



**One Hundred and Twenty-Eighth Legislature
Second Regular Session**

Advance Journal and Calendar

28th Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Tuesday, April 3, 2018.

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

Prayer by Reverend Carie Johnsen, Unitarian Universalist Community Church in Augusta.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Rodney L. Whittmore of Somerset County.

Reading of the Journal of Monday, April 2, 2018.

Doctor of the day, Mark Grohman, D.O., of South Portland.

Michael D. Thibodeau
Senate President

Heather J.R. Priest
Secretary of the Senate

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PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Elections"

H.P. 1206 L.D. 1726
(C "B" H-684)

Majority - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-683)** (7 members)

Minority - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-684)** (6 members)

In Senate, March 29, 2018, on motion by Senator **MASON** of Androscoggin, the Minority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-684)** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-684)** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-683)** Report was **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-683)**.

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-2) HOUSE REPORT - from the Committee on **EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Process for a Single Municipality To Withdraw from a Regional School Unit"

H.P. 930 L.D. 1336

Report - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-605)**

In Senate, March 28, 2018, Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-605)** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **ADHERED** to its former action whereby the Bill was **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-605) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-637)** thereto.

House Paper

(1-3) Bill "An Act Regarding Energy Costs"

H.P. 1328 L.D. 1895

Comes from the House, **REFERRED** to the Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** and ordered printed.

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-4) Raymond and Sharon Campbell, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, March 8, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Campbell on this very special occasion;

HLS 1017

(1-5) Larry and Claudette Stewart, of Lewiston, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, April 19, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart on this very special occasion;

HLS 1018

(1-6) John and Pauline Baumer, of Lisbon, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, July 5, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Baumer on this very special occasion;

HLS 1019

(1-7) Richard and Renee Bosse, of Lisbon, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, July 13, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Bosse on this very special occasion;

HLS 1020

(1-8) James and Claire Kelly, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, August 31, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Kelly on this very special occasion;

HLS 1021

(1-9) Donald and Pauline Martel, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, October 5, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Martel on this very special occasion;

HLS 1022

(1-10) Maurice and Anita Fournier, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 55th Wedding Anniversary, November 19, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Fournier on this very special occasion;

HLS 1023

(1-11) George and Beryl Karkos, of Lisbon, on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary, April 12, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Karkos on this very special occasion;

HLS 1024

(1-12) Robert and Irene Soucy, of Lewiston, on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary, April 19, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Soucy on this very special occasion;

HLS 1025

(1-13) Frederick and Diane Drottar, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary, June 21, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Drottar on this very special occasion;

HLS 1026

(1-14) Bill and Margaret Saindon, of Bowdoinham, on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary, August 8, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Saindon on this very special occasion;

HLS 1027

(1-15) Robert and Janie Poulin, of Lewiston, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, August 3, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Poulin on this very special occasion;

HLS 1028

(1-16) Robert and Vivian Fortin, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, June 1, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Fortin on this very special occasion;

HLS 1029

(1-17) Richard and Sylvia Beauparlant, of Sabattus, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, September 14, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Beauparlant on this very special occasion;

HLS 1030

(1-18) George and Linda Gamrat, of Lisbon, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, April 20, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Gamrat on this very special occasion;

HLS 1031

(1-19) Samuel and Donna Lindsay, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, May 25, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay on this very special occasion;

HLS 1032

(1-20) Paul and Marguerite Goulet, of Lewiston, on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary, September 27, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Goulet on this very special occasion;

HLS 1033

(1-21) Richard and Faye Pelletier, of Lewiston, on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary, November 27, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Pelletier on this very special occasion;

HLS 1034

(1-22) Phillip and Bernice Berry, of Lisbon Falls, on the occasion of their 70th Wedding Anniversary, October 23, 2018. They will be recognized at a special anniversary Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Lisbon Falls on June 3, 2018. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Berry on this very special occasion;

HLS 1035

(1-23) Max Bartley, of Presque Isle, a senior at Presque Isle High School, who won the Class B State Nordic Ski Championship Classic Title and placed second overall in Class B. We extend to Max our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1036

(1-24) Ken Wiley, of Wilton, who has been named the Lion of the Year by the Wilton Lions Club for his outstanding involvement in community and charitable events. We extend to Mr. Wiley our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1037

(1-25) Whitney Bess, of Madison, a senior at Madison Area Memorial High School, who is a recipient of a 2018 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend to Whitney our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1038

(1-26) the George Stevens Academy Boys Basketball Team, of Blue Hill, which won the Class C State Championship. Members of the team include players Andrew Szwez, Austin Snow, Ben Cole, Caden Mattson, Eric Mote, Isaac Wardwell, Maxwell Mattson, Percy Zentz, Reece Dannenberg, Stefan Simmons, Tanner Ashley and Taylor Schildroth; assistant coaches Matthew Mattson and Cameron McDonald; and coach Dwayne Carter. We extend to all the members of the team our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1039

(1-27) Taylor Schildroth, of Blue Hill, a student at George Stevens Academy and a player on the boys basketball team, who was named the William C. Warner Most Valuable Player of the Class C North tournament. This is the third consecutive MVP award for Taylor. We extend to him our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1040

(1-28) Katelyn Carlow, of Peru, a student at Dirigo High School and a player on the girls basketball team, who has received a 2018 Maine McDonald's Spirit of the Game Award for embodying the spirit of the sport of basketball, exemplifying sportsmanship, overcoming obstacles and inspiring her teammates and coaches. We extend to Katelyn our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1041

(1-29) Tina Fox, of Oxford, who has been named the Rotarian of the Year by the Rotary Club of Oxford Hills. We extend to Ms. Fox our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1042

(1-30) the Town of Jackson, which was incorporated on June 12, 1818. We extend to the citizens of Jackson our congratulations on their town's 200th Anniversary;

HLS 1043

(1-31) the Town of Swanville, which was incorporated on February 19, 1818. We extend to the citizens of Swanville our congratulations on their town's 200th Anniversary;

HLS 1044

(1-32) the Mattanawcook Academy Cheerleading Team, of Lincoln, which won the Class C North Regional Championship. Members of the team include Hannah Bean, Malinda Davis, Mariah Smith, Thresa Adams, Lyndsey Drouin, Ainsley Hainer, Sarah Hanington, Marissa Muncey, Kourtney Thurlow, Kelsey Bryan, Hailey McReavy, Kelly Nadeau, Ashley Wilkins, Caitlyn Beyenberg, Hillary Bubar, Emily Fiske, Violet Martinez, Madeline Noble, Lexi Pelkey and Ester Susen and head coach Carly Cropley. We extend to all the members of the team our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1050

(1-33) the Wells High School Wrestling Team, of Wells, which won its second-straight Class B State Championship. Members of the team include Devin Bickford; Jonathan Brown; Josh Burgess; Evan Cash; Devin Chace; Craig Chase; Nathan Curtis; Peters Drew; Caden Gibson; Connor Lavigne; Aaron Maynard; Sean McCormack-Kuhman, who placed second in the 285-pound weight class; Ryan Norton, who placed second in the 113-pound weight class; Jonah Potter, who placed second in the 182-pound weight class; Nolan Potter, who won his second-straight title in the 220-pound weight class; Spencer Poulin; Jacob Scott; Xander Trofatter; Morgan Welch-Thompson; and Michael Wrigley, who won the title in the 195-pound division. The team is coached by Scott Lewia. We extend to all the members of the team our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1051

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

Joint Resolutions

Joint Resolutions in Memoriam:

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

(1-34) Kurt Allan Rosell, of Belgrade Lakes. Mr. Rosell initially worked as a lineman for Community Telephone in Winthrop and was later employed by Norm Taylor, in Brewer, Northstar Communications and Central Maine Communications before retiring as a Sales Engineer and Project Manager with Oxford Networks in Lewiston. Mr. Rosell will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends;

HLS 1052

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

(1-35) Brylee Lucinda Hutchinson, of New Sharon, the daughter of Ryan and Amelia Hutchinson and sister of Karlie, Trent and Natalie, who was born in Skowhegan on September 22, 2014 and passed away in Boston Children's Hospital on March 22, 2018. Brylee will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

HLS 1053

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

(1-36) Shirley M. Bessey, of Knox, a farmer and educator. Dr. Bessey worked as the Waldo County Extension Agent for several years. She went on to become the Home Economics and Agricultural Extension Agent in Kansas and later worked in Saskatchewan, Canada, coordinating rural education programs shared by Canada and the United States. After obtaining her doctorate in education from Boston University, she worked as an Agricultural Extension Service Agent in southern Maine. In 1985, she returned to the farm where she was born and raised. She and her brother, Roy, gave an easement to the Maine Farmland Trust in 2003 to ensure the farm would remain as farmland and forest. She established the Bessey Thor-Nox Farms Trust to maintain it as a working farm and a source of agricultural education, and she donated a lot where the last remaining one-room school house in Knox was placed to house the Knox Historical Society. Dr. Bessey will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

HLS 1054

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

(1-37) the Honorable Philip E. Curran, of Westbrook. Mr. Curran served in the United States Navy in the Southeast and Asiatic Pacific theaters during World War II and returned to the Navy during the Korean Conflict. He had a 39-year career at Casco Bank and Trust Company and was very involved in civic and community service, including with the Maine School for the Blind, Goodwill Industries and Prides Training School. He served on the Westbrook City Council for three terms and in the Maine House of Representatives for two terms and was a member of both the Westbrook Republican City Committee and the Cumberland County Republican Committee for many years. He was a charter member of the Westbrook Historical Society and helped to found the Maine Irish Children's Program. He was Board President, Treasurer and a Director of the Maine Conference of the United Church of Christ and a lay preacher. Mr. Curran will be long remembered and sadly missed by his wife of 62 years, Nancy, by his family and friends and by all those whose lives he touched;

HLS 1055

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

(1-38) Harold B. Swan, of Brewer. Mr. Swan lived his entire life in the same residence that his father, Reginald Swan, built. He loved nature, gardening and, most of all, bees. In 1946, after serving in World War II, he became a beekeeper and founded R.B. Swan & Son with his father. The business grew through the 1970s, running up to 2,400 hives for pollination and honey production. He became the first commercial beekeeper in Maine and the first to rent bees for blueberry pollination. In November 2015, he was given the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Maine State Beekeepers Association. He is known as the "grandfather of beekeeping in Maine." He married Hilda (Carver) Swan in 1951, and the two worked side by side in the beekeeping business for decades. Mr. Swan will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends;

HLS 1056

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

(1-39) Hilda (Carver) Swan, of Brewer. Mrs. Swan taught elementary school in Skowhegan and Bangor before marrying Harold Swan in 1951. For over 60 years, she worked alongside her husband in the family beekeeping business. She was also a caregiver for her parents, parents-in-law and elderly aunt until their passing. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church for 52 years and was active in the ladies' Bible study, as well as the choir. Mrs. Swan will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends;

HLS 1057

Come from the House **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 947

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

March 30, 2018

The Honorable Michael Thibodeau
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Thibodeau:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Trevor J. Hustus of Hollis for appointment to the Board of Trustees, University of Maine System.

Pursuant to P&SL 1967, Chapter 229, this appointment is contingent on the Maine Senate confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Sincerely,

S/Paul R. LePage
Governor

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.C. 948

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

March 30, 2018

The Honorable Michael Thibodeau
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Thibodeau:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Dr. Raymond C. Stevens of Los Angeles, California for appointment to the Board of Trustees, University of Maine System.

Pursuant to P&SL 1967, Chapter 229, this appointment is contingent on the Maine Senate confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Sincerely,

S/Paul R. LePage
Governor

(2-3) The Following Communication:

S.C. 949

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

March 30, 2018

The Honorable Michael Thibodeau
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Thibodeau:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Dr. David M. MacMahon of Poland for appointment to the Board of Trustees, University of Maine System.

Pursuant to P&SL 1967, Chapter 229, this appointment is contingent on the Maine Senate confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs.

Sincerely,

S/Paul R. LePage
Governor

(2-4) The Following Communication:

S.C. 950

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

March 30, 2018

The Honorable Michael Thibodeau
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Thibodeau:

This is to inform you that I am today nominating Larissa Darcy of Brunswick for appointment to the Midcoast Regional Redevelopment Authority.

Pursuant to Title 5, MRSA §13083-I, this appointment is contingent on the Maine Senate confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development.

Sincerely,

S/Paul R. LePage
Governor

(2-5) The Following Communication:

S.C. 946

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

March 6, 2018

The Honorable Michael D. Thibodeau
President of the Senate

The Honorable Sara Gideon
Speaker of the House of Representatives

128th Legislature
State House
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear President Thibodeau and Speaker Gideon:

Please accept this letter as the report of the findings of the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry from its review and evaluation of the Maine Agricultural Bargaining Board under the State Government Evaluation Act, Title 3 Maine Revised Statutes, chapter 35.

In its review, the majority of the committee found that, although currently inactive, there is interest in preserving the Maine Agricultural Bargaining Board's statutory authority to exist. Therefore, the majority report of the committee does not recommend any changes or legislation.

One member of the committee recommends that the committee report out legislation to repeal the Maine Agricultural Bargaining Board.

Sincerely,

S/Paul T. Davis
Senate Chair

S/Representative Michelle Dunphy
House Chair

(2-6) The Following Communication:

H.C. 484

**STATE OF MAINE
CLERK'S OFFICE
2 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0002**

April 2, 2018

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

Dear Secretary Priest:

The House voted today to insist on its former action whereby it accepted the Majority Ought Not to Pass Report of the Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development on Bill "An Act To Conform the Laws Regarding a Salaried Employee Who Is Exempt from Overtime and Minimum Wage Requirements to Federal Law" (S.P. 656) (L.D. 1769)

Sincerely,

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-7) The Following Communication:

H.C. 482

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
1 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0001**

March 30, 2018

The 128th Legislature of the State of Maine
State House
Augusta, Maine

Dear Honorable Members of the 128th Legislature:

Under the authority vested in me by Article IV, Part Third, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Maine, I am hereby vetoing LD 1823, "An Act Regarding the Repeal of a Provision of Law Allowing Certain Nonresidents To Hunt Deer before the Open Season on Deer."

This bill amends the law to make permanent the temporary exception allowing non-residents to hunt on the day reserved for residents-only deer hunting on the Saturday prior to the open deer-hunting season. This has traditionally been a day reserved solely for residents of the State. In 2016, the legislature voted for a two-year exception to allow non-residents owning 25 or more acres of land open to hunting to participate in this residents-only hunting day.

I believe that allowing hunting on the Saturday prior to the open season is a privilege that should return to being an exclusive benefit for the residents of the State of Maine. I encourage anyone who wants to hunt on that day to declare residency. I do not favor an extension of this pilot program and believe the exception should sunset on September 15, 2018, as originally passed.

For this reason, I return LD 1823 unsigned and vetoed. I strongly urge the Legislature to sustain it.

Sincerely,

S/Paul R. LePage
Governor

(2-8) The accompanying Bill "An Act Regarding the Repeal of a Provision of Law Allowing Certain Nonresidents To Hunt Deer before the Open Season on Deer"

H.P. 1265 L.D. 1823

Comes from the House with the **VETO OVERRIDDEN**, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

ORDERS**Joint Orders**

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) Steve and Natalie Chandler, of New Gloucester, Charlie Chandler, of Dixmont, and Bertha Chandler, of Arlington, Massachusetts, for their permanent conservation of 2,500 acres of working forest in Maine, the family ownership of some of which dates back before the American Revolutionary War. Managing their land has been a lifelong labor of love, so they began what turned out to be a 12-year conversation with their heirs about the future of the land, wanting to ensure it would always be managed according to their ideals and principles. They ultimately decided to convey their land to Maine Woodland Owners to continue their legacy. The land will remain as working forestland, never be developed, be open to the public and be on the local tax rolls. We recognize their generous gift to the people of Maine, on whose behalf we offer thanks;

SLS 794

Sponsored by President THIBODEAU of Waldo.

Cosponsored by Senators: BRAKEY of Androscoggin, CUSHING of Penobscot,

Representatives: ESPLING of New Gloucester, FREDETTE of Newport.

(4-2) Phil DeLuca, of Unity, an officer with the Clinton Police Department, who is a recipient of a 2018 Public Service Real Heroes Award from the American Red Cross of Maine, Central and Mid Coast Chapter, for entering a mobile home engulfed in flames and rescuing a sleeping man. We extend to Officer DeLuca our appreciation for his lifesaving effort and our congratulations on his receiving this recognition;

SLS 796

Sponsored by President THIBODEAU of Waldo.

Cosponsored by Representative: KINNEY of Knox.

(4-3) Arthur Wing, of Auburn, who is retiring as Director of Finance for Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice after 46 years of service. Mr. Wing helped guide the organization through countless improvements and achievements, including the building of the organization's Hospice House, the first of its kind in the State, and is known for his leadership and knowledge at the agency, state and federal levels. We extend to Mr. Wing our appreciation for his helping to provide essential services to countless elder and disabled residents in our State and offer him our congratulations on his retirement;

SLS 797

Sponsored by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BICKFORD of Auburn, MELARAGNO of Auburn, SHEATS of Auburn.

(4-4) the China Middle School Girls Basketball Team, of China, which won the Sheepscot Valley Athletic Conference Championship. Members of the team include Lili Lefebvre, Hayden Hoague, Madison Lully, Samantha Golden, Sarah Praul, Mackenzie Roderick, Nikki Salvadori, Emma Jefferson, Emily Clark, Kayla Peaslee, Samantha Reynolds and Julia Barber and coach Ryan Reed. We extend to all the members of the team our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 798

Sponsored by Senator KATZ of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Representatives: POULIOT of Augusta, THERIAULT of China.

Joint Resolutions

(4-5) On motion by Senator **WHITTEMORE** of Somerset (Cosponsored by Representative **CRAIG** of Brewer and Senators: **COLLINS** of York, **HAMPER** of Oxford, **KATZ** of Kennebec, **LANGLEY** of Hancock, **MASON** of Androscoggin, **VOLK** of Cumberland, Representatives: **FOLEY** of Wells, **PICCHIOTTI** of Fairfield), the following Joint Resolution:

S.P. 727

STATE OF MAINE

—
IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

TWO THOUSAND AND EIGHTEEN
—

**JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAINE BANKS AND THEIR
EMERGING LEADERS**

WHEREAS, Maine's 31 retail banks are committed to serving the needs of their customers and communities within all 16 Maine counties. Maine banks employ more than 9,000 Maine citizens and recognize emerging leaders for further educational opportunities and development in order to position the banking industry and Maine for the future; and

WHEREAS, Maine's banks and their employees are a critical component in keeping the State's economic engine moving forward. Maine's banks have assets exceeding \$28,000,000,000 deployed throughout the State. In 2017, those banks lent over \$3,100,000,000 to Maine businesses and more than \$2,100,000,000 to Maine citizens who were purchasing or refinancing homes; and

WHEREAS, Maine's bankers believe that a vibrant state economy helps to ensure continued prosperity for the State's business climate and adds jobs for people in Maine communities. Banks are partners in their communities and can only grow and be successful if those communities thrive and prosper; and

WHEREAS, Maine's banks donated more than \$12,300,000 to Maine charities in 2017, and their employees raised over \$459,000 for community causes in addition to volunteering more than 194,000 hours in their communities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Twenty-eighth Legislature now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize Maine's banks, their emerging leaders and all bank employees for their positive contributions and the significant role they have played in the lives of Maine citizens and their communities. Their service and dedication to this State are a tribute to those values and principles that we all hold dear; and be it further

RESOLVED: That suitable copies of this resolution, duly authenticated by the Secretary of State, be transmitted to the Maine Bankers Association and its 31 member retail banks.

Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

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

(4-6) Michael Francis Monahan, of Kingfield. Mr. Monahan founded and operated Signworks, initially specializing in hand-painted signs for local shops and growing the business over 35 years into a successful regional small business creating custom artistic signs throughout Maine and beyond. He was an active part of and influential in the recovery community of western Maine. A musician with an interest in spirituality and dance, he became an instructor of the Dances of Universal Peace throughout Maine, combining dances from world religions including Islam, Judaism and Christianity. Mr. Monahan will be long remembered by his family and friends and all those whose lives he touched;

SLS 795

Sponsored by Senator MIRAMANT of Knox.

Cosponsored by Senator: SAVIELLO of Franklin, Representative: SKOLFIELD of Weld.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Ought to Pass Pursuant to Public Law

(5-1) The Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act To Reinstate Certain Other Special Revenue Funds Allocations for the Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services"

H.P. 1330 L.D. 1897

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**, pursuant to Public Law 2017, c. 284, Pt. UUUU, section 17.

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

Ought to Pass As Amended

(5-2) The Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Bill "An Act To Increase Broadband Access for Rural Communities"

H.P. 951 L.D. 1372

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-703)**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-703)**.

(5-3) The Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 308: Standards of Conduct for Transmission and Distribution Utilities and Affiliated Generators, a Major Substantive Rule of the Public Utilities Commission (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1244 L.D. 1799

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-704)**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Resolve **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-704)**.

(5-4) The Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Create Mental Health Liaison Positions in Each County Jail"

H.P. 679 L.D. 966

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-700)**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-700)**.

Divided Report

(5-5) The Majority of the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Ensure Transparency in the Distribution of Federal Block Grant Funds"
H.P. 990 L.D. 1435

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-701)**.

Signed:

Senators:

BRAKEY of Androscoggin
CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:

HYMANSON of York
CHACE of Durham
DENNO of Cumberland
HEAD of Bethel
MADIGAN of Waterville
MALABY of Hancock
McCREIGHT of Harpswell
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:

Senator:

HAMPER of Oxford

Representative:

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-701)**.

Divided Report

(5-6) The Majority of the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Allow the Maine Developmental Services Oversight and Advisory Board Access to Investigations of Suspicious Deaths and Mortality Reviews Performed by the Department of Health and Human Services"

H.P. 1189 L.D. 1709

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-702)**.

Signed:

Senator:

CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:

HYMANSON of York

DENNO of Cumberland

MADIGAN of Waterville

MALABY of Hancock

McCREIGHT of Harpswell

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

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-702)**.

Divided Report

(5-7) The Majority of the Committee on **LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** on Bill "An Act To Provide Economic Security to Maine Families through the Creation of a Paid Family Medical Leave System"

H.P. 1091 L.D. 1587

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-699)**.

Signed:

Senators:

VOLK of Cumberland
BELLOWS of Kennebec

Representatives:

FECTEAU of Biddeford
BATES of Westbrook
DOORE of Augusta
HANDY of Lewiston
MASTRACCIO of Sanford
SYLVESTER of Portland

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

Signed:

Senator:

LANGLEY of Hancock

Representatives:

AUSTIN of Gray
LOCKMAN of Amherst
STETKIS of Canaan
VACHON of Scarborough

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-699)**.

Divided Report

(5-8) The Majority of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act Authorizing the Deorganization of the Town of Atkinson"

H.P. 1023 L.D. 1484

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-698)**.

Signed:

Senators:

DAVIS of Piscataquis
DESCHAMBAULT of York

Representatives:

MARTIN of Sinclair
BEEBE-CENTER of Rockland
GRIGNON of Athens
HARRINGTON of Sanford
HOGAN of Old Orchard Beach
MADIGAN of Rumford
ORDWAY of Standish
PICKETT of Dixfield

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

Signed:

Representatives:

BRYANT of Windham
SPEAR of South Thomaston

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-698)**.

Divided Report

(5-9) The Majority of the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Authorize Tribal Gaming"

H.P. 838 L.D. 1201

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

Signed:

Senators:

MASON of Androscoggin
COLLINS of York

Representatives:

DILLINGHAM of Oxford
FARRIN of Norridgewock
HANINGTON of Lincoln
SCHNECK of Bangor
WHITE of Washburn

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-697)**.

Signed:

Senator:

CARPENTER of Aroostook

Representatives:

LUCHINI of Ellsworth
CASÁS of Rockport
HICKMAN of Winthrop
LONGSTAFF of Waterville
MONAGHAN of Cape Elizabeth

Comes from the House with 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-697)**.

Senate

Divided Report

(5-10) Nine members of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act To Ensure the Safe and Consistent Regulation of Pesticides throughout the State by Providing Exemptions to Municipal Ordinances That Regulate Pesticides"

S.P. 700 L.D. 1853

Reported in Report "A" that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senators:

DAVIS of Piscataquis
DESCHAMBAULT of York

Representatives:

MARTIN of Sinclair
BEEBE-CENTER of Rockland
BRYANT of Windham
HOGAN of Old Orchard Beach
MADIGAN of Rumford
PICKETT of Dixfield
SPEAR of South Thomaston

One member of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "B" that the same **Ought to Pass**.

Signed:

Representative:

ORDWAY of Standish

One member of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "C" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-431)**.

Signed:

Senator:

KEIM of Oxford

ENACTORS

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

Emergency Measure

(7-1) An Act To Enact the Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act
H.P. 595 L.D. 846
(C "A" H-691)

Emergency Measure

(7-2) An Act To Clarify Liability Pertaining to the Collection of Debts of MaineCare Providers
by the Department of Health and Human Services
H.P. 1194 L.D. 1714
(C "A" H-674)

Emergency Measure

(7-3) An Act To Ensure Sustainable Health Care Access in the Jackman Region
H.P. 1216 L.D. 1762
(C "A" H-676)

Emergency Measure

(7-4) An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Issuance of Burn Permits
S.P. 678 L.D. 1809
(C "A" S-417)

Emergency Measure

(7-5) An Act To Validate Certain Proceedings Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds and Notes by the City of Bath

H.P. 1270 L.D. 1828

Emergency Measure

(7-6) An Act Regarding Permits for Burial of Cremated Remains

S.P. 701 L.D. 1856

Emergency Resolve

(7-7) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 33: Rule Relating to the Licensing of Family Child Care Providers, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Health and Human Services, Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention

H.P. 1146 L.D. 1661
(C "A" H-675)

Emergency Resolve

(7-8) Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 418: Maine Solid Waste Management Rules: Beneficial Use of Solid Wastes, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Environmental Protection

H.P. 1242 L.D. 1797
(C "A" H-670)

Mandate

(7-9) An Act To Implement Recommendations of the Right To Know Advisory Committee Concerning Freedom of Access Training for Public Officials

H.P. 1263 L.D. 1821
(C "A" H-680)

Comes From the House, **FAILED ENACTMENT.**

**Pursuant to Constitution
Public Land**

(7-10) An Act Authorizing Changes to the Ownership and Leases of Certain Public Lands

S.P. 668 L.D. 1789
(C "A" S-416)

Acts

(7-11) An Act To Amend the Process for a Single Municipality To Withdraw from a Regional School Unit

H.P. 37 L.D. 51
(C "A" H-693)

(7-12) An Act To Authorize the Maine Public Employees Retirement System To Procure and Offer Long-term Disability Insurance

H.P. 132 L.D. 176
(C "A" H-681)

(7-13) An Act To Support Kinship Families by Creating a Kinship Care Navigator Program

H.P. 203 L.D. 270
(C "A" H-673)

(7-14) An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Working Group To Study Background Checks for Child Care Facilities and Providers

H.P. 207 L.D. 274
(C "D" H-686)

(7-15) An Act To Address the Unmet Workforce Needs of Employers and To Improve the Economic Future of Workers

S.P. 231 L.D. 669
(C "A" S-399)

(7-16) An Act To Ensure Fairness among Large Consumers of Natural Gas

S.P. 267 L.D. 822
(C "A" S-400)

(7-17) An Act To Enact the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act

S.P. 314 L.D. 958
(C "A" S-401)

(7-18) An Act To Help Prevent Financial Elder Abuse

H.P. 681 L.D. 968
(C "A" H-599)

(7-19) An Act To Establish Homelessness as an Emergency in the General Assistance Laws

S.P. 363 L.D. 1109
(C "B" S-409)

(7-20) An Act To Reduce the Incidence of Obesity and Chronic Disease in Maine

S.P. 383 L.D. 1162
(S "A" S-420 to C "A" S-380)

(7-21) An Act To Ensure the Quality of and Increase Access to Recovery Residences

S.P. 618 L.D. 1682
(C "A" S-411)

(7-22) An Act Regarding Meals in Public Schools

S.P. 620 L.D. 1684
(C "A" S-413)

(7-23) An Act To Repeal Certain Provisions Regarding the System Administration Allocation Affecting Maine School Districts in the 2018-2019 Biennial Budget

S.P. 625 L.D. 1689
(C "B" S-415)

(7-24) An Act To Strengthen Crime Victims' Rights

H.P. 1185 L.D. 1705
(C "A" H-668)

(7-25) An Act To Change the Procedures for Veterinarians in the Controlled Substances Prescription Monitoring Program

S.P. 629 L.D. 1730
(C "A" S-422)

(7-26) An Act To Provide a Sales Tax Exemption for Nonprofit Heating Assistance Organizations

H.P. 1207 L.D. 1755
(C "A" H-679)

(7-27) An Act To Reduce Child Poverty by Leveraging Investments in Families for Tomorrow

H.P. 1223 L.D. 1774
(C "A" H-687)

(7-28) An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Board of Dental Practice

H.P. 1267 L.D. 1825
(C "A" H-669)

(7-29) An Act To Include in the Crime of Harassment by Telephone or by Electronic Communication Device the Distribution of Certain Photographic Images and Videos

S.P. 690 L.D. 1838
(C "A" S-419)

(7-30) An Act To Revise the Municipal Consolidation Referendum Process

S.P. 692 L.D. 1840
(C "A" S-418)

(7-31) An Act To Reorganize the Bureau of General Services in the Department of Administrative and Financial Services

H.P. 1287 L.D. 1850
(C "A" H-672)

(7-32) An Act To Include Security Installations and Upgrades in Maine's School Revolving Renovation Fund

S.P. 703 L.D. 1858

Resolve

(7-33) Resolve, Directing the Department of Health and Human Services To Develop a Plan To Strengthen the Quality and Supply of Child Care Services

S.P. 124 L.D. 383
(C "A" S-408)

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

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Elwood Edgerly, Chris Maas and Lesley Fernow, all of Dover-Foxcroft

SLS 768

Tabled - March 27, 2018 by Senator **DAVIS** of Piscataquis

Pending - **PASSAGE**

2.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Emergency

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** on Bill "An Act To Protect Maine's Economy by Slowing the Rate at Which the State's Minimum Wage Will Increase and Establishing a Training and Youth Wage" (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1210 L.D. 1757
(C "A" H-666)

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-666) (6 members)

Tabled - March 27, 2018 by Senator **MASON** of Androscoggin

Pending - **ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT**

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

3.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Emergency

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Strengthen Requirements for Water Testing for Schools" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 20 L.D. 40
(C "A" S-406)

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-406) (9 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (4 members)

Tabled - March 27, 2018 by Senator **BRAKEY** of Androscoggin

Pending - **ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT**

4.

Tabled and Unassigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Increase Reimbursement for Child Care Services"

S.P. 58 L.D. 166
(C "A" S-407)

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-407) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - March 27, 2018 by Senator **BRAKEY** of Androscoggin

Pending - **ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT**

5.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - 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
(C "A" S-188; C "B" S-405)

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-405) (12 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (1 member)

Tabled - March 27, 2018 by Senator **WHITTEMORE** of Somerset

Pending - **ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT**

6.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Jon James, of China
SLS 779

Tabled - March 28, 2018 by Senator **KATZ** of Kennebec

Pending - **PASSAGE**

7.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act To Require Education and Training Regarding Harassment for Legislators, Legislative
Staff and Lobbyists

S.P. 695 L.D. 1842
(C "A" S-387)

Tabled - March 28, 2018 by Senator **LIBBY** of Androscoggin

Pending - **ENACTMENT**

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

8.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Resolve, To Establish a Task Force To Examine Agricultural Issues (EMERGENCY)
S.P. 646 L.D. 1747
(C "A" S-388)

Tabled - March 29, 2018 by Senator **DAVIS** of Piscataquis

Pending - **FURTHER CONSIDERATION**

(In Senate, March 20, 2018, on motion by Senator **DAVIS** of Piscataquis, Report "A", **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-388)**, **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Resolve **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-388)**.)

(In House, Report "A", **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-388)**, **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Resolve **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-388) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-690)** thereto in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.)

9.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Julius Eugene Ciembroniewicz, of Winthrop

HLS 1005

Tabled - March 29, 2018 by Senator **KATZ** of Kennebec

Pending - **ADOPTION**

(In House, **READ** and **ADOPTED**.)

10.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Align the Criteria Used by the Maine Public Employees Retirement System in Determining Veterans' Disability Claims with the Criteria Used by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs"

H.P. 365 L.D. 521
(C "A" H-688)

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-688) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - April 2, 2018 by Senator **HAMPER** of Oxford

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-688).**)

11.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Improve Housing Support in the Bridging Rental Assistance Program"

H.P. 1193 L.D. 1713
(C "A" H-663)

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-663) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - April 2, 2018 by Senator **JACKSON** of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator **BRAKEY** of Androscoggin to **ACCEPT** the Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report in **NON-CONCURRENCE** (Roll Call Ordered)

(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-663).**)

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**

2.

JOINT ORDER - Establishing the Task Force To Study Rising Transmission and Distribution Costs

H.P. 1320

Tabled - March 29, 2018 by Senator **JACKSON** of Aroostook

Pending - **PASSAGE**

3.

Resolve, Establishing the Commission To Study the Economic, Environmental and Energy Benefits of Energy Storage to the Maine Electricity Industry

S.P. 640 L.D. 1741
(C "A" S-373; S "A" S-402)

Tabled - March 29, 2018 by Senator **VOLK** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE**

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE

L.D. 8 - H.P. 9 (C "A" H-451)
 L.D. 20 - H.P. 21 (C "A" H-39)
 L.D. 27 - H.P. 28 (C "A" H-100)
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 L.D. 79 - S.P. 28 (C "A" S-27)
 L.D. 85 - S.P. 34 (C "A" S-11)
 L.D. 105 - H.P. 73 (C "A" H-645)
 L.D. 106 - H.P. 74 (C "A" H-245)
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 L.D. 170 - H.P. 126 (C "A" H-274)
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 L.D. 174 - H.P. 130 (C "A" H-374)
 L.D. 192 - H.P. 148 (C "A" H-177)
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 L.D. 285 - H.P. 218 (C "A" H-114)
 L.D. 288 - H.P. 221 (C "A" H-242)
 L.D. 289 - H.P. 222 (C "A" H-232)
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 L.D. 323 - H.P. 237 (C "A" H-257)
 L.D. 367 - H.P. 273 (C "A" H-493)
 L.D. 377 - S.P. 118 (C "A" S-112)
 L.D. 401 - H.P. 292 (C "A" H-109)
 L.D. 423 - H.P. 303 (C "A" H-17; H "A" H-19)
 L.D. 449 - S.P. 151 (C "A" S-79)
 L.D. 503 - S.P. 164 (C "A" S-31)
 L.D. 513 - S.P. 174 (C "B" S-119)
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 L.D. 525 - H.P. 369 (C "A" H-139)
 L.D. 526 - H.P. 370 (C "B" H-42; S "A" S-41 to C "B" H-42)
 L.D. 643 - H.P. 457 (C "A" H-176)
 L.D. 650 - S.P. 212 (C "A" S-370)
 L.D. 656 - S.P. 218 (C "A" S-43)
 L.D. 681 - H.P. 472 (C "A" H-505)
 L.D. 687 - H.P. 478 (C "A" H-382)
 L.D. 692 - H.P. 483 (C "A" H-578)
 L.D. 720 - S.P. 237 (C "A" S-86)
 L.D. 768 - H.P. 548 (C "A" H-615)
 L.D. 780 - H.P. 560 (C "A" H-592)
 L.D. 781 - H.P. 561 (C "A" H-416)
 L.D. 792 - H.P. 572 (C "A" H-58)
 L.D. 816 - S.P. 261 (C "A" S-150)
 L.D. 843 - H.P. 592 (C "A" H-217)
 L.D. 967 - H.P. 680 (C "A" H-342)
 L.D. 990 - S.P. 329 (C "A" S-265; H "B" H-542 to C "A" S-265)
 L.D. 998 - H.P. 699 (C "A" H-296)
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 L.D. 1006 - H.P. 707 (C "A" H-210)
 L.D. 1091 - H.P. 765 (C "A" H-361)
 L.D. 1095 - H.P. 769 (C "A" H-625)
 L.D. 1127 - H.P. 790 (C "A" H-376)
 L.D. 1130 - H.P. 793 (C "A" H-469; H "A" H-537 to C "A" H-469)
 L.D. 1188 - H.P. 825 (C "A" H-330)
 L.D. 1190 - H.P. 827 (C "A" H-532; H "A" H-550 to C "A" H-532)
 L.D. 1196 - H.P. 833 (C "A" H-236)
 L.D. 1204 - H.P. 840 (C "A" H-494)
 L.D. 1212 - S.P. 406 (C "A" S-180)
 L.D. 1248 - H.P. 871 (C "A" H-144)
 L.D. 1280 - S.P. 432 (C "A" S-153; S "B" S-297 to C "A" S-153; S "D" S-309 to C "A" S-153)
 L.D. 1286 - S.P. 438 (C "A" S-221)
 L.D. 1287 - S.P. 439 (C "A" S-121)
 L.D. 1301 - H.P. 898 (C "A" H-248)
 L.D. 1308 - H.P. 905 (C "A" H-118)
 L.D. 1314 - H.P. 911 (C "A" H-202)
 L.D. 1317 - H.P. 914 (C "A" H-234)
 L.D. 1321 - S.P. 450 (C "A" S-128)
 L.D. 1322 - H.P. 916 (C "A" H-499)
 L.D. 1343 - S.P. 457 (C "A" S-152)
 L.D. 1345 - H.P. 935 (C "A" H-610)
 L.D. 1388 - S.P. 475 (C "A" S-162)
 L.D. 1391 - H.P. 965 (C "A" H-321)
 L.D. 1399 - S.P. 477 (C "A" S-223)
 L.D. 1407 - S.P. 485 (C "A" S-245)
 L.D. 1429 - H.P. 983 (C "A" H-510)
 L.D. 1433 - H.P. 988 (C "A" H-516)
 L.D. 1466 - S.P. 512 (C "A" S-186; H "B" H-529 to C "A" S-186)
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 L.D. 1492 - S.P. 521 (C "B" S-368)
 L.D. 1494 - H.P. 1027 (C "A" H-396)
 L.D. 1517 - H.P. 1041 (C "A" H-491)
 L.D. 1554 - H.P. 1070 (C "A" H-365)
 L.D. 1584 - S.P. 557 (C "A" S-391)
 L.D. 1597 - S.P. 561 (C "A" S-183)
 L.D. 1653 - S.P. 610 (C "A" S-366)
 L.D. 1665 - H.P. 1150 (C "A" H-602)
 L.D. 1680 - H.P. 1168 (C "A" H-601)
 L.D. 1683 - S.P. 619 (C "A" S-396)
 L.D. 1696 - H.P. 1176 (C "A" H-586)
 L.D. 1704 - H.P. 1184 (C "A" H-593; S "A" S-393)
 L.D. 1707 - H.P. 1187 (C "A" H-604; H "A" H-648)
 L.D. 1708 - H.P. 1188 (C "A" H-664)
 L.D. 1710 - H.P. 1190 (C "A" H-635; H "A" H-667 to C "A" H-635)
 L.D. 1737 - S.P. 636 (C "A" S-379)
 L.D. 1740 - S.P. 639 (C "A" S-385)
 L.D. 1742 - S.P. 641 (C "A" S-364)
 L.D. 1746 - S.P. 645 (C "A" S-390)
 L.D. 1773 - H.P. 1222 (C "A" H-620)
 L.D. 1780 - H.P. 1226 (C "A" H-665)
 L.D. 1808 - H.P. 1254 (C "A" H-608)
 L.D. 1812 - H.P. 1257 (C "A" H-657)
 L.D. 1820 - H.P. 1262 (C "A" H-642)
 L.D. 1835 - H.P. 1277 (C "A" H-647)
 L.D. 1855 - H.P. 1293 (C "A" H-658)

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L.D. 1685 - S.P. 621 (C "A" S-348)