

Senate of Maine

One Hundred and Thirty-First Legislature Second Regular Session

Advance Journal and Calendar

37th Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Wednesday, April 10, 2024.

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

Prayer by Pastor Douglas L. Watermolen of Royal Ridge Church of God in Scarborough.

National Anthem Performed by Devon Gillespie of Bingham.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Donna Bailey of York County.

Reading of the Journal of Tuesday, April 9, 2024.

Medical Provider of the Day, Sarah Greven-Chaousis PA-C of Falmouth.

Troy D. Jackson *President of the Senate* **Darek M. Grant** Secretary of the Senate

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PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) An Act to Prohibit Insurers from Using Credit Information as a Factor in Certain Insurance Practices

S.P. 950 L.D. 2220

In Senate, April 3, 2024, on motion by Senator **BAILEY** of York, Report "A", **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED**, **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (S-649).

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

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-2) An Act to Implement the Recommendations of the Task Force to Evaluate the Impact of Facility Fees on Patients to Improve Facility Fee Transparency and Notification and to Prohibit Facility Fees for Certain Services

S.P. 987 L.D. 2271

In Senate, April 3, 2024, on motion by Senator **BAILEY** of York, the Minority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (S-655).

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

Joint Orders

(1-3) The following Joint Order:

H.P. 1468

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that "Resolve, to Require the Maine Board of Pharmacy to Review Work Practices and Treatment of Pharmacists," H.P. 173, L.D. 275, and all its accompanying papers, be recalled from the legislative files to the Special Study Table.

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

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

 (1-4) John Williams, of Norway, on his 25 years of service as the Executive Director of the Oxford Hills Chamber of Commerce, in Paris. We extend our appreciation and best wishes; HLS 962

(1-5) Karin Bos and Rick McHale, of Sidney, recipients 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; HLS 963

(1-6) Hope M. Nadeau, of Madison, a senior at Madison Area Memorial High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 964

(1-7) Madelaine Miller, of Norway, a senior at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 965

(1-8) Mackenzie R. Urban, of Jonesport, a senior at Jonesport-Beals High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 966 (1-9) Abby Doughty, of Ashland, a senior at Ashland District School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 967

(1-10) Hannah B. Lovely, of Fort Kent, a senior at Fort Kent Community High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 968

(1-11) Caitlin Sweeney, of Gray, a senior at Gray-New Gloucester High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 971

 (1-12) Hallie Firmage, of Fairfield, a senior at Lawrence High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 972

(1-13) Edward H. Palmer, Sr., of Scarborough, who was named the South Portland Business
Leader of the Year for 2023. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;
HLS 974

(1-14) Dorothy Reynolds Skolfield, of Weld, who is receiving the Boston Post Cane, an honor given to the oldest citizen of a municipality, and is celebrating her 100th birthday on May 14, 2024. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 975

(1-15) Trey A. Reed, of Avon, a senior at Mt. Abram High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;
HLS 976

(1-16) Uliana M. Fournier, of Fairfield, a senior at Winslow High School, who is a recipient of a 2024 Principal's Award for outstanding academic achievement and citizenship, sponsored by the Maine Principals' Association. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 977

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

Joint Resolutions

(1-17) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1475

JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING APRIL 2024 AS SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, sexual assault affects all communities in Maine and people of all races, genders and economic backgrounds, and over 14,000 people in Maine are sexually assaulted each year and one in 5 Maine citizens will experience sexual violence in their lifetimes; and

WHEREAS, the effects of sexual violence have wide-ranging public health ramifications and societal costs, and survivors and their loved ones can experience consequences including mental health crises, substance use disorder, homelessness, lost wages and health care costs, among others; and

WHEREAS, sexual violence affects certain groups more often, and that disproportionate impact is related to historical experiences of marginalization and oppression, providing evidence that sexual assault is a tool of control and power; and

WHEREAS, systems of support for survivors of sexual assault often have inadequate resources, do not provide adequate options for justice and healing and retraumatize survivors; and

WHEREAS, widespread stigma and misconceptions around sexual violence result in low rates of reporting of crimes, increased isolation and shame for victims and the continuation of cultures of violence; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness in our communities about the causes of and solutions to sexual violence can lead to long-term positive cultural and systemic changes, and building a future free from sexual violence requires us to commit to making those changes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Legislature now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize April 2024 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and to express our support for and encouragement of all those affected by sexual violence; and be it further

RESOLVED: That suitable copies of this resolution, duly authenticated by the Secretary of State, be transmitted to the Maine Coalition Against Sexual Assault as a token of our respect and support.

Comes from the House, **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

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

(1-18) Jeanne Bagshaw Raymond, of Lewiston. For over 20 years, Mrs. Raymond was President of the No Name Pond Watershed Management Association. In 2007, the City of Lewiston recognized her for her commitment to the environment. She loved loons and regularly taught local children about them, and she supported the Lewiston Youth Advisory Council. She attended Calvary United Methodist Church. Mrs. Raymond will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

HLS 973

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

COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 1077

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

March 29, 2024

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson President of the Senate of Maine 131st Maine State Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary has had under consideration the nomination of Gordon Kramer of Enfield, for appointment to the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS	Senators	1	Carney, A. of Cumberland
	Representatives	7	Moonen, M. of Portland, Beck, M. of South Portland, Kuhn, A. of Falmouth, Lee, A. of Auburn, Moriarty, S. of Cumberland, Poirier, J. of Skowhegan, Sheehan, E. of Biddeford
NAYS		0	
ABSENT		5	Sen. Bailey, D. of York, Sen. Brakey, E. of Androscoggin, Rep. Andrews, J. of Paris, Rep. Haggan, D. of Hampden, Rep. Henderson, R. of Rumford

Rep. Dana of Passamaquoddy Tribe supports the Committee's recommendation.

Eight members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Gordon Kramer of Enfield, for appointment to the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Anne Carney Senate Chair S/Matt Moonen House Chair

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.C. 1078

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HOUSING

April 9, 2024

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson President of the Senate of Maine 131st Maine State Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Labor and Housing has had under consideration the nomination of Ryan J. Bushey of Houlton, for appointment to the State Workforce Board.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS	Senators	2	Tipping, M. of Penobscot, Pouliot, M. of Kennebec
	Representatives	5	Roeder, A. of Bangor, Bradstreet, D. of Vassalboro, Drinkwater, G. of Milford, Gere, T. of Kennebunkport, Skold, C. of Portland
NAYS		0	
ABSENT		6	Sen. Daughtry, M. of Cumberland, Rep. Galletta, J. of Durham, Rep. Geiger, V. of Rockland, Rep. Malon, M. of Biddeford, Rep. Russell, R. of Verona Island, Rep. Soboleski, M. of Phillips

Seven members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Ryan J. Bushey of Houlton, for appointment to the State Workforce Board be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Michael Tipping Senate Chair

S/Amy Jean Roeder House Chair

ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) Beth Ahearn, of Freeport, on her retirement. Ms. Ahearn has been a staple at the State House for almost 20 years. Most legislators know her as the Director of Government Affairs for Maine Conservation Alliance, Maine Conservation Voters. She has been a force for the protection of our environment, climate and democracy. She oversaw many successful environmental protection efforts, including restoring alewives on the St. Croix Rover, passing the innovative extended producer responsibility for packaging law, funding the Land for Maine's Future program and advancing a suite of climate change policies that will protect Maine's environment for years to come. Ms. Ahearn started as a contract lobbyist with Maine Conservation Alliance, Maine Conservation Voters in 2010 and became a full-time member of the staff in 2012. Prior to her work there, she worked as a lobbyist with Moose Ridge Associates from 2007 to 2011, was a guardian ad litem representing the best interests of children in child protective and divorce proceedings in District Court from 2000 to 2006, was a staff attorney for Maine Audubon from 1991 to 1996 and served as an Assistant District Attorney in both Cumberland and Androscoggin counties from 1988 to 1993. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1801

Sponsored by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, BLACK of Franklin, BRENNER of Cumberland, CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, CAMPBELL of Orrington, CARLOW of Buxton, DOUDERA of Camden, GOLEK of Harpswell, GRAMLICH of Old Orchard Beach.

(4-2) Peggy Gannon, of Saco, who is the recipient of a Certificate of Lifetime Achievement Award from the Maine Health Care Association's Remember ME project, which honors pioneering, innovative and interesting residents living in Maine's long-term care facilities. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1802

Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York. Cosponsored by Representatives: COPELAND of Saco, GATTINE of Westbrook, O'NEIL of Saco.

(4-3) Mya Birchacek, of Orono, who won the K-6 Section of the 2024 Maine Women's and Girls' Chess Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1803

Sponsored by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot. Cosponsored by Representatives: OSHER of Orono, PERRY of Bangor. (4-4) the Cony High School Girls Swim Team, of Augusta, which won the Kennebec Valley Athletic Conference Class A Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1804

Sponsored by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec. Cosponsored by Representatives: BRIDGEO of Augusta, LaROCHELLE of Augusta.

(4-5) Aurora Milton, of Cape Elizabeth, who was named one of three Grand Award winners at the 2024 Maine State Science Fair and will represent Maine at the 2024 International Science and Engineering Fair to be held in Los Angeles, California. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1805

Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland. Cosponsored by Representatives: KESSLER of South Portland, MILLETT of Cape Elizabeth.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Divided Report

(5-1) The Majority of the Committee on **AGRICULTURE**, **CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY** on Bill "An Act to Review State Lands and Waterways That Have Sacred, Traditional or Other Significance to the Wabanaki People"

H.P. 863 L.D. 1349

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-928).

Signed:

Senators:

INGWERSEN of York HICKMAN of Kennebec

Representatives:

PLUECKER of Warren HEPLER of Woolwich JAUCH of Topsham OSHER of Orono SHAW of Auburn

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

Signed:

Senator:

BLACK of Franklin

Representatives:

COSTAIN of Plymouth CRAY of Palmyra GUERRETTE of Caribou HALL of Wilton JACKSON of Oxford

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-928) Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-928).

Divided Report

(5-2) The Majority of the Committee on **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES** on Bill "An Act Regarding Offshore Wind Terminals Located in Coastal Sand Dune Systems" H.P. 1456 L.D. 2266

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment ''A'' (H-887)**.

Signed:

Senators:

BRENNER of Cumberland CARNEY of Cumberland LYFORD of Penobscot

Representatives:

GRAMLICH of Old Orchard Beach BELL of Yarmouth BRIDGEO of Augusta CAMPBELL of Orrington DOUDERA of Camden HOBBS of Wells O'NEIL of Saco WOODSOME of Waterboro

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

Signed:

Representatives: SCHMERSAL-BURGESS of Mexico SOBOLESKI of Phillips

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

Divided Report

(5-3) The Majority of the Committee on LABOR AND HOUSING on Bill "An Act to Establish a State Minimum Hourly Wage for Agricultural Workers"

H.P. 1462 L.D. 2273

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-922)**.

Signed:

Senators:

TIPPING of Penobscot DAUGHTRY of Cumberland

Representatives:

ROEDER of Bangor GEIGER of Rockland GERE of Kennebunkport MALON of Biddeford RUSSELL of Verona Island

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass** as **Amended by Committee Amendment ''B'' (H-923)**.

Signed:

Senator: POULIOT of Kennebec

Representatives:

BRADSTREET of Vassalboro DRINKWATER of Milford SOBOLESKI of Phillips

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-922) Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-922). Senate

Divided Report

(5-4) The Majority of the Committee on **HEALTH COVERAGE**, **INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES** on Bill "An Act to Protect Consumers from Predatory Medical Credit Card Providers"

S.P. 925 L.D. 2174

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

Signed:

Senator:

BRAKEY of Androscoggin

Representatives:

PERRY of Calais CYRWAY of Albion MASTRACCIO of Sanford MORRIS of Turner NUTTING of Oakland SWALLOW of Houlton

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass** as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-678).

Signed:

Senators:

BAILEY of York RENY of Lincoln

Representatives:

ARFORD of Brunswick CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham MATHIESON of Kittery PRINGLE of Windham (5-5) The Majority of the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act to Amend the Law Governing the Disposition of Forfeited Firearms"

S.P. 879 L.D. 2086

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment** "A" (S-679).

Signed:

Senators:

CARNEY of Cumberland BAILEY of York

Representatives:

MOONEN of Portland BECK of South Portland KUHN of Falmouth LEE of Auburn MORIARTY of Cumberland SHEEHAN of Biddeford

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

Signed:

Senator: BRAKEY of Androscoggin

Representatives:

ANDREWS of Paris HAGGAN of Hampden HENDERSON of Rumford POIRIER of Skowhegan

(Representative DANA of the Passamaquoddy Tribe - of the House - supports the Minority **Ought Not To Pass** Report.)

Divided Report

(5-6) The Majority of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Establish the Maine Buy American and Build Maine Act"

S.P. 812 L.D. 1983

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment ''A'' (S-677)**.

Signed:

Senators:

NANGLE of Cumberland BALDACCI of Penobscot

Representatives:

STOVER of Boothbay ABDI of Lewiston COPELAND of Saco DHALAC of South Portland SINCLAIR of Bath

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

Signed:

Representatives:

ADAMS of Lebanon GREENWOOD of Wales POMERLEAU of Standish UNDERWOOD of Presque Isle

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 RESOLUTION - Memorializing Andrew Roosevelt Mantis, of Biddeford SLS 1634

Tabled - March 21, 2024 by Senator INGWERSEN of York

Pending - ADOPTION

2.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT AND BUSINESS on Bill "An Act to Ensure That Residents of the State Have the Right to Repair Their Own Electronic Devices"

S.P. 608 L.D. 1487

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-615) (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-616) (6 members)

Tabled - March 28, 2024 by Senator CURRY of Waldo

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **LABOR AND HOUSING** on Bill "An Act to Improve Labor Conditions for Maine Workers"

S.P. 180 L.D. 373

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-618) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (4 members)

Tabled - April 1, 2024 by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot

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

4.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT RESOLUTION - Memorializing Linda L. Bean, of St. George SLS 1756

Tabled - April 2, 2024 by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin

Pending - ADOPTION

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act to Provide Funding to Rebuild Infrastructure Affected by Extreme Inland and Coastal Weather Events" (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1426 L.D. 2225

Report "A" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-894) (8 members)

Report "B" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-895) (3 members)

Report "C" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "C" (H-896) (2 members)

Tabled - April 2, 2024 by Senator **STEWART** of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator **ROTUNDO** of Androscoggin to **ACCEPT** Report "A" **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-894) in concurrence

(In House, Report "A", OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-894), READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-894).)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **TAXATION** on Bill "An Act to Change How Adult Use Cannabis Excise Tax Is Calculated"

H.P. 901 L.D. 1405

Report "A" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-834) (7 members)

Report "B" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-835) (2 members)

Report "C" - Ought Not to Pass (2 members)

Tabled - April 3, 2024 by Senator GROHOSKI of Hancock

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF ANY REPORT

(In House, Report "A", OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-834), READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-834).)

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **TAXATION** on Bill "An Act to Amend Maine's Tax Laws"

S.P. 211 L.D. 457

Report "A" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-643) (7 members)

Report "B" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-644) (3 members)

Report "C" - Ought Not to Pass (1 member)

Tabled - April 3, 2024 by Senator **GROHOSKI** of Hancock

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF ANY REPORT

8.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **HEALTH COVERAGE, INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES** on Bill "An Act to Provide Relief to Federal Employees Affected by a Federal Shutdown" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 906 L.D. 2113

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-647) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - April 3, 2024 by Senator **VITELLI** of Sagadahoc

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Bill "An Act Regarding the Future of Renewable Energy Transmission in Northern Maine" S.P. 799 L.D. 1963

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-652) (8 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-653) (5 members)

Tabled - April 3, 2024 by Senator **LAWRENCE** of York

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT the Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-652) Report

10.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on LABOR AND HOUSING on Bill "An Act to Remove the Waiting Period for Benefits Under Maine's Unemployment Insurance System" S.P. 583 L.D. 1464

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-656) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (3 members)

Tabled - April 3, 2024 by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act Regarding Quality of Care and the Board of Trustees at the Maine Veterans' Homes H.P. 1418 L.D. 2211 (C "A" H-882)

Tabled - April 9, 2024 by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec

Pending - ENACTMENT in concurrence

(In House, PASSED TO BE ENACTED.)

12.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act to Clarify Licensing Criteria and Criminal History Record Check and Notification Requirements for Adult Use Cannabis Establishments

> H.P. 1379 L.D. 2155 (C "A" H-878)

Tabled - April 9, 2024 by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec

Pending - ENACTMENT in concurrence

(In Senate, April 9, 2024, on motion by Senator **HICKMAN** of Kennebec the Senate **RECONSIDERED** whereby the bill **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

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

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY on Bill "An Act to Respect and Protect the Right to Food" S.P. 739 L.D. 1823

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-673) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - April 9, 2024 by Senator STEWART of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator **INGWERSEN** of York to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report

SPECIAL STUDY TABLE

1.

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Task Force to Study Barriers to Achieving Behavioral Health Integration and Parity

> H.P. 829 L.D. 1304 (C "A" H-220)

Tabled - June 6, 2023 by Senator **DAUGHTRY** of Cumberland

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in NON-CONCURRENCE

(CARRIED OVER, pursuant to Joint Order SP 847.)

2.

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Blue Ribbon Commission to Make Recommendations on the Continuum of Long-term Care Options

S.P. 743 L.D. 1827 (C "A" S-521)

Tabled - February 27, 2024 by Senator **VITELLI** of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish a Task Force to Study Sharing the Costs of Training First Responders Among Governmental Entities

H.P. 905 L.D. 1409 (C "A" H-814)

Tabled - March 20, 2024 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence

4.

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Improve Tenant-Landlord Relationships and Maximize the Use of Housing Vouchers

H.P. 1099 L.D. 1710 (C "A" H-821)

Tabled - March 20, 2024 by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence

5.

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Evaluate the Requirements for Licensing of Social Workers

H.P. 1273 L.D. 1990 (C "A" H-822)

Tabled - March 26, 2024 by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence

Emergency

Resolve, to Reestablish the Task Force on Accessibility to Appropriate Communication Methods for Deaf and Hard-of-hearing Patients

H.P. 1446 L.D. 2255 (C "A" H-886)

Tabled - April 3, 2024 by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE

L.D. 25 - S.P. 17 (C "A" S-513) L.D. 56 - H.P. 31 (C "A" H-9) L.D. 70 - H.P. 45 (C "A" H-24) L.D. 93 - H.P. 61 (C "A" H-701) L.D. 111 - H.P. 79 (C "A" H-671) L.D. 113 - H.P. 81 (C "A" H-26) L.D. 142 - H.P. 88 (C "A" H-51) L.D. 143 - H.P. 89 (C "A" H-6) L.D. 154 - H.P. 95 (C "A" H-153) L.D. 185 - S.P. 89 (C "A" S-201) L.D. 186 - S.P. 90 (C "A" S-89) L.D. 208 - H.P. 129 (C "A" H-427) L.D. 210 - H.P. 131 (C "A" H-10) L.D. 220 - H.P. 141 (C "A" H-224) L.D. 223 - H.P. 144 (C "A" H-253) L.D. 225 - H.P. 146 (C "A" H-118) L.D. 226 - H.P. 147 (C "A" H-673) L.D. 254 - S.P. 120 (C "A" S-537) L.D. 262 - H.P. 167 (C "A" H-796) L.D. 265 - H.P. 170 (C "A" H-23) L.D. 273 - H.P. 171 (C "A" H-329) L.D. 280 - H.P. 178 (C "A" H-109) L.D. 284 - H.P. 182 (C "A" H-783) L.D. 287 - H.P. 185 (C "A" H-47; H "A" H-64 to C "A" H-47) L.D. 288 - H.P. 186 (C "A" H-804) L.D. 332 - S.P. 153 (C "A" S-628) L.D. 335 - S.P. 156 (C "A" S-101) L.D. 348 - H.P. 222 (C "A" H-449) L.D. 355 - S.P. 162 (C "A" S-47) L.D. 361 - S.P. 168 (C "A" S-254) L.D. 426 - H.P. 259 (C "A" H-507) L.D. 445 - S.P. 200 (C "A" S-94) L.D. 447 - S.P. 202 (C "A" S-58) L.D. 471 - H.P. 288 (C "A" H-872) L.D. 472 - H.P. 289 (C "A" H-302) L.D. 473 - H.P. 290 (C "A" H-501) L.D. 504 - S.P. 221 (C "A" S-96) L.D. 505 - S.P. 222 (C "A" S-22) L.D. 512 - S.P. 229 (C "A" S-167) L.D. 536 - H.P. 341 (C "A" H-129) L.D. 539 - H.P. 344 (C "A" H-138) L.D. 540 - H.P. 345 (C "A" H-137) L.D. 566 - S.P. 237 (C "A" S-56) L.D. 568 - S.P. 239 (C "A" S-11) L.D. 577 - S.P. 245 (C "A" S-252) L.D. 579 - S.P. 247 (C "A" S-519) L.D. 580 - S.P. 248 (C "A" S-84) L.D. 587 - S.P. 255 (C "A" S-131) L.D. 591 - S.P. 259 (C "A" S-374) L.D. 599 - H.P. 376 (C "A" H-301) L.D. 602 - H.P. 379 (C "A" H-789) L.D. 610 - H.P. 387 (C "A" H-379) L.D. 632 - H.P. 409 (C "A" H-156) L.D. 659 - H.P. 428 (C "A" H-558) L.D. 666 - H.P. 435 (C "A" H-151) L.D. 669 - H.P. 438 (C "A" H-247) L.D. 695 - H.P. 464 (C "A" H-234) L.D. 741 - S.P. 299 (C "A" S-200) L.D. 787 - S.P. 346 (C "A" S-287) L.D. 791 - S.P. 350 (C "A" S-26) L.D. 794 - S.P. 353 (C "A" S-51) L.D. 808 - H.P. 497 (C "A" H-860) L.D. 816 - H.P. 505 (C "A" H-81)

L.D. 827 - H.P. 516 (C "A" H-322) L.D. 829 - H.P. 518 (C "A" H-287) L.D. 838 - H.P. 527 (C "A" H-807) L.D. 840 - H.P. 529 (C "A" H-344) L.D. 857 - S.P. 354 (C "A" S-632) L.D. 871 - S.P. 368 (C "A" S-172) L.D. 904 - H.P. 560 (C "A" H-343) L.D. 907 - H.P. 563 (C "A" H-496) L.D. 936 - H.P. 583 (C "A" H-255) L.D. 938 - H.P. 585 (C "A" H-181) L.D. 949 - H.P. 596 (C "A" H-173; H "A" H-575 to C "A" H-173) L.D. 988 - S.P. 407 (C "A" S-62) L.D. 993 - H.P. 628 (C "A" H-143) L.D. 997 - H.P. 633 (C "A" H-342) L.D. 999 - H.P. 635 (C "A" H-481) L.D. 1006 - H.P. 642 (C "A" H-358) L.D. 1009 - H.P. 645 (C "A" H-775) L.D. 1021 - H.P. 657 (C "A" H-74) L.D. 1028 - H.P. 664 (C "A" H-269) L.D. 1064 - S.P. 433 (C "A" S-176) L.D. 1096 - H.P. 691 (C "A" H-313) L.D. 1100 - H.P. 695 (C "A" H-448; S "A" S-337 to C "A" H-448) L.D. 1107 - H.P. 703 (C "A" H-134) L.D. 1128 - S.P. 465 (C "A" S-236) L.D. 1139 - S.P. 466 (C "A" S-406) L.D. 1152 - S.P. 479 (C "A" S-592) L.D. 1153 - H.P. 725 (C "A" H-855) L.D. 1161 - H.P. 733 (C "A" H-440) L.D. 1162 - H.P. 734 (C "A" H-78) L.D. 1177 - H.P. 749 (C "A" H-472) L.D. 1178 - H.P. 750 (C "A" H-136) L.D. 1184 - S.P. 480 (C "A" S-593) L.D. 1190 - S.P. 486 (C "A" S-377) L.D. 1227 - H.P. 775 (C "A" H-437) L.D. 1234 - H.P. 782 (C "A" H-454) L.D. 1236 - H.P. 784 (C "A" H-495) L.D. 1258 - H.P. 806 (C "A" H-215) L.D. 1276 - S.P. 513 (C "A" S-370) L.D. 1285 - S.P. 522 (C "A" S-141) L.D. 1301 - H.P. 826 (C "A" H-551) L.D. 1303 - H.P. 828 (C "A" H-524; S "A" S-334 to C "A" H-524) L.D. 1305 - H.P. 830 (C "A" H-457) L.D. 1333 - H.P. 847 (C "A" H-325) L.D. 1375 - H.P. 889 (C "A" H-308) L.D. 1376 - H.P. 890 (C "A" H-178) L.D. 1384 - S.P. 549 (C "A" S-402) L.D. 1402 - H.P. 897 (C "A" H-859) L.D. 1412 - H.P. 908 (C "A" H-560) L.D. 1421 - H.P. 917 (C "A" H-756) L.D. 1422 - H.P. 918 (C "A" H-239) L.D. 1424 - H.P. 920 (C "A" H-769) L.D. 1441 - H.P. 937 (C "A" H-175) L.D. 1442 - H.P. 938 (C "A" H-662) L.D. 1450 - S.P. 568 (C "A" S-289) L.D. 1475 - S.P. 595 (C "A" S-401) L.D. 1478 - S.P. 598 (C "A" S-401) L.D. 1478 - S.P. 598 (C "A" S-122) L.D. 1488 - H.P. 943 (C "A" H-583) L.D. 1491 - H.P. 946 (C "A" H-351) L.D. 1492 - H.P. 947 (C "A" H-587) L.D. 1493 - H.P. 948 (C "A" H-646) L.D. 1506 - H.P. 961 (C "A" H-209)

L.D. 1510 - H.P. 965 (C "A" H-413) L.D. 1514 - H.P. 969 (C "A" H-824) L.D. 1520 - H.P. 975 (C "A" H-330) L.D. 1527 - H.P. 982 (C "A" H-268) L.D. 1529 - H.P. 984 (C "A" H-569) L.D. 1535 - H.P. 990 (C "A" H-600) L.D. 1540 - H.P. 992 (C "A" H-579) L.D. 1558 - H.P. 1003 (C "A" H-425) L.D. 1573 - H.P. 1018 (C "A" H-584) L.D. 1584 - H.P. 1029 (C "A" H-649) L.D. 1621 - H.P. 1046 (C "A" H-318) L.D. 1664 - S.P. 669 (C "A" S-209; H "A" H-535 to C "A" S-209) L.D. 1666 - S.P. 671 (C "A" S-363) L.D. 1667 - H.P. 1065 (C "A" H-875) L.D. 1668 - H.P. 1066 (C "A" H-361) L.D. 1682 - H.P. 1081 (C "A" H-314) L.D. 1684 - H.P. 1083 (C "A" H-206) L.D. 1691 - S.P. 678 (C "A" S-422) L.D. 1712 - H.P. 1101 (C "A" H-619) L.D. 1714 - H.P. 1103 (C "A" H-620) L.D. 1718 - H.P. 1107 (C "A" H-450) L.D. 1720 - S.P. 683 (C "A" S-316) L.D. 1751 - S.P. 696 (C "A" S-573) L.D. 1752 - S.P. 697 (C "A" S-578) L.D. 1755 - S.P. 701 (C "A" S-315) L.D. 1760 - S.P. 707 (C "A" S-199) L.D. 1761 - S.P. 708 (C "A" S-198) L.D. 1769 - H.P. 1133 (C "A" H-332) L.D. 1773 - H.P. 1136 (C "A" H-762) L.D. 1779 - H.P. 1142 (C "A" H-869) L.D. 1787 - H.P. 1150 (C "A" H-786) L.D. 1792 - S.P. 717 (C "A" S-364) L.D. 1797 - S.P. 722 (C "A" S-417) L.D. 1817 - S.P. 732 (C "A" S-192; S "A" S-261 to C "A" S-192) L.D. 1829 - S.P. 745 (C "A" S-613) L.D. 1834 - H.P. 1166 (C "A" H-809) L.D. 1837 - H.P. 1169 (C "A" H-486) L.D. 1857 - H.P. 1187 (C "A" H-539; H "A" H-571 to C "A" H-539) L.D. 1858 - H.P. 1188 (C "A" H-405) L.D. 1863 - H.P. 1193 (C "A" H-621) L.D. 1867 - H.P. 1197 (C "A" H-751) L.D. 1886 - S.P. 759 (C "A" S-517) L.D. 1903 - H.P. 1218 (C "A" H-778) L.D. 1908 - H.P. 1224 (C "A" H-781; H "A" H-818 to C "A" H-781)

L.D. 1935 - H.P. 1243 (C "A" H-375) L.D. 1942 - S.P. 791 (C "A" S-393) L.D. 1958 - H.P. 1260 (C "A" H-610) L.D. 1966 - H.P. 1263 (C "A" H-753) L.D. 1978 - H.P. 1271 (C "A" H-777) L.D. 1981 - S.P. 810 (C "A" S-544; S "A" S-557 to C "A" S-544) L.D. 1997 - S.P. 822 (C "A" S-594) L.D. 2001 - H.P. 1279 (C "A" H-763) L.D. 2002 - H.P. 1280 (C "A" H-856) L.D. 2006 - S.P. 828 (C "A" S-606) L.D. 2042 - H.P. 1304 (C "A" H-861) L.D. 2061 - H.P. 1323 (C "A" H-733) L.D. 2084 - S.P. 877 (C "A" S-539) L.D. 2090 - S.P. 883 (C "A" S-605) L.D. 2092 - S.P. 885 (C "A" S-626) L.D. 2093 - S.P. 886 (C "A" S-516) L.D. 2097 - S.P. 890 (C "A" S-609) L.D. 2103 - S.P. 896 (C "A" S-527) L.D. 2105 - S.P. 898 (C "A" S-614) L.D. 2106 - S.P. 899 (C "A" S-567) L.D. 2109 - S.P. 902 (C "A" S-564) L.D. 2112 - S.P. 905 (C "A" S-580) L.D. 2118 - S.P. 914 (C "A" S-608) L.D. 2120 - H.P. 1344 (C "A" H-863) L.D. 2125 - H.P. 1349 (C "A" H-782) L.D. 2136 - H.P. 1360 (C "A" H-862) L.D. 2141 - H.P. 1365 (C "A" H-773) L.D. 2142 - H.P. 1366 (C "A" H-765) L.D. 2143 - H.P. 1367 (C "A" H-866) L.D. 2144 - H.P. 1368 (C "A" H-839) L.D. 2145 - H.P. 1369 (C "A" H-864) L.D. 2152 - H.P. 1376 (C "A" H-808) L.D. 2166 - H.P. 1386 (C "A" H-874) L.D. 2176 - S.P. 927 (C "A" S-575) L.D. 2180 - H.P. 1395 (C "A" H-858) L.D. 2188 - H.P. 1402 (C "A" H-810) L.D. 2197 - H.P. 1408 (C "A" H-888) L.D. 2210 - H.P. 1417 (C "A" H-877) L.D. 2212 - H.P. 1419 (C "A" H-876) L.D. 2217 - S.P. 948 (C "A" S-571; S "A" S-585 to C "A" S-571) L.D. 2237 - H.P. 1437 (C "A" H-840) L.D. 2243 - S.P. 965 (C "A" S-631) L.D. 2256 - H.P. 1447 (C "A" H-845) L.D. 2263 - H.P. 1453

SPECIAL HIGHWAY TABLE

L.D. 1640 - S.P. 657 (C "A" S-546) L.D. 2276 - H.P. 1463