on board the USS Arneb. He later became a lawyer and joined Roger F. Blake's law practice in Belfast, becoming a partner and specializing in real estate law. Mr. Hazard was a member of The First Church in Belfast, the Belfast Curling Club and the Belfast Rotary Club, of which he was a past president. He was also a member of all of the York Rite Masonic Bodies of Belfast and a member of Scottish Rite of Masonic Bodies, a 42-year member of Anah Shriners of Bangor and a past District Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Maine. Mr. Hazard will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends;

SLS 455

Sponsored by President THIBODEAU of Waldo.
Cosponsored by Representative: HERBIG of Belfast.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Ought to Pass

(5-1) The Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Ban the Purchase of Retail Marijuana and Retail Marijuana Products with Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program Benefits"

H.P. 976  L.D. 1418

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.
(5-2) The Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY on Bill "An Act To Reduce Costs to Businesses by Phasing Out the Pet Food Surcharge" (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1104  L.D. 1601

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-447).

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-447).

(5-3) The Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Provide Funding for Upgrades of Learning Spaces and Other Projects Funded by the School Revolving Renovation Fund"

H.P. 101  L.D. 143

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-452).

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-452).

(5-4) The Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Resolve, Providing for the Official Observance of the 200th Anniversary of the Formation of the State of Maine

H.P. 806  L.D. 1143

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-453).

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Resolve PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-453).
(5-5) The Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Amend the Requirements of the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program"
H.P. 250  L.D. 336

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-298).

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-298).

(5-6) The Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act To Support Law Enforcement Officers and First Responders Diagnosed with Post-traumatic Stress Disorder"
H.P. 597  L.D. 848

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-448).

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-448).

(5-7) The Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Government Oversight Committee To Improve the Efficiency and Effectiveness of Evaluations of the State's Investments in Economic Development"
H.P. 849  L.D. 1217

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-445).

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-445).
(5-8) The Majority of the Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY on Bill "An Act To Protect Maine's Forest Rangers"

H.P. 9  L.D. 8

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-451).**

Signed:

Senators:
   DAVIS of Piscataquis
   DILL of Penobscot
   SAVIELLO of Franklin

Representatives:
   DUNPHY of Old Town
   BLACK of Wilton
   HIGGINS of Dover-Foxcroft
   KINNEY of Knox
   MARTIN of Sinclair
   McELWEE of Caribou
   O'NEIL of Saco

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

Signed:

Representatives:
   ACKLEY of Monmouth
   CHAPMAN of Brooksville
   SKOLFIELD of Weld

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-451).**
(5-9) The Majority of the Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY on Bill "An Act To Amend the Animal Welfare Laws To Add Provisions Relating to the Surrender of Animals"

H.P. 1097  L.D. 1593

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-446).

Signed:

Senators:
  DAVIS of Piscataquis
  SAVIELLO of Franklin

Representatives:
  BLACK of Wilton
  HIGGINS of Dover-Foxcroft
  KINNEY of Knox
  McELWEE of Caribou
  SKOLFIELD of Weld

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

Signed:

Senator:
  DILL of Penobscot

Representatives:
  DUNPHY of Old Town
  ACKLEY of Monmouth
  CHAPMAN of Brooksville
  MARTIN of Sinclair
  O'NEIL of Saco

Comes from the House with the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.
(5-10) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Recognize Computer Science in the Path to Proficiency"
H.P. 289  L.D. 398

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-454).**

Signed:

Senators:
LANGLEY of Hancock
MAKER of Washington
MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:
KORNFIELD of Bangor
DAUGTRY of Brunswick
FARNSWORTH of Portland
FULLER of Lewiston
GINZLER of Bridgton
McCREA of Fort Fairfield
PIERCE of Falmouth
SAMPSON of Alfred
STEWART of Presque Isle

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

Signed:

Representative:
TURNER of Burlington

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **READ and ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-454).**
Divided Report

(5-11) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Clarify That Involuntary Transfers of Teachers and Municipal Public Employees Are Subject to Collective Bargaining"

H.P. 767  L.D. 1093

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senators:
LANGLEY of Hancock
MAKER of Washington

Representatives:
KORNFIELD of Bangor
FARNSWORTH of Portland
FULLER of Lewiston
GINZLER of Bridgton
McCREA of Fort Fairfield
SAMPSON of Alfred
STEWART of Presque Isle
TURNER of Burlington

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-442).

Signed:

Senator:
MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:
DAUGTHRY of Brunswick
PIERCE of Falmouth

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.
Divided Report

(5-12) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Set Standards in the System of Learning Results for Financial Literacy"

H.P. 894  L.D. 1297

Reported that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senators:
  - LANGLEY of Hancock
  - MAKER of Washington
  - MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:
  - KORNFIELD of Bangor
  - FARNSWORTH of Portland
  - FULLER of Lewiston
  - GINZLER of Bridgton
  - McCREA of Fort Fairfield
  - PIERCE of Falmouth
  - SAMPSON of Alfred
  - STEWART of Presque Isle
  - TURNER of Burlington

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass**.

Signed:

Representative:
  - DAUGTHRY of Brunswick

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.
(5-13) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Amend High School Diploma Standards" H.P. 974  L.D. 1416

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senators:
   LANGLEY of Hancock
   MAKER of Washington
   MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:
   KORNFIELD of Bangor
   DAUGHERTY of Brunswick
   FARNSWORTH of Portland
   FULLER of Lewiston
   GINZLER of Bridgton
   McCREA of Fort Fairfield
   PIERCE of Falmouth

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-444).

Signed:

Representatives:
   SAMPSON of Alfred
   STEWART of Presque Isle
   TURNER of Burlington

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.
Divided Report

(5-14) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Facilitate Voluntary Cooperation among School Systems"

H.P. 1009  L.D. 1470

Reported that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senator:
MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:
KORNFIELD of Bangor
DAUGHERTY of Brunswick
FARNsworth of Portland
FULLER of Lewiston
McCrea of Fort Fairfield
PIERCE of Falmouth

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-455)**.

Signed:

Senators:
LANGLEY of Hancock
MAKER of Washington

Representatives:
GINZLER of Bridgton
SAMPSON of Alfred
STEWART of Presque Isle
TURNER of Burlington

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.
(5-15) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on 
Bill "An Act To Safeguard Student Contact Information Provided to Schools" 
H.P. 1022  L.D. 1483 

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senator: 
MILLET of Cumberland

Representatives: 
KORNFIELD of Bangor 
DAUGTRY of Brunswick 
FARNSWORTH of Portland 
FULLER of Lewiston 
McCrea of Fort Fairfield 
PIERCE of Falmouth

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass 
as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-456).

Signed:

Senators: 
LANGLEY of Hancock 
MAKER of Washington

Representatives: 
GINZLER of Bridgton 
SAMPSON of Alfred 
STEWART of Presque Isle 
TURNER of Burlington

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and 
ACCEPTED.
Divided Report

(5-16) The Majority of the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act Regarding Educational Standards for Maine Students"
H.P. 1085  L.D. 1578

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senators:
  LANGLEY of Hancock
  MAKER of Washington
  MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:
  KORNFIELD of Bangor
  DAUGTRY of Brunswick
  FARNSWORTH of Portland
  FULLER of Lewiston
  McCREA of Fort Fairfield
  PIERCE of Falmouth

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-457).

Signed:

Representatives:
  GINZLER of Bridgton
  SAMPSON of Alfred
  STEWART of Presque Isle
  TURNER of Burlington

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.
(5-17) The Majority of the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Build Greater Accountability into the General Assistance Program by Increasing the Penalty for Falsely Representing Information on an Application for General Assistance" H.P. 11 L.D. 10

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senator:
CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:
HYMANSON of York
DENNO of Cumberland
HAMANN of South Portland
MADIGAN of Waterville
PARKER of South Berwick
PERRY of Calais

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-129).

Signed:

Senators:
BRAKEY of Androscoggin
HAMPER of Oxford

Representatives:
CHACE of Durham
HEAD of Bethel
MALABY of Hancock
SANDERSON of Chelsea

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.
(5-18) The Majority of the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Prioritize Access by Maine's Most Vulnerable Citizens to Welfare Resources"

H.P. 343  L.D. 480

Reported that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senator:
CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:
HYMANSON of York
DENNO of Cumberland
HAMANN of South Portland
MADIGAN of Waterville
PARKER of South Berwick
PERRY of Calais

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-302)**.

Signed:

Senators:
BRAKEY of Androscoggin
HAMPER of Oxford

Representatives:
CHACE of Durham
HEAD of Bethel
MALABY of Hancock
SANDERSON of Chelsea

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.
Divided Report

(5-19) The Majority of the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Promote Workforce Participation" (EMERGENCY) H.P. 344  L.D. 481

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-326).

Signed:

Senator:
    CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:
    HYMANSON of York
    DENNO of Cumberland
    HAMANN of South Portland
    MADIGAN of Waterville
    PARKER of South Berwick
    PERRY of Calais

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-327).

Signed:

Senators:
    BRAKEY of Androscoggin
    HAMPER of Oxford

Representatives:
    CHACE of Durham
    HEAD of Bethel
    MALABY of Hancock
    SANDERSON of Chelsea

 Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-326) Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-326).
(5-20) The Majority of the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Increase Workforce Participation in the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program and Other Assistance Programs"

H.P. 899  L.D. 1302

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-329).

Signed:

Senator:
CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:
HYMANSON of York
DENNO of Cumberland
HAMANN of South Portland
MADIGAN of Waterville
PARKER of South Berwick
PERRY of Calais

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

Signed:

Senators:
BRAKEY of Androscoggin
HAMPER of Oxford

Representatives:
CHACE of Durham
HEAD of Bethel
MALABY of Hancock
SANDERSON of Chelsea

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-329).
(5-21) The Majority of the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act Regarding Parental Rights"

H.P. 335  L.D. 472

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senator:

   HILL of York

Representatives:

   MOONEN of Portland
   BABBIDGE of Kennebunk
   BAILEY of Saco
   CARDONE of Bangor
   McCREIGHT of Harpswell
   RECKITT of South Portland
   SHERMAN of Hodgdon

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-441).

Signed:

Senators:

   KEIM of Oxford
   WHITTEMORE of Somerset

Representatives:

   BRADSTREET of Vassalboro
   GUERIN of Glenburn
   JOHANSEN of Monticello

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.
Senate

Ought to Pass As Amended

(5-22) Senator KEIM for the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Require Mortgage Servicers To Act in Good Faith in Dealings with Homeowners"  
S.P. 243  L.D. 731

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-229).

(5-23) Senator KEIM for the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Promote Impartiality in the Probate Court"  
S.P. 345  L.D. 1043

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-230).

(5-24) Senator KEIM for the Committee on JUDICIARY on Resolve, To Establish the Commission To Create a Plan for the Establishment of a Probate Court System with Full-time Judges  
S.P. 423  L.D. 1260

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-231).

(5-25) Senator DOW for the Committee on TAXATION on Bill "An Act To Improve the Tax Appeal Process for Maine Businesses and Consumers"  
S.P. 198  L.D. 583

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-227).
(5-26) The Majority of the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY on Bill "An Act To Encourage Broadband Coverage in Rural Maine"

S.P. 477  L.D. 1399

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"** (S-223).

Signed:

Senators:
- WOODSOME of York
- DION of Cumberland

Representatives:
- BERRY of Bowdoinham
- COOPER of Yarmouth
- DeCHANT of Bath
- HARVELL of Farmington
- RILEY of Jay
- RYKERSON of Kittery
- SANBORN of Portland

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

Signed:

Senator:
- CUSHING of Penobscot

Representatives:
- HANLEY of Pittston
- O'CONNOR of Berwick
- WADSWORTH of Hiram

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(5-27) The Majority of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act To Minimize Hardship by Prohibiting the State from Reducing the Wages of a State Employee To Recoup Payments the State Made in Error"

S.P. 420  L.D. 1257

Reported that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senators:
  
  DAVIS of Piscataquis
  DESCHAMBAULT of York
  KEIM of Oxford

Representatives:
  
  MARTIN of Sinclair
  BEEBE-CENTER of Rockland
  HARRINGTON of Sanford
  HOGAN of Old Orchard Beach
  MADIGAN of Rumford
  ORDWAY of Standish
  PICKETT of Dixfield
  SPEAR of South Thomaston

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-222)**.

Signed:

Representative:
  
  BRYANT of Windham
(5-28) The Majority of the Committee on TAXATION on Bill "An Act To Promote Workforce Development and Provide an Economic Stimulus for Maine-based Filmmakers and Supporting Businesses"

S.P. 501  L.D. 1450

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-228).**

Signed:

Senators:
   DOW of Lincoln
   CHENETTE of York
   CUSHING of Penobscot

Representatives:
   BICKFORD of Auburn
   COOPER of Yarmouth
   HILLIARD of Belgrade
   McCREIGHT of Harpswell
   POULIOT of Augusta
   STANLEY of Medway
   TERRY of Gorham
   WARD of Dedham

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

Signed:

Representatives:
   TIPPING of Orono
   GRANT of Gardiner

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**ENACTORS**

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

**Emergency Measure**

(7-1) An Act To Provide Support for Sustainable Economic Development in Rural Maine

H.P. 1017  L.D. 1478

(C "A" H-391)
Acts

(7-2) An Act To Prohibit the Creation of a Firearms Owner Registry
   H.P. 10  L.D. 9
   (C "A" H-87)

(7-3) An Act To Protect Firefighters by Establishing a Prohibition on the Sale and Distribution of New Upholstered Furniture Containing Certain Flame-retardant Chemicals
   H.P. 138  L.D. 182
   (C "A" H-215)

(7-4) An Act To Extend the Veteran Property Tax Exemption to Veterans Who Have Served on Active Duty
   H.P. 222  L.D. 289
   (C "A" H-232)

(7-5) An Act To Provide MaineCare Coverage for Chiropractic Treatment
   S.P. 94  L.D. 320
   (C "A" S-199)

(7-6) An Act To Amend the Law Regarding Joint Use of Certain Utility and Telecommunications Infrastructure
   S.P. 133  L.D. 406
   (C "A" S-177)

(7-7) An Act To Protect Earned Pay
   H.P. 405  L.D. 563
   (C "A" H-72)

(7-8) An Act To Protect Students from Identity Theft
   H.P. 469  L.D. 678
   (C "A" H-409)

(7-9) An Act To Clarify the Laws Governing Hunting from a Vehicle
   H.P. 484  L.D. 693
   (C "A" H-349)

(7-10) An Act To Support the Trades through a Tax Credit for Apprenticeship Programs
   H.P. 561  L.D. 781
   (C "A" H-416)
(7-11) An Act To Improve Voter Access to Information Regarding Referendum Questions on the Ballot  
H.P. 575  L.D. 795  
(C "A" H-404)

(7-12) An Act To Require Disclosures Relating to the Sale of Residential Property Accessible by a Public Way and Any Means Other than a Public Way  
H.P. 620  L.D. 871  
(C "A" H-414)

(7-13) An Act To Maintain the Current Number of Appointees to the Maine Arts Commission  
H.P. 697  L.D. 996

(7-14) An Act To Clarify Laws Regarding Maine's Community Colleges  
S.P. 355  L.D. 1073  
(C "A" S-194)

(7-15) An Act To Reduce the License Fee for High-stakes Beano  
H.P. 755  L.D. 1077  
(C "A" H-366)

(7-16) An Act Regarding the Maternal and Infant Death Review Panel  
S.P. 366  L.D. 1112  
(C "A" S-189)

(7-17) An Act To Amend the Campaign Reports and Finances Law and the Maine Clean Election Act  
H.P. 786  L.D. 1122  
(C "A" H-367)

(7-18) An Act To Amend the Definition of "Eligible Business Equipment" for the Purposes of the Business Equipment Tax Exemption Program  
S.P. 406  L.D. 1212  
(C "A" S-180)

(7-19) An Act To Encourage Family-friendly Businesses through a Tax Credit for Child Care  
H.P. 914  L.D. 1317  
(C "A" H-234)
(7-20) An Act To Amend the Direct Initiative Signature Gathering Process
H.P. 917  L.D. 1323
(C "A" H-405)

(7-21) An Act To Create Veteran-friendly Workplaces
H.P. 996  L.D. 1441
(C "A" H-369)

(7-22) An Act To Amend the Usage and Consumer Protections of Guaranteed Asset Protection Waivers
S.P. 531  L.D. 1506
(S "A" S-154 to C "A" S-142)

(7-23) An Act To Exempt from Sales Tax the Fee Associated with the Paint Stewardship Program
S.P. 561  L.D. 1597
(C "A" S-183)

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Resolve

(7-24) Resolve, To Direct Legislative Staff To Recodify and Revise Title 28-A of the Maine Revised Statutes
S.P. 313  L.D. 957
(C "A" S-192)

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RECALLED FROM GOVERNOR'S DESK
An Act To Provide a Definition of 'Primary Residence' for Purposes of Property Tax Abatements Based on Hardship or Poverty
S.P. 401  L.D. 1180

(In Senate, May 30, 2017, PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence.)

(RECALLED from the Governor's Desk, pursuant to Joint Order (S.P. 583), in concurrence.)

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HELD MATTER

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Protect Substance-exposed Infants"

H.P. 746  L.D. 1063

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-383) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

(In Senate, June 8, 2017, on motion by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin, Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED in NON-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-383).)

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

Bill "An Act To Continue the Doctors for Maine's Future Scholarship Program"

S.P. 164  L.D. 503

(C "A" S-31)

Tabled - April 20, 2017, by Senator KATZ of Kennebec

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-31)
2. Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORT - from the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Provide Consistency among Medical Professionals with Regard to Jury Duty Exemption"
S.P. 26  L.D. 46

Report - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-46)

Tabled - April 27, 2017, by Senator KEIM of Oxford

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT

3. Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY on Bill "An Act To Amend the Charter of the Rumford Water District" (EMERGENCY)
S.P. 38  L.D. 90

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-54) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - May 2, 2017, by Senator WOODSOME of York

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT
4.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES** on Bill "An Act To Prohibit the Mining of Massive Sulfide Ore Deposits under the Maine Metallic Mineral Mining Act"

H.P. 118  L.D. 160

**Majority - Ought Not to Pass** (12 members)

**Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-158)** (1 member)

Tabled - May 23, 2017, by Senator **SAVIELLO** of Franklin

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

(In House, Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.)

5.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

An Act To Promote Small Diversified Farms and Small Food Producers

H.P. 584  L.D. 835

Tabled - May 23, 2017, by Senator **MASON** of Androscoggin

Pending - **ENACTMENT**

6.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

Bill "An Act To Protect the Confidentiality of Local Government Employees' Private Information"

H.P. 104  L.D. 146

Tabled - May 25, 2017, by Senator **CUSHING** of Penobscot

Pending - **CONSIDERATION**

(In Senate, May 9, 2017, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED** in concurrence.)

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)
7.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Reduce Youth Access to Tobacco Products"

S.P. 391  L.D. 1170

Report "A" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-146) (8 members)

Report "B" - Ought Not to Pass (4 members)

Report "C" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-147) (1 member)


Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT Report "B" OUGHT NOT TO PASS

8.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORT - from the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY on Bill "An Act To Clarify the Authority of an Affiliate of a Utility To Own Power Generation outside of the Utility’s Territory"

H.P. 536  L.D. 756

Report - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-314)

Tabled - May 31, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT in concurrence

(In House, Report READ and ACCEPTED and Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-314).)
9. Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY on Bill "An Act To Modernize the Renewable Portfolio Standard"

H.P. 810  L.D. 1147

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-272) (11 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (2 members)


Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(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-272).)

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10. Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE on Bill "An Act To Expand Opportunities for Moose Permit Winners To Swap Their Permits"

H.P. 446  L.D. 630

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-312) (11 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-313) (1 member)

Tabled - May 31, 2017, by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(In House, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-312) Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-312).)
11.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act Regarding Generic Drug Pricing"

S.P. 432  L.D. 1280

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-153) (11 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (2 members)

Tabled - May 31, 2017, by Senator VOLK of Cumberland

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

12.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act To Clarify Eligibility for Unemployment Benefits during Labor Disputes"

S.P. 455  L.D. 1341

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (8 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-165) (5 members)

Tabled - June 1, 2017, by Senator VOLK of Cumberland

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report

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13.

Tabled and Later Assigned

RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Explicitly Protect against Sex Discrimination

H.P. 153  L.D. 197

Tabled - June 1, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in NON-CONCURRENCE

(In House, FAILED FINAL PASSAGE.)

14.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Practice of Pharmacy"

S.P. 187  L.D. 572

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator MASON of Androscoggin

Pending - FURTHER CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, May 30, 2017, on motion by Senator VOLK of Cumberland, Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-124).)

(In House, Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.)
15.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Ensure Compliance with Federal Immigration Law by State and Local Government Entities"

H.P. 272  L.D. 366

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-289) (6 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator KEIM of Oxford

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report in NON-CONCURRENCE

(In House, Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.)

16.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act To Increase Access to Vaccinations"

H.P. 323  L.D. 456

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-208) (6 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator VOLK of Cumberland

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

(In House, Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-208) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-335) thereto.)
17.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act To Formalize the Governance of the Maine Educational and Attainment Research Navigation System, a Longitudinal Data Series for Workforce Information"

H.P. 1042  L.D. 1518

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-346) (6 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator VOLK of Cumberland

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report in NON-CONCURRENCE

(In House, Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.)

18.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORT - from the Committee on INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Establish a Student Loan Bill of Rights To License and Regulate Student Loan Servicers"

S.P. 532  L.D. 1507

Report - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-188)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator WHITTEMORE of Somerset

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT
19. Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS
on Bill "An Act Regarding Possession of a Firearm on School Property"
S.P. 327  L.D. 988

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (9 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-174) (4 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

20. Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY
on Bill "An Act To Prohibit an Electric Utility from Charging a Customer for Using an
Electromechanical Meter"
S.P. 75  L.D. 229

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-176) (6 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator JACKSON of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator WOODSOME of York to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT NOT
TO PASS Report
21.
Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES on Bill "An Act To Address Severe and Ongoing Shortfalls in the Funding of Direct Care Workers in Long-term Care Settings and To Establish the Commission To Study Long-term Care Workforce Issues" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 512  L.D. 1466

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-186) (7 members)
Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin
Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report

22.
Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act Regarding Pay Equality"

S.P. 422  L.D. 1259

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-173) (7 members)
Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator VOLK of Cumberland
Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report
23. Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT on Bill "An Act To Establish the Maine Buy America and Build Maine Act"

S.P. 311  L.D. 956

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-171) (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-172) (5 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2017, by Senator DAVIS of Piscataquis

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (S-172) Report

24. Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Attract, Educate and Retain New Mainers To Strengthen the Workforce"

S.P. 521  L.D. 1492

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-195) (11 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (2 members)

Tabled - June 6, 2017, by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report
25.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY on Bill "An Act To Allow Municipalities To Prohibit Weapons at Municipal Public Proceedings and Voting Places"

H.P. 257  L.D. 351

**Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-89) (8 members)**

**Minority - Ought Not to Pass** (4 members)

Tabled - June 7, 2017, by Senator ROSEN of Hancock

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(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-89).)

26.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Improve the Quality of Teachers"

S.P. 263  L.D. 818

**Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-203) (7 members)**

**Minority - Ought Not to Pass** (6 members)

Tabled - June 7, 2017, by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report
27.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT on Bill "An Act To Base the Minimum Wage on a New England State Average and To Restore the Tip Credit"

S.P. 277  L.D. 831

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-210) (6 members)

Tabled - June 7, 2017, by Senator VOLK of Cumberland

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report

28.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act Regarding the Commercial Forestry Excise Tax"

H.P. 385  L.D. 541

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator DOW of Lincoln

Pending - FURTHER CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, June 6, 2017, Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

(In House, House INSISTED on its former action whereby Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report was READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-385).)
29.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORT - from the Committee on ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY on Bill "An Act To Establish Energy Policy in Maine"

H.P. 910  L.D. 1313

Report - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-429)

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator WOODSOME of York

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT in concurrence

(In House, Report READ and ACCEPTED and Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-429).)

30.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Clarify the Law Regarding Arbitration Privacy with Respect to Executive and Legislative Branch Employees"

H.P. 848  L.D. 1216

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-433) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator KEIM of Oxford

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report in NON-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-433).)
31.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Increase Efficiency in Enforcement of the Maine Human Rights Act"

H.P. 862  L.D. 1239

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-434) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator KEIM of Oxford

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report in NON-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-434).)

32.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act To Amend the Law Regarding Lien Recordings on Statutory Road Associations"

H.P. 908  L.D. 1311

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-435) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator KEIM of Oxford

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report in NON-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-435).)
33.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS on RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Prohibit Payment Per Signature for Citizen Petition Drives

H.P. 39  L.D. 53

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-436) (10 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (3 members)

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator COLLINS of York

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(In House, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the RESOLUTION PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-436).)

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SPECIAL STUDY TABLE

1.

Emergency

Resolve, To Establish the Study Committee To Develop a Disposition Plan for Future Surplus State Property in York County

H.P. 723  L.D. 1021
(C "A" H-67)

Tabled - May 9, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE

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2. 

Emergency
Resolve, To Establish the Task Force To Identify Special Education Cost Drivers and Innovative Approaches to Services

H.P. 456  L.D. 642
(C "A" H-106)

Tabled - May 25, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE

3. 

Emergency
HOUSE REPORT - from the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS on Resolve, To Establish the Commission To Streamline Veterans' Licensing and Certification (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 170  L.D. 214

Report - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-187)

Tabled - May 30, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE, in concurrence

4. 

Resolve, To Establish the Committee To Study the State's Response to the Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Youth

S.P. 173  L.D. 512
(C "A" S-131)

Tabled - May 31, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE, in concurrence
5.

Resolve, To Study the Student Transfer Process

H.P. 717  L.D. 1015
(C "A" H-198)

Tabled - May 31, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE**, in concurrence

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6.

Resolve, To Establish the Committee To Study the Processing of Evidence from Sexual Assault Test Kits

H.P. 791  L.D. 1128
(C "A" H-253)

Tabled - May 31, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE**, in concurrence

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7.

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY on Resolve, To Establish the Commission To Review the Laws Governing Domestic Violence (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 367  L.D. 523
(C "A" H-362)

**Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-362)** (10 members)

**Minority - Ought Not to Pass** (3 members)

Tabled - June 8, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE**, in **NON-CONCURRENCE**

(In House, FAILED Final Passage.)

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