

## One Hundred and Twenty-Eighth Legislature First Regular Session

## Advance Journal and Calendar

#### 32nd Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Thursday, April 20, 2017.

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

Prayer by Reverend Sarah Gillespie, St. Mary's d'Youville Pavilion of Lewiston.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Ronald F. Collins of York County.

Reading of the Journal of Wednesday, April 19, 2017.

Doctor of the day, Jessica Richmond, M.D. of Sebec.

Michael D. Thibodeau

Senate President

**Heather J.R. Priest** *Secretary of the Senate* 

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Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, on motion by Senator **MASON** of Androscoggin, the following Joint Order:

S.P. 522

Ordered, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they do so until Tuesday, April 25, 2017 at 10:00 in the morning.

#### PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

#### **Joint Resolutions**

(1-1) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1024

# JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING APRIL 2017 AS FOSTERING FINANCIAL EDUCATION MONTH

WHEREAS, financial education is essential to ensuring that students, young adults and families are prepared to effectively budget, manage, save and invest their money; and

WHEREAS, the Maine Jump\$tart Coalition for Personal Financial Literacy, a past recipient of the prestigious State Coalition of the Year Award from the National Jump\$tart Coalition for its initiatives, efforts and support of personal financial education in Maine, has demonstrated leadership in expanding financial education learning opportunities and outreach for students and educators through free webinars, classroom presentations, programs and other creative initiatives in order to provide a better understanding of personal finance in Maine schools; and

WHEREAS, the 8th annual Fostering Financial Education in Maine Schools Conference, to be held April 28, 2017 at the Augusta Civic Center, provides training and financial education resources to help include financial literacy instruction in the school experience for K-12 students and young adults; and

WHEREAS, over the past 7 years the conference has enabled nearly 1,000 teachers and community educators to offer financial literacy instruction and materials to students and young adults in every region of the State; and

WHEREAS, the conference and other related events and programs are a collaboration of business, government, nonprofit and financial education organizations working together as the Maine Jump\$tart Coalition for Personal Financial Literacy, including the Office of Securities within the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, the Finance Authority of Maine, the Maine Credit Union League, Maine's credit unions, the Maine Bankers Association and Maine's banks; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Twenty-eighth Legislature now assembled in the First Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize April 2017 as Fostering Financial Education Month in order to raise awareness about the Fostering Financial Education in Maine Schools Conference and to emphasize the importance of helping and encouraging Maine's young people to become financially capable adults so that they may fulfill their dreams and aspirations, and we urge all citizens to participate in educating students to become financially capable.

Comes from the House, <b>READ</b> and <b>ADOPTED</b> .			
Joint Resolution in Memoriam:			
WHEREAS, the Legislature has learned with deep regret of the death of:			
(1-2) Gilles Edouard Auger, of Sanford. Mr. Auger was born in Sanford in 1935 and graduated from St. Ignatius High School. He was the first in his family to attend college, earning a bachelor's degree in French from the University of Maine at Orono. He was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship, earning a Diplome from the Sorbonne in Paris, and later received a master's degree in education from UMO. Mr. Auger taught French at many schools in the State, including Lubec High School, Gould Academy, Sanford High School and Nasson College. He spent the rest of his career at the Department of Human Services, retiring in 1997. Mr. Auger was very active in Sanford community affairs, serving as Voter Registrar, Town Moderator, a board member of the Goodall Library and the Sanford Historical Committee, the first president of the St. Ignatius Parish Council and a founding member of both the York County Teachers Federal Credit Union and the Sanford-Springvale Historical Society. He also held memberships in the Knights of Columbus and the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. In 2003 he and his wife, Claire, were inducted into the Franco-American Hall of Fame. Mr. Auger will be long remembered and greatly missed by his family, his many friends and his community;			
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#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

#### (2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 317

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

April 18, 2017

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 The Hon. Richard A. Nass of Acton for reappointment to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices.

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

S/Paul R. LePage Governor

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.C. 318

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

April 19, 2017

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 Truman Slocum of Phippsburg for appointment to the Board of Trustees, Maine Maritime Academy.

Pursuant to P&SL 1975, Chapter 771 §428, 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. 314

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

April 14, 2017

Honorable Michael D. Thibodeau, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 128th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Thibodeau and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 63	An Act To Ensure Complete Investigations by Guardians Ad Litem
L.D. 362	An Act To Allow Relative Caregivers Standing in Court
L.D. 363	An Act To Make a Child Living with a Custodial Relative Caregiver Eligible for State-paid Legal Services
L.D. 536	An Act To Protect Homeowners from Debt Collectors

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Lisa Keim	S/Rep. Matthew W. Moonen
Senate Chair	House Chair

#### (2-4) The Following Communication:

S.C. 315

# STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON TAXATION

April 13, 2017

Honorable Michael D. Thibodeau, President of the Senate Honorable Sara Gideon, Speaker of the House 128th Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Thibodeau and Speaker Gideon:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 26	An Act To Lower the Maine Motor Vehicle Excise Tax
L.D. 74	An Act To Realign the State-Municipal Revenue Sharing Distribution
L.D. 77	An Act To Exempt from Maine Income Tax Income Earned by Members of the Armed Services While on Active Duty
L.D. 368	An Act To Welcome Statewide Economic Investment
L.D. 492	An Act To Restore Revenue Sharing
L.D. 707	An Act To Base the Motor Vehicle Excise Tax on the Purchase Price of the Motor Vehicle
L.D. 779	An Act To Allow Aroostook County To Create Tax Increment Financing Districts
L.D. 875	An Act To Reduce Property Taxes
L.D. 887	An Act To Provide Relief to Maine Property Tax Payers
L.D. 904	An Act To Require the County Commissioners To Adjust the Assessed Value of a Municipality When They Grant an Abatement Request
L.D. 1071	An Act To Modify the Tax Increment Financing Laws

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Dana L. Dow S/Rep. Ryan Tipping Senate Chair House Chair

#### **SENATE PAPERS**

(3-1) Bill "An Act To Modernize Data Collection and Reporting and Information Access for the Department of Labor"

S.P. 525 L.D. 1500

Presented by Senator VOLK of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representative VACHON of Scarborough and Senator: LANGLEY of Hancock, Representatives: AUSTIN of Gray, BATES of Westbrook, FECTEAU of Biddeford, LOCKMAN of Amherst, MASTRACCIO of Sanford, STETKIS of Canaan. Submitted by the Department of Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

(3-2) Bill "An Act To Increase Success and Promote Growth among Maine Small Businesses" S.P. 526 L.D. 1501

Presented by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc.

Cosponsored by Representative PIERCE of Dresden and Senators: JACKSON of Aroostook, WHITTEMORE of Somerset, Representatives: MASTRACCIO of Sanford, RECKITT of South Portland, STANLEY of Medway, TEPLER of Topsham.

(3-3) Bill "An Act To Amend Criteria for Issuing a Certificate of Approval for Certain Projects under the Finance Authority of Maine Act" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 528 L.D. 1503

Presented by Senator VOLK of Cumberland. Submitted by the Finance Authority of Maine pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT suggested and ordered printed.

(3-4) Bill "An Act To Better Regulate Marijuana"

S.P. 524 L.D. 1499

Presented by Senator JACKSON of Aroostook.

Cosponsored by Senators: DESCHAMBAULT of York, DILL of Penobscot.

Joint Select Committee on MARIJUANA LEGALIZATION IMPLEMENTATION suggested and ordered printed.

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(3-5) Bill "An Act To Transfer Responsibility for Licensing of Land-based Aquaculture from the Department of Marine Resources to the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry"

S.P. 527 L.D. 1502

Presented by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock. (GOVERNOR'S BILL) Cosponsored by Senator: VITELLI of Sagadahoc.

Committee on MARINE RESOURCES suggested and ordered printed.

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#### **ORDERS**

#### **Joint Orders**

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) the Town of Bucksport, which earned the Safety and Health Award for Public Employers certification from the Maine Department of Labor. This certification, also known as SHAPE, recognizes public sector organizations that voluntarily undertake a rigorous safety achievement program for their workplace. We congratulate the Town of Bucksport on its receiving this certification;

SLS 199

Sponsored by Senator ROSEN of Hancock.

Cosponsored by Representative: CAMPBELL of Orrington.

(4-2) Aaron L. Young, of Sidney, a member of Boy Scout Troop No. 401, who has attained the high rank and distinction of Eagle Scout. This is the highest award in Boy Scouting and is given for excellence in skills development, leadership, personal growth and community service. For his Eagle Scout project, Aaron coordinated the reconstruction of the baseball field and the installation of a new backstop at the James H. Bean School in Sidney. We extend our congratulations to Aaron on this achievement;

**SLS 200** 

Sponsored by Senator KATZ of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Representative: PERKINS of Oakland.

(4-3) Jeffrey Lacroix, of Auburn, Administrator for the Rumford Community Home, who has received the Eli Pick Facility Leadership Award from the American College of Health Care Administrators for his leadership of a high-performing skilled nursing facility. We extend to Mr. Lacroix our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 201

Sponsored by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin.

Cosponsored by Senator: KEIM of Oxford, Representatives: BICKFORD of Auburn,

MADIGAN of Rumford, MELARAGNO of Auburn, SHEATS of Auburn.

(4-4) Naomi Zarin, of Gray, an eighth-grade student at Friends School of Portland, who won the Cumberland County Spelling Bee. This is Naomi's second consecutive victory in this event. We extend to Naomi our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 202

Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: AUSTIN of Gray, DENNO of Cumberland.

(4-5) Wyman's of Maine, headquartered in Milbridge, which received a 2016 Governor's Award for Environmental Excellence in the large-business category. We extend to everyone at Wyman's of Maine our congratulations and best wishes;

**SLS 203** 

Sponsored by Senator MAKER of Washington. Cosponsored by Representative: ALLEY of Beals.

#### **Joint Resolution**

(4-6) On motion by Senator **BRAKEY** of Androscoggin (Cosponsored by Senators: BELLOWS of Kennebec, MAKER of Washington, VOLK of Cumberland), the following Joint Resolution: S.P. 523

#### STATE OF MAINE 128<sup>TH</sup> MAINE LEGISLATURE

# JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING APRIL 2017 AS SECOND CHANCE MONTH

WHEREAS, every person is endowed with human dignity and value; and

WHEREAS, redemption and second chances are American values; and

WHEREAS, an estimated 65 million American citizens have a criminal record; and

WHEREAS, individuals returning from prison and those who have paid their debts after committing a crime face a "second prison" of stigma and obstacles, also known as collateral consequences; and

WHEREAS, individuals with criminal histories encounter significant barriers such as an inability to find housing, employment or education, regain voting rights, volunteer in their communities, secure identification documentation and pay off substantial financial debt accrued as a result of conviction and incarceration; and

WHEREAS, these barriers can contribute to recidivism, which increases victimization, decreases public safety and results in lost human capital and economic output for communities; and

WHEREAS, the designation of April as Second Chance Month can contribute to increased public awareness about the "second prison," the need for closure for those who have paid their debts and opportunities for individuals, employers, congregations and communities to extend second chances; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Twenty-eighth Legislature now assembled in the First Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize April 2017 as Second Chance Month, and we urge citizens to observe this month through actions and programs that promote awareness of the "second prison" and provide closure for those who have paid their debts.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

#### House

### **Ought to Pass**

TE on Bill "An Act To Amend H.P. 394 L.D. 552
and the Bill PASSED TO BE
<b>E</b> on Bill "An Act To
H.P. 346 L.D. 483
e Amendment ''A'' (H-48).
and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENT "A" (H-48).

(5-3) The Majority of the Committee on **ENERGY**, **UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Bill "An Act To Ensure Resiliency of the Maine Electrical Grid"

H.P. 373 L.D. 529

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-45).

Signed:

Senators:

WOODSOME of York DION of Cumberland

Representatives:

BERRY of Bowdoinham COOPER of Yarmouth DeCHANT of Bath RILEY of Jay RYKERSON of Kittery SANBORN of Portland

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

Signed:

Senator:

**CUSHING** of Penobscot

Representatives:

HANLEY of Pittston HARVELL of Farmington O'CONNOR of Berwick WADSWORTH of Hiram

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-45).

(5-4) The Majority of the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act To Reimburse Nursing Homes for the Loss of Coinsurance and Deductibles for Skilled Nursing Beds under Rules Adopted by the Department of Health and Human Services"

H.P. 21 L.D. 20

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-39).

Signed:

Senators:

BRAKEY of Androscoggin CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Representatives:

HYMANSON of York
DENNO of Cumberland
HAMANN of South Portland
HEAD of Bethel
MADIGAN of Waterville
MALABY of Hancock
PARKER of South Berwick
PERRY of Calais
SANDERSON of Chelsea

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

Signed:

Representative:

**CHACE** of Durham

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-39).

(5-5) The Majority of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act To Incentivize Legislative Carpooling"

H.P. 451 L.D. 635

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

Signed:

Senators:

DAVIS of Piscataquis KEIM of Oxford

Representatives:

MARTIN of Sinclair
BEEBE-CENTER of Rockland
BRYANT of Windham
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 To Pass** as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-32).

Signed:

Senator:

**DESCHAMBAULT** of York

Representative:

SPEAR of South Thomaston

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

(5-6) Seven members of the Committee on **EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Increase the State Share of the Cost of Health Insurance for Retired Teachers" (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 370 L.D. 526

Reported in Report "A" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment** "A" (H-41).

Signed:

Senator:

MILLETT of Cumberland

#### Representatives:

KORNFIELD of Bangor DAUGHTRY of Brunswick FARNSWORTH of Portland FULLER of Lewiston McCREA of Fort Fairfield PIERCE of Falmouth

Four members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "B" that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

#### Representatives:

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

Two members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "C" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-42)**.

Signed:

Senators:

LANGLEY of Hancock MAKER of Washington

Comes from the House with Report "A" OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-41) READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-41).

#### Senate

## **Ought to Pass**

(5-7) Senator ROSEN for the Committee on <b>CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAF</b> on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Domestic Violence and Setting Preconvice Bail"			
	L.D. 511		
Reported that the same <b>Ought to Pass</b> .			
(5-8) Senator COLLINS for the Committee on <b>TRANSPORTATION</b> on B Allow Stepparents To Sign the Application for a Driver's License for a Mino			
S.P. 332	L.D. 1025		
Reported that the same <b>Ought to Pass</b> .			

(5-9) The Majority of the Committee on **APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Carry Out the Will of the People of the State of Maine by Ensuring the Issuance of Bonds To Support the Independence of Maine's Seniors" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 278 L.D. 832

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-33).

Signed:

Senators:

BREEN of Cumberland KATZ of Kennebec

Representatives:

GATTINE of Westbrook FREY of Bangor HUBBELL of Bar Harbor JORGENSEN of Portland MARTIN of Eagle Lake TEPLER of Topsham

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

Signed:

Senator:

HAMPER of Oxford

Representatives:

SEAVEY of Kennebunkport SIROCKI of Scarborough TIMBERLAKE of Turner WINSOR of Norway

(5-10) The Majority of the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act To Lower the Age Requirement To Carry a Concealed Handgun"

S.P. 24 L.D. 44

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

Signed:

Senators:

ROSEN of Hancock CYRWAY of Kennebec DIAMOND of Cumberland

Representatives:

WARREN of Hallowell COREY of Windham GROHMAN of Biddeford HERRICK of Paris LONGSTAFF of Waterville MAREAN of Hollis RECKITT of South Portland TALBOT ROSS of Portland

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

Signed:

Representative:

**GERRISH** of Lebanon

(5-11) The Majority of the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Sex Offender Registry"

S.P. 57 L.D. 138

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-37).

Signed:

Senators:

ROSEN of Hancock CYRWAY of Kennebec DIAMOND of Cumberland

Representatives:

COREY of Windham
GERRISH of Lebanon
GROHMAN of Biddeford
HERRICK of Paris
LONGSTAFF of Waterville
MAREAN of Hollis
NADEAU of Winslow
RECKITT of South Portland

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

Signed:

Representative:

WARREN of Hallowell

(5-12) The Majority of the Committee on **EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Promote Physical Activity for Schoolchildren"

S.P. 119 L.D. 378

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

Signed:

Senators:

LANGLEY of Hancock MAKER of Washington

Representatives:

KORNFIELD of Bangor GINZLER of Bridgton McCREA of Fort Fairfield SAMPSON of Alfred STEWART of Presque Isle TURNER of Burlington

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

Signed:

Senator:

MILLETT of Cumberland

Representatives:

DAUGHTRY of Brunswick FARNSWORTH of Portland FULLER of Lewiston PIERCE of Falmouth

(5-13) The Majority of the Committee on **INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE** on Bill "An Act To Require the Use of Personal Flotation Devices in Canoes"

S.P. 108 L.D. 342

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

Signed:

Senators:

CYRWAY of Kennebec CARPENTER of Aroostook WOODSOME of York

Representatives:

DUCHESNE of Hudson ALLEY of Beals LYFORD of Eddington MASON of Lisbon NADEAU of Winslow REED of Carmel STEARNS of Guilford THERIAULT of China

WOOD of Greene

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass** as **Amended by Committee Amendment "A"** (S-32).

Signed:

Representative:

**HARLOW** of Portland

(5-14) The Majority of the Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Bill "An Act To Repeal the Laws Governing Truck Camper Registration"

S.P. 273 L.D. 827

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

Signed:

Senators:

COLLINS of York MIRAMANT of Knox ROSEN of Hancock

Representatives:

McLEAN of Gorham AUSTIN of Skowhegan BRYANT of Windham CEBRA of Naples GRANT of Gardiner PARRY of Arundel PERKINS of Oakland SCHNECK of Bangor SHEATS of Auburn

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

Signed:

Representative:

**GILLWAY** of Searsport

(5-15) The Majority of the Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Bill "An Act To Use State Employees and Resources for Transportation Bond Projects"

S.P. 316 L.D. 960

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-36).

Signed:

Senator:

MIRAMANT of Knox

Representatives:

McLEAN of Gorham AUSTIN of Skowhegan BRYANT of Windham GRANT of Gardiner SCHNECK of Bangor SHEATS of Auburn

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

Signed:

Senators:

COLLINS of York ROSEN of Hancock

Representatives:

CEBRA of Naples GILLWAY of Searsport PARRY of Arundel PERKINS of Oakland

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(5-16) The Majority of the Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Bill "An Act Making Supplemental Allocations from the Highway Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and To Change Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2017" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 341 L.D. 1034

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-34).

Signed:

Senator:

MIRAMANT of Knox

Representatives:

McLEAN of Gorham AUSTIN of Skowhegan BRYANT of Windham CEBRA of Naples GRANT of Gardiner SCHNECK of Bangor SHEATS of Auburn

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass** as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-35).

Signed:

Senators:

COLLINS of York ROSEN of Hancock

Representatives:

GILLWAY of Searsport PARRY of Arundel PERKINS of Oakland

(5-17) Six Members of the Committee on **LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** on Bill "An Act To Require Certification under the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Lead Renovation, Repair and Painting Rule"

S.P. 143 L.D. 441

Reported in Report "A" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment** "A" (S-38)

Signed:

Senator:

**BELLOWS** of Kennebec

Representatives:

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

Six Members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "B" that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senators:

VOLK of Cumberland LANGLEY of Hancock

Representatives:

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

#### SECOND READERS

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

Reported to the Office of Chief Medical Examiner"	H.P. 378 L.D. 534
House As Amended	
(6-2) Bill "An Act To Require Moped Riders under 18 Years	of Age To Wear a Helmet" H.P. 86 L.D. 118 (C "A" H-36)
(6-3) Bill "An Act Regarding the Funding of Volunteer Fire D	Departments" H.P. 108 L.D. 150 (C "A" H-46)
(6-4) Bill "An Act To Improve Vocational Rehabilitation und Compensation Act of 1992"	er the Maine Workers'  H.P. 428 L.D. 612 (C "A" H-44)
(6-5) Bill "An Act To Ensure Appropriate Training for Harbon	r Masters" H.P. 438 L.D. 622 (C "A" H-33)

#### Senate

(6-6) Bill "An Act To Upda Medicine"	te the Licensure Renewal Provision of	f the Board of Licensure in S.P. 208 L.D. 593
	Senate As Amended	
(6-7) Bill "An Act To Conti	nue the Doctors for Maine's Future Sc	cholarship Program" S.P. 164 L.D. 503 (C "A" S-31)
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	ORDERS OF THE DAY	
	<b>Unfinished Business</b>	
	consideration of which the Senate was the in the Orders of the Day and continuenate Rule 516.	
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	<b>Tabled and Later Assigned</b>	
Bill "An Act To Enhance Ac	ccess to Affordable Health Care"	I.B. 2 L.D. 1039
Tabled - March 21, 2017, by	Senator <b>BRAKEY</b> of Androscoggin	
Pending - <b>REFERENCE</b>		
(In House, <b>REFERRED</b> to	the Committee on <b>HEALTH AND H</b>	UMAN SERVICES.)

#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER	<ul> <li>Expression of</li> </ul>	Legislative	Sentiment	Recognizing	Sybil Rier	nensnider, o	ρf
South Portland							

**SLS 127** 

Tabled - March 21, 2017, by Senator MASON of Androscoggin

Pending - PASSAGE

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing the Greater Portland Transit District METRO

SLS 129

Tabled - March 21, 2017, by Senator CHIPMAN of Cumberland

Pending - PASSAGE

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER - To Create the Maine Health Advisory Committee

S.P. 451

Tabled - April 4, 2017, by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot

Pending - motion by Senator GRATWICK of Penobscot to PASS

#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

Bill "An Act To Promote Prescription Drug Price Transparency"

S.P. 484 L.D. 1406

Tabled - April 11, 2017, by Senator **BRAKEY** of Androscoggin

Pending - **REFERENCE** 

(Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** suggested and ordered printed.)

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

Bill "An Act To Address the Policies Relating to Substance Use in the Workplace" S.P. 413 L.D. 1222

Tabled - April 13, 2017, by Senator MASON of Androscoggin

Pending - FURTHER CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, April 6, 2017, on motion by Senator **KATZ** of Kennebec, **REFERRED** to the Joint Select Committee on **MARIJUANA LEGALIZATION IMPLEMENTATION** and ordered printed.)

(In House, REFERRED to the Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

Bill "An Act To Prohibit Insurance Carriers from Retroactively Reducing Payment on Clean Claims Submitted by Pharmacies"

S.P. 10 L.D. 6

Tabled - April 13, 2017, by Senator MASON of Androscoggin

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-22)

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

An Act To Require State Compliance with Federal REAL ID Guidelines

S.P. 92 L.D. 306 (C "A" S-17)

Tabled - April 13, 2017, by Senator MASON of Androscoggin

Pending - **ENACTMENT** 

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

#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES** on Bill "An Act To Phase Out the Use of Single-use Plastic Shopping Bags"
H.P. 44 L.D. 57

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-18) (9 members)

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

Tabled - April 18, 2017, by Senator **SAVIELLO** of Franklin

Pending - motion by same Senator to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** 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-18).)

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

Bill "An Act To Remove Barriers to Workforce Development in Alcohol and Drug Counseling and To Increase the MaineCare Reimbursement Rates for Certain Counselors"

H.P. 955 L.D. 1376

Tabled - April 19, 2017, by Senator **LANGLEY** of Hancock

Pending - FURTHER CONSIDERATION

(Committee on LABOR, COMMERCE, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT suggested and ordered printed.)

(In Senate, April 13, 2017, **REFERRED** to the Committee on **LABOR**, **COMMERCE**, **RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.)

(In House, House **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Bill was **REFERRED** to the Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**.)

#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act To Improve Requirements for Reporting to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices"

H.P. 507 L.D. 716

**Majority - Ought Not to Pass** (7 members)

**Minority - Ought to Pass** (6 members)

Tabled - April 19, 2017, by Senator MASON of Androscoggin

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

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

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act Regarding Advertisements by Maine Clean Election Act Candidates"

H.P. 571 L.D. 791

**Majority - Ought Not to Pass** (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-30) (6 members)

Tabled - April 19, 2017, by Senator **MASON** of Androscoggin

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

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

#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE** on Bill "An Act To Require Permits for Wildlife in Captivity and Notification of the Escape of Exotic Wildlife in Captivity"

S.P. 91 L.D. 305

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-30) (7 members)

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

Tabled - April 19, 2017, by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

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#### **Tabled and Later Assigned**

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act Regarding Refusing To Submit to Arrest or Detention"

H.P. 184 L.D. 251

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-24) (9 members)

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

Tabled - April 19, 2017, by Senator **JACKSON** of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator **ROSEN** of Hancock to **ACCEPT** the Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report, in Non-Concurence (Roll Call Requested)

(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-24).)

#### SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE

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