

**STATE OF MAINE
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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

March 2, 2021

Hon. Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
130th Legislature

Hon. Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House
130th Legislature

Dear Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:

On March 2, 2021, 15 bills were received by the Secretary of the Senate.

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 308.2, these bills were referred to the Joint Standing Committees on March 2, 2021, as follows:

Education and Cultural Affairs

Resolve, To Reestablish the Task Force To Study the Creation of a Comprehensive Career and Technical Education System (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 267) (L.D. 680)
(Sponsored by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland)

Energy, Utilities and Technology

Bill "An Act To Ensure the Viability of the Northern Maine Electric Transmission Grid" (S.P. 270) (L.D. 682) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook)

Environment and Natural Resources

Bill "An Act To Reclassify Part of the Androscoggin River to Class B" (S.P. 263) (L.D. 676) (Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin) (Cosponsored by Representative BICKFORD of Auburn and Senators: LIBBY of Androscoggin, VITELLI of Sagadahoc, TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin, Representatives: CLOUTIER of Lewiston, CONNOR of Lewiston)

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Bill "An Act Regarding Timelines for Permitting by the Department of Environmental Protection" (S.P. 265) (L.D. 678) (Sponsored by Senator KEIM of Oxford)

Health and Human Services

Bill "An Act To Support Early Intervention and Treatment of Psychotic Disorders" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 261) (L.D. 674) (Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Senators: CLAXTON of Androscoggin, CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: MADIGAN of Waterville, McCREIGHT of Harpswell, WARREN of Hallowell, MEYER of Eliot)

Resolve, To Amend MaineCare Reimbursement Provisions Governing Supplemental Payments to Nursing Facilities with High MaineCare Use (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 272) (L.D. 684) (Sponsored by Senator TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin) (Cosponsored by Senator: BALDACCI of Penobscot)

Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Bill "An Act To Create the Insulin Safety Net Program" (S.P. 260) (L.D. 673) (Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative MADIGAN of Waterville and Senators: President JACKSON of Aroostook, CLAXTON of Androscoggin, MAXMIN of Lincoln, RAFFERTY of York, Representatives: WHITE of Waterville, McDONALD of Stonington, WILLIAMS of Bar Harbor)

Bill "An Act To Protect Maine Consumers from Unsupported Price Increases on Prescription Medicines by Creating an Independent Review Process" (S.P. 262) (L.D. 675) (Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin) (Cosponsored by Senators: President JACKSON of Aroostook, VITELLI of Sagadahoc, MAXMIN of Lincoln, CURRY of Waldo, BRENNER of Cumberland, RAFFERTY of York, LUCHINI of Hancock)

Bill "An Act To Increase Prescription Drug Pricing Transparency" (S.P. 274) (L.D. 686) (Sponsored by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc) (Cosponsored by Senators: President JACKSON of Aroostook, CLAXTON of Androscoggin, MAXMIN of Lincoln, CURRY of Waldo, BRENNER of Cumberland, RAFFERTY of York, LUCHINI of Hancock)

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Judiciary

Bill "An Act To Establish a Statewide Electronic Warrant System" (S.P. 266) (L.D. 679) (Sponsored by Senator KEIM of Oxford) (Cosponsored by Senators: DAVIS of Piscataquis, GUERIN of Penobscot, Representatives: PICKETT of Dixfield, O'CONNOR of Berwick)

Bill "An Act Clarifying the Removal Process of Individuals from Certain Facilities Not Governed By Title 14 of the Maine Revised Statutes" (S.P. 268) (L.D. 681) (Sponsored by Senator LIBBY of Androscoggin)

Bill "An Act To Allow Maine Nonprofit Corporations To Hold Meetings Electronically" (S.P. 271) (L.D. 683) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Senator: SANBORN of Cumberland, Representatives: WHITE of Waterville, DUCHARME of Madison)

Labor and Housing

Bill "An Act To Improve Public Sector Labor Relations by Amending the Laws Governing Arbitration under Certain Public Employees Labor Relations Laws" (S.P. 264) (L.D. 677) (Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford and Senators: LIBBY of Androscoggin, RAFFERTY of York, MIRAMANT of Knox, Representatives: CUDDY of Winterport, PAULHUS of Bath)

Transportation

Resolve, To Study the Feasibility of Building a Trail on the Mountain Division Rail Line (S.P. 258) (L.D. 672) (Sponsored by Senator BENNETT of Oxford) (Cosponsored by Representative ORDWAY of Standish and Senator: BRENNER of Cumberland, Representatives: WADSWORTH of Hiram, BAILEY of Gorham)

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Veterans and Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act To Legalize Online Raffles for Nonprofit Organizations" (EMERGENCY)
(S.P. 273) (L.D. 685) (Sponsored by Senator TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin)
(Cosponsored by Speaker FECTION of Biddeford and Senators: DESCHAMBAULT of
York, FARRIN of Somerset, STEWART of Aroostook, LUCHINI of Hancock,
Representative: KINNEY of Knox)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House