STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION SENATE ADVANCED JOURNAL AND CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

SUPPLEMENT NO. 7

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-1) Noah Hurd, of Waldo, a student at Mount View High School and a member of the boys basketball team, who recently scored his 1,000th career point. We extend our congratulations and best wishes:

HLS 900

(1-2) Rick Raynes, of Berwick, who has been named Berwick's 2024 Citizen of the Year for his selfless contributions to the youth of his community and to the advancement and success of Scouting. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 906

(1-3) John Scott Davis, of West Bath, on his retirement from the City of Bath after many years of public service. From October 1985 to April 2024, Mr. Davis served the city in a number of roles, including as Assistant Codes Enforcement Officer, Codes Enforcement Officer, City Fire Inspector, Local Health Officer, Building Inspector, Plumbing Inspector, Electrical Inspector, Mechanical Inspector, Zoning Administrator, Assistant Welfare Director and ADA Coordinator. He has been a member of the Maine Building Officials and Inspectors Association for over 30 years, serving the association in a number of capacities, and was named 2020 Member of the Year. He served on a task force for developing the State's first codes enforcement certification tests and taught codes enforcement certification classes for the State. He received an honorary lifetime state certification as a codes enforcement officer. He also served on the Bath Regional Vocational Center committee for the building trades. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1017

(1-4) the Oak Hill High School Academic Decathlon Team, of Wales, which won the State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1047

(1-5) the Oak Hill High School Future Business Leaders of America, of Wales, which won the State Championship, the chapter's 26th consecutive state title. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1048

(1-6) Ezekiel R. Delorme, of Monmouth, a senior at Monmouth Academy, 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 1049

(1-7) Paul Castonguay, of Waterville, who has received the Municipal Employee of the Year Award from the Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1050

(1-8) Emalee Hall, of Winslow, who has received the Rising Star Award from the Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1051

(1-9) Sarah M. Chase, of Bethel, a senior at Telstar Regional 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 1052

(1-10) Carla Caron, of Winslow, who works for the Waterville Soup Kitchen, and who has received the Exceptional Volunteer Award from the Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1053

(1-11) the Edward Little/Leavitt/Poland Boys Swim Team, of Auburn, which won the Kennebec Valley Athletic Conference Class A Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes:

HLS 1054

(1-12) Joshua Placides, of Rockland, 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;

HLS 1055

(1-13) Eli Farias, of Gardiner, a student at Gardiner Area High School, who won both the Class A North and Class A State Boys Wrestling Championships in the 132-pound Weight Class. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 1056

(1-14) Douglas Clark, of Farmingdale, on his retirement as Wastewater Director for the City of Gardiner after 27 years of public service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 1057

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

Joint Resolution

Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

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

(1-15) Michele Ann MacLean, of Freeport. Ms. MacLean began her professional career as a real estate paralegal with the Augusta law firm of Sanborn, Moreshead, Schade and Gifford. She next joined attorney Linda Gifford at her firm, where she became an integral part of the firm's real estate practice. During this period, she first became acquainted with government affairs, working on behalf of the Maine Association of Realtors. She went on to establish her own government affairs consulting practice, known as Capitol Strategies, which she ran successfully for more than 20 years, serving clients in a number of industries, including paper and forest products, telecommunications and electric utilities, pharmaceuticals and electronic gaming. Ms. MacLean will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family and friends and all those whose lives she touched;

HLS 1058

Comes from the House READ and ADOPTED .	