Senate of Maine
One Hundred and Twenty-Ninth Legislature
Second Regular Session
Advance Journal and Calendar

State of the Judiciary

6th Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Tuesday, January 28, 2020.

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

Prayer by Pastor Brad Rancourt of Smithfield Baptist Church.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Louis J. Luchini of Hancock County.


Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate

Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

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Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, on motion by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin, the following Senate Order:

S.O. 25

Ordered, that a message be sent to the House of Representatives proposing a Convention of the two branches of the Legislature be held at 10:45 this morning in the Hall of the House for the purpose of welcoming the Honorable Leigh Ingalls Saufley, Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, the Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court, and members of the Judiciary, and request the Chief Justice make such communication as pleases her.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE
Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) Bill "An Act To Limit the Dissemination of Juvenile Records"

H.P. 1197  L.D. 1670
(C "A" H-594)

(RECALLED From Governor’s Desk pursuant to Joint Order H.P. 1197)

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

Comes from the House, Bill COMMITTED to the Committee on JUDICIARY in NON-CONCURRENCE.

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House Paper

(1-2) Resolve, To Create the Frequent Users System Engagement Collaborative

H.P. 1460  L.D. 2056

Comes from the House, REFERRED to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES and ordered printed.
Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-3) the late Perley Morrison Sprague, of Lincolnville, former Chief of the Rockport Police Department, whose name will be formally dedicated on the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial in Washington, D.C., which honors officers who have died in the line of duty;  
HLS 784

(1-4) Brent Colbry, of Etna, who is retiring as superintendent of School Administrative District 54 after more than 45 years of service as an educator, the past 17 years in Skowhegan schools. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;  
HLS 785

(1-5) Tom Griffin, of Scarborough, coach of the Scarborough High School softball team, who has been named a Coach of the Decade by the *Portland Press Herald*. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;  
HLS 786

(1-6) Derek Veilleux, of Scarborough, coach of the Scarborough High School boys indoor and outdoor track teams, who has been named a Coach of the Decade by the *Portland Press Herald*. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;  
HLS 787

(1-7) Bella Dickinson, of Scarborough, a player on Scarborough High School athletic teams, who has been named a Red Storm Athlete of the Decade by the *Portland Press Herald*. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;  
HLS 788

(1-8) Jarret Flaker, of Scarborough, a player on Scarborough High School athletic teams, who has been named a Red Storm Athlete of the Decade by the *Portland Press Herald*. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;  
HLS 789

(1-9) Connor DeMerchant, 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;  
HLS 791

(1-10) Richard Engels, of Presque Isle, who has received the Central Aroostook Chamber of Commerce 2020 Lifetime Achievement Award for his many efforts in Aroostook County, including his practice of the law for 50 years, his over 45 years of service as a Rotarian and his contributions to civic life. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;
(1-11) S.W. Collins Company, located in Caribou, Houlton, Lincoln, Presque Isle and Fort Kent, which has received the Central Aroostook Chamber of Commerce 2020 Business of the Year Economic Impact Award. Celebrating its 175th year in 2019, the company offered local organizations the opportunity to apply for funding totaling $20,000 to invest in the people that live and work in their communities. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 793

(1-12) Tweedie, Inc., including the Hillside, Mars Hill and Star City IGAs, located in Fort Fairfield, Mars Hill and Presque Isle, which has received the Central Aroostook Chamber of Commerce 2020 Business of the Year Community Impact Award. Owner Josh Tweedie's support of these communities has included sponsorships, many volunteer hours and donations to community efforts and to people in need. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 794

(1-13) Floyd Rockholt, of Presque Isle, who has received the Central Aroostook Chamber of Commerce 2020 President's Award for his 25 years of service on the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce and his tireless efforts to further the Crown of Maine Balloon Fest. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 795

(1-14) Deidre McMahon, of Presque Isle, who has been named the Central Aroostook Chamber of Commerce 2020 Citizen of the Year for her service with the Kiwanis Club, her fund-raising for children and her work on area boards. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 796

(1-15) Gage Letourneau, 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;

HLS 797

Come from the House, READ and PASSED.
(1-16) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1448

JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE MAINE COMPLETE COUNT COMMITTEE AND COORDINATION OF EFFORTS TO REDUCE THE UNDERCOUNT OF MAINE RESIDENTS IN THE 2020 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS

WHEREAS, Article I, Section 2 of the United States Constitution requires an enumeration of the population every 10 years to apportion congressional representation among the states; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 13 United States Code, Section 141, the next Federal Decennial Census of the population will be taken beginning April 1, 2020 and concluding on July 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, data derived from the census determines how approximately $800 billion in federal spending to support education, transportation, publicly funded health care, law enforcement and other important public services is allocated among the states; and

WHEREAS, a complete and accurate count of Maine's population is essential because the census count determines congressional representation and state redistricting and also determines federal formula grant allocations for Medicaid, the Children's Health Insurance Program, Title IV-E foster care, Title IV-E adoption assistance and the Child Care and Development Fund for an entire decade until the next Federal Decennial Census is taken; and

WHEREAS, Maine's fiscal loss in programs guided by Federal Medical Assistance Percentages was $16,420 per person missed in the 2010 census over the 10-year census cycle; and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census acknowledges the long-standing undercount of young children in the Federal Decennial Census and has spent years researching children who were missed in the 2010 census and creating resources in an attempt to reduce this undercount in the 2020 census; and

WHEREAS, it is vitally important to ensure that every Maine resident is counted in the 2020 census and that Maine gets its fair share of federal funds; and

WHEREAS, the Governor has, by Executive Order 12 FY 19/20, created the Maine Complete Count Committee, which, using the knowledge and expertise of Maine's administrative agencies, will develop and coordinate a census outreach program to increase awareness about the 2020 census and motivate residents in the community to respond; and

WHEREAS, such complete count committees have also been established by Maine's tribal and local governments and community organizations, faith-based groups, schools, libraries, businesses, the media and others, which will play a key role in educating and motivating residents to participate in the 2020 census; 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 support the Maine Complete Count Committee and Maine's tribal, county and municipal governments in the work to develop, recommend and assist in the administration of a census outreach strategy to encourage full participation in the 2020 Federal Decennial Census; and be it further

RESOLVED: That We also support the development of additional outreach programs and partnerships with nonprofit and community organizations, faith-based groups, schools, libraries, businesses, the media and others to encourage full participation in the 2020 Federal Decennial Census, including a multilingual, multimedia campaign designed to ensure an accurate and complete count of Maine's population.

 Comes from the House, READ and ADOPTED.

Joint Resolutions in Memoriam:

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

(1-17) the Honorable Galen Cole, of Bangor. Mr. Cole was a World War II veteran of the United States Army and a recipient of the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star. He worked 50 years for Cole's Express, including decades as president, growing the company into a regional carrier serving Maine, northern New England and the Canadian Maritimes. Very involved in civic and public life, he served on the Bangor City Council and as Mayor of Bangor and 24 years on the University of Maine Development Council, including several years as its president. He founded the Galen Cole Family Land Transportation Museum in Bangor, which has been visited by more than half a million people from all 50 states, every Canadian province and dozens of foreign countries. He was a lifelong champion for Maine's veterans, serving as President of the 5th Armored Division Association, and particularly through his walking stick recognition program. The Military Order of the Purple Heart selected him for its National Americanism Award, the 101st Air Refueling Wing gave him its Distinguished Service Award and the Maine American Legion named him Citizen of the Year and later presented him with the Distinguished Service Award. He received the Norbert X Dowd Lifetime Achievement Award from the Bangor Chamber of Commerce, the Business Leader of Maine Award from the Maine Chamber of Commerce, the Friend of Education Award from the Maine Education Association and an Honorary Doctorate of Business Administration from Husson University. He served terms on the vestry, followed by service as Junior, later Senior, warden, of Bangor's St. John's Episcopal Church. Mr. Cole will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends and all those whose lives he touched;

HLS 790
WHEREAS, the Legislature has learned with deep regret of the death of:

(1-18) Roger Dalton, of Phippsburg. Mr. Dalton was a veteran of the United States Army. For 25 years, he worked as a barber, and he also worked as a diet aide and head cook at a nursing home for 20 years. A drummer, he performed with many bands and especially enjoyed country music. Mr. Dalton will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends and all those whose lives he touched;

HLS 798

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

(1-19) Leigh Michelle Thurlow, of Lowell. Ms. Thurlow worked as a video editor at WLBZ in Bangor and, for many years, as the Multi-Media Instructor at Northern Penobscot Tech Region III in Lincoln, where she brought many opportunities into the program, such as the "Pet of the Week" videos at the Humane Society, and continuously updated technologies for video production, photography, coding and graphic design for the benefit of her students. She was proud of her students and their successes. Ms. Thurlow will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

HLS 799

Come from the House READ and ADOPTED.
COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

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

January 22, 2020

Derek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5 MRSA, Chapter 371-A, §7030, I am pleased to reappoint Kate Elmes of Woolwich to seat number 8 on the Permanent Commission on the Status of Women. Her reappointment is effective the date of this letter and her term will last until November 28, 2021.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

S/Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate

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

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5 MRSA, Chapter 371-A, §7030, I am pleased to reappoint Muriel Mosher of Augusta to seat number 10 on the Permanent Commission on the Status of Women. Her reappointment is effective the date of this letter and her term will last until November 28, 2021.

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. 840

STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, VETERANS
AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE

January 17, 2020
The Honorable Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Senator Jackson:

As the Commissioner of the Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management and the Adjutant General of the Maine National Guard, I accept your invitation to address the Joint Session of the 129th Maine Legislature on Tuesday, February 18th at 11:00 a.m.

Sincerely,

S/Major General Douglas A. Farnham
Commissioner and Adjutant General
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Kimberly N. Lindlof of Fairfield to the Maine State Workforce Investment Board

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating for appointment to the Maine State Workforce Investment Board, Kimberly N. Lindlof of Fairfield.

Pursuant to Title 26 MRSA §2006, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate’s confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Labor and Housing.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE

January 23, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Kathie M. Leonard of Auburn to the Maine Community College System Board of Trustees

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am reposting the nomination of Kathie M. Leonard of Auburn for appointment to the Maine Community College System Board of Trustees. This is necessary because her hearing could not be scheduled within thirty days of the original posting.

Pursuant to Title 20-A, MRSA § 12705, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 23, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Peter DelGreco of North Yarmouth to the Maine Community College System Board of Trustees

Dear President Jackson:

This is to inform you that I am reposting the nomination of Peter DelGreco of North Yarmouth for appointment to the Maine Community College System Board of Trustees. This is necessary because his hearing was cancelled due to inclement weather and could not be re-scheduled within thirty days of the original posting.

Pursuant to Title 20-A, MRSA § 12705, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 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 reposting the nomination of Jane Lincoln of Farmingdale for appointment to the Maine Turnpike Authority Board of Directors. This is necessary because her hearing was cancelled due to inclement weather and could not be re-scheduled within thirty days of the original posting.

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

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Re-appointment of Robin L. Foster of Orrington to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Robin L. Foster of Orrington to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Jennifer Gaulin of Winslow to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Jennifer Gaulin of Winslow to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Re-appointment of Amber Oakes of Old Town to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Amber Oakes of Old Town to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Corda L. Kinzie of Readfield to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Corda L. Kinzie of Readfield to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Re-appointment of Anna Perna of Holden to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Anna Perna of Holden to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

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January 24, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Paula Matlins of Bangor to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Paula Matlins of Bangor to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Thomas W. Minch of Portland to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Thomas W. Minch of Portland to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills  
Governor
January 24, 2020

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

RE: Appointment of Jane Hecker-Cain of Kennebunk to the School Board of the  
Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor  
Baxter School for the Deaf

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Jane Hecker-Cain of Kennebunk to the School Board of the Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing and the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf.

Pursuant to Title 20-A §7406, 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,

S/Janet T. Mills  
Governor
January 21, 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. 1837 Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 1: Adult Use Marijuana, a Late-filed Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Office of Marijuana Policy (EMERGENCY)

This is notification of the Committee’s action.

Sincerely,

Senate Chair                    House Chair

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The Following Communication:

S.C. 841

MIDCOAST REGIONAL REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

January 16, 2020

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

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

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to 5 MRSA, Section 12023, please consider this the letter of transmittal for the required report from the Midcoast Regional Redevelopment Authority.

MRRA was created in 2006 by the Maine Legislature (5 MRSA §13083-G) as a municipal corporation charged with the responsibility to implement the reuse master plans for Naval Air Station Brunswick (NAS Brunswick) and the Topsham Annex, which closed as a result of the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) process.

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

Sincerely,

S/Jeffrey K. Jordan
Deputy Director
January 15, 2020

The Honorable Troy Jackson, President
Maine State Senate

The Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker
Maine State House of Representatives
State House
Augusta Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to 3 MRSA §2-B, sub section 2, the State Compensation Commission is pleased to submit its January 2020 report. Copies of the full report have been distributed to interested committees and individuals, and copies have been placed on file with the Law and Legislative Reference Library. Others may access the full report on-line through the website of the Office of Fiscal and Program Review at http://legislature.maine.gov/doc/3822.

Sincerely,

S/Hon. Vendean Vafiades
Chair
ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) Kristina Kelly, of Lincolnville, a student at Camden Hills Regional High School and a player on the girls soccer team, who has been named National Soccer Player of the Year for High School Girls by United Soccer Coaches. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;
SLS 938
Sponsored by Senator HERBIG of Waldo.

(4-2) Rwanda Bean, in South Portland, a supplier of specialty coffee products in the United States and abroad owned by Mike Mwendata, which has received the 2019 Governor's Award for Business Excellence Welcome Home Award. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;
SLS 987
Sponsored by Senator MILLETT of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representatives: KESSLER of South Portland, MORALES of South Portland, RECKITT of South Portland.

(4-3) Kyle Anthony Curtis, of Gray, 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;
SLS 988
Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin.
Cosponsored by Senator: BREEN of Cumberland, Representatives: AUSTIN of Gray, MORIARTY of Cumberland.

(4-4) Emma F. Estes, of Windham, who is celebrating her 100th Birthday on February 15, 2020. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;
SLS 989
Sponsored by Senator DIAMOND of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representatives: BRYANT of Windham, COREY of Windham.
Charles "Tex" Haeuser, of South Portland, on his nearly three decades of service as Planning Director for the City of South Portland. Mr. Haeuser has overseen planning and development as the city has continued to evolve from its mostly working-class roots and its time as a shipbuilding center during World War II. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; SLS 990

Sponsored by Senator MILLETT of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representatives: KESSLER of South Portland, MORALES of South Portland, RECKITT of South Portland.

Erica Ouellette, of Van Buren, a senior at Van Buren District Secondary 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; SLS 991

Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook.
Cosponsored by Representative: MARTIN of Sinclair.

the Bradley Volunteer Fire Department, 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 992

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: LOCKMAN of Bradley.

Julia Sundberg, of Burlington, 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 993

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: JAVNER of Chester.

Angela Belk, of Lincoln, 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 994

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: HANINGTON of Lincoln.
(4-10) Craig Bowden, of Bucksport, 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;

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: CAMPBELL of Orrington.

(4-11) Kathy Downes, of Bucksport, 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;

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: CAMPBELL of Orrington.

(4-12) The Honorable David Keene, of Bucksport, 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;

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative: CAMPBELL of Orrington.

(4-13) The Windsor Ladies Aid, 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;

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

(4-14) Kathy Ocean, of Washington, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: EVANGELOS of Friendship.
(4-15) Steve Ocean, of Washington, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: EVANGELOS of Friendship.

SLS 1000

(4-16) WW&F Railway Museum, of Alna, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: HANLEY of Pittston.

SLS 1001

(4-17) the Bremen Planning Board, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: DEVIN of Newcastle.

SLS 1002

(4-18) Robert Tobey, of Damariscotta, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: DEVIN of Newcastle.

SLS 1003

(4-19) Janet Blevins, of Edgecomb, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: STOVER of Boothbay.

SLS 1004
(4-20) the Lincoln County Quilters, in Jefferson, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: MAXMIN of Nobleboro.

(4-21) Allen Ray, of Newcastle, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: DEVIN of Newcastle.

(4-22) Kriss Hunold, of Nobleboro, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representatives: DEVIN of Newcastle, MAXMIN of Nobleboro.

(4-23) Geraldine Kimball, of Somerville, 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;

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

(4-24) Gunnar Gundersen, of South Bristol, 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;

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representatives: DEVIN of Newcastle, STOVER of Boothbay.
(4-25) Carol Blodgett, of Waldoboro, 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 1010

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: EVANGELOS of Friendship.

(4-26) Roger Higgins, of Westport Island, 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 1011

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: STOVER of Boothbay.

(4-27) Gaye Wagner, of Westport Island, 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 1012

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: STOVER of Boothbay.

(4-28) Lynn Talacko, of Whitefield, 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 1013

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: MAXMIN of Nobleboro.

(4-29) the Family Holiday Wishes Committee, of Wiscasset, 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 1014

Sponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln.
Cosponsored by Representative: HANLEY of Pittston.
(4-30) Benjamin Cox-Faxon, of Yarmouth, 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;  
Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative: COOPER of Yarmouth.

(4-31) the Cumberland-North Yarmouth Lions Club, of Cumberland, 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;  
Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative: MORIARTY of Cumberland.

(4-32) Lacy Antonson, of Gray, 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;  
Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representatives: AUSTIN of Gray, MORIARTY of Cumberland.
REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senate

Pursuant to Resolve

(5-1) Senator LUCHINI for the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS on Bill "An Act To Clarify the Laws Governing Financial Relationships between Entities within the Three-tier System for Distribution of Alcohol"

S.P. 737  L.D. 2088

Reported that the same be REFERRED to the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS, pursuant to Resolve, chapter 15, section 3.

Pursuant to Resolve

(5-2) Senator LUCHINI for 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 be REFERRED to the Committee on VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS, pursuant to Resolve, chapter 15, section 3.

ENACTORS

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

Act

(7-1) An Act Regarding the Presumption of Abandonment of Gift Obligations

H.P. 1164  L.D. 1612
(H "A" H-661)
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.)
2.

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.)
4.

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.)
6.

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.)

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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.)

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8.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act To Reclassify Certain Offenses under the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Laws and Motor Vehicle Laws and Increase the Efficiency of the Criminal Justice System"

H.P. 1454  L.D. 2043

Tabled - January 21, 2020 by Senator DESCHAMBAULT of York

Pending - REFERENCE

(In House, REFERRED to the Committee on CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY and ordered printed.)

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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

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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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