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(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.P. 149

**STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

February 4, 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 February 4, 2021, 16 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 February 4, 2021, as follows:

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill "An Act To Make Certain Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 129) (L.D. 304) (Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland)

Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Issuance of Bonds" (S.P. 146) (L.D. 339) (Sponsored by Senator MIRAMANT of Knox)

Education and Cultural Affairs

Bill "An Act To Advance Career and Technical Education Opportunities in Maine" (S.P. 140) (L.D. 313) (Sponsored by Senator WOODSOME of York) (Cosponsored by Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford and Senators: BLACK of Franklin, POULIOT of Kennebec, DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, LIBBY of Androscoggin, DIAMOND of Cumberland, Representatives: DUNPHY of Old Town, HARRINGTON of Sanford, WHITE of Waterville)

Energy, Utilities and Technology

Bill "An Act To Encourage Research To Support the Maine Offshore Wind Industry" (S.P. 142) (L.D. 336) (Sponsored by Senator LAWRENCE of York)

Bill "An Act Regarding Energy, Utilities and Technology" (S.P. 143) (L.D. 337) (Sponsored by Senator LAWRENCE of York)

Bill "An Act To Allow for the Establishment of Commercial Property Assessed Clean Energy Programs" (S.P. 147) (L.D. 340) (Sponsored by Senator SANBORN of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative KESSLER of South Portland and Senators: MIRAMANT of Knox, LUCHINI of Hancock, Representatives: BERRY of Bowdoinham, CAIAZZO of Scarborough, DOUDERA of Camden, GROHOSKI of Ellsworth)

Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

Bill "An Act To Require a Nonresident To Hire a Licensed Maine Guide To Hunt Big Game" (S.P. 135) (L.D. 309) (Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Representative MARTIN of Eagle Lake and Senators: DAVIS of Piscataquis, BLACK of Franklin, DILL of Penobscot, Representative: MARTIN of Sinclair)

Judiciary

Bill "An Act To Establish Equitable Education Requirements for Judges" (S.P. 136) (L.D. 310) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York) (Cosponsored by Senator: KEIM of Oxford, Representative: MILLETT of Waterford)

Labor and Housing

Bill "An Act To Include Forest Rangers and Forest Fire Prevention Specialists in the Bureau of Forestry's Forest Protection Unit in the Laws Concerning Cancer Suffered by Firefighters" (S.P. 131) (L.D. 305) (Sponsored by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec) (Cosponsored by Senators: DAVIS of Piscataquis, DESCHAMBAULT of York, WOODSOME of York, CURRY of Waldo, DIAMOND of Cumberland, MIRAMANT of Knox, Representatives: STEARNS of Guilford, NADEAU of Winslow)

Bill "An Act To Address the Windfall Elimination Provision" (S.P. 148) (L.D. 341) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Representative HANLEY of Pittston and Senator: RAFFERTY of York, Representatives: COLLINGS of Portland, BRADSTREET of Vassalboro)

Marine Resources

Bill "An Act To Amend the Law Governing the Maine Lobster Marketing Collaborative" (S.P. 145) (L.D. 338) (Sponsored by Senator MIRAMANT of Knox) (Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 204.)

Taxation

Bill "An Act To Promote Research and Development in the State by Increasing and Marketing the Research Expense Tax Credit" (S.P. 134) (L.D. 308) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Representative HANLEY of Pittston and Senator: POULIOT of Kennebec, Representatives: COLLINGS of Portland, CARMICHAEL of Greenbush, BICKFORD of Auburn)

Transportation

Bill "An Act To Require Third-party Certification for Persons Undertaking Corrosion Prevention and Mitigation Projects for Public Water Supply and Wastewater Infrastructure and Bridges" (S.P. 137) (L.D. 311) (Sponsored by Senator CHIPMAN of Cumberland)

Bill "An Act To Extend the Use of Maine Bicentennial Registration Plates through 2021" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 138) (L.D. 312) (Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin)

Veterans and Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act To Temporarily Waive Certain Requirements for Relicensing for Restaurants That Serve Liquor" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 132) (L.D. 306) (Sponsored by Senator LUCHINI of Hancock) (Cosponsored by Senator: President JACKSON of Aroostook, Representative: CAIAZZO of Scarborough)

Bill "An Act To Expand the Market for Maine Liquor Manufacturers" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 133) (L.D. 307) (Sponsored by Senator LUCHINI of Hancock)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.P. 153

**STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

February 5, 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 February 5, 2021, 1 bill was received by the Secretary of the Senate.

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 308.2, this bill was referred to a Joint Standing Committee on February 5, 2021, as follows:

Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Bill "An Act To Require Timely Billing for Health Care Services" (S.P. 150) (L.D. 367)
(Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin) (Cosponsored by Representative BLIER of
Buxton and Senators: President JACKSON of Aroostook, SANBORN of Cumberland, MOORE
of Washington, MAXMIN of Lincoln, CURRY of Waldo, LUCHINI of Hancock)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-3) The Following Communication:

S.P. 170

**STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

February 8, 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 February 8, 2021, 14 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 February 8, 2021, as follows:

Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Bill "An Act To Reduce from 8 Weeks to 6 Weeks the Age at Which a Rabbit May be Sold" (S.P. 169) (L.D. 381) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Representative KINNEY of Knox)

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill "An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue To Upgrade and Replace Infrastructure of the Maine Public Broadcasting Corporation" (S.P. 155) (L.D. 370) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York)

Bill "An Act To Make Adjustments to General Fund Appropriations Related to the Supplemental Budget" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 157) (L.D. 371) (Sponsored by Senator BREEN of Cumberland)

Bill "An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue To Invest in Maine's Railroad Infrastructure" (S.P. 159) (L.D. 373) (Sponsored by Senator CLAXTON of Androscoggin) (Cosponsored by Senator: CHIPMAN of Cumberland, Representatives: MELARAGNO of Auburn, CLOUTIER of Lewiston, WHITE of Waterville, CRAVEN of Lewiston)

Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Bill "An Act To Criminalize Recording an Incident in Progress but Failing To Report the Incident Immediately to the Appropriate Authority" (S.P. 152) (L.D. 369) (Sponsored by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec)

Education and Cultural Affairs

Bill "An Act To Change the Statutory Cap on Virtual Public Charter School Enrollment" (S.P. 168) (L.D. 380) (Sponsored by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec)

Health and Human Services

Bill "An Act To Provide Maine Children Access to Affordable Health Care" (S.P. 158) (L.D. 372) (Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative MILLETT of Waterford and Senators: BREEN of Cumberland, CLAXTON of Androscoggin, Representatives: MILLETT of Cape Elizabeth, MEYER of Eliot)

Resolve, To Increase Certain Chiropractic Reimbursement Rates under the MaineCare Program (S.P. 164) (L.D. 376) (Sponsored by Senator LAWRENCE of York)

Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Proof of Financial Responsibility with Respect to Motor Vehicles" (S.P. 151) (L.D. 368) (Sponsored by Senator SANBORN of Cumberland) (Submitted by the Secretary of State pursuant to Joint Rule 204.)

Innovation, Development, Economic Advancement and Business

Bill "An Act To Allow Veterans, Active Duty Service Members and Their Spouses To Apply for Temporary Occupational Licenses and Certifications" (S.P. 160) (L.D. 374) (Sponsored by Senator CURRY of Waldo) (Cosponsored by Representative ZEIGLER of Montville and Senators: VITELLI of Sagadahoc, CLAXTON of Androscoggin, BRENNER of Cumberland, RAFFERTY of York, LUCHINI of Hancock, Representative: BAILEY of Gorham)

State and Local Government

Bill "An Act To Create Greater Accountability in the Office of County Sheriff" (S.P. 163) (L.D. 375) (Sponsored by Senator KEIM of Oxford) (Cosponsored by Representative EVANGELOS of Friendship and Senators: DAVIS of Piscataquis, CYRWAY of Kennebec, BALDACCI of Penobscot)

Bill "An Act To Allow Public Members of the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission To Receive Reimbursement for Travel Expenses" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 165) (L.D. 377) (Sponsored by Senator LAWRENCE of York) (Cosponsored by Representative MARTIN of Eagle Lake)

Bill "An Act To Establish the Maine State Cemetery Commission" (S.P. 167) (L.D. 379) (Sponsored by Senator MIRAMANT of Knox)

Veterans and Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act To Temporarily Waive Renewal Fees for On-premises Retail Liquor Licenses" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 166) (L.D. 378) (Sponsored by Senator LUCHINI of Hancock) (Cosponsored by Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford and Senators: President JACKSON of

Aroostook, FARRIN of Somerset, CURRY of Waldo, Representatives: CAIAZZO of Scarborough, WILLIAMS of Bar Harbor)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-4) The Following Communication:

S.P. 176

**STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

February 9, 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 February 9, 2021, 5 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 February 9, 2021, as follows:

Energy, Utilities and Technology

Bill "An Act Relating to Solar Energy Installation" (S.P. 174) (L.D. 426) (Sponsored by Senator LAWRENCE of York)

Bill "An Act Regarding Solar Project Licensing" (S.P. 175) (L.D. 427) (Sponsored by Senator LUCHINI of Hancock)

Health and Human Services

Bill "An Act To Improve Access to Bariatric Care in Nursing Homes" (S.P. 171) (L.D. 423) (Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot)

Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Bill "An Act To Restore Short-term Health Insurance" (S.P. 172) (L.D. 424) (Sponsored by Senator BENNETT of Oxford)

Labor and Housing

Resolve, Directing the Department of Labor To Establish a State Unemployment Program for Self-employed Workers and Independent Contractors (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 173) (L.D. 425) (Sponsored by Senator CURRY of Waldo) (Cosponsored by Senators: VITELLI of Sagadahoc, BALDACCI of Penobscot, Representative: CUDDY of Winterport)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-5) The Following Communication:

S.P. 188

**STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

February 11, 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 February 11, 2021, 7 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 February 11, 2021, as follows:

Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Bill "An Act To Establish the Maine Healthy Soils Program" (S.P. 179) (L.D. 437) (Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative OSHER of Orono and Senator: MAXMIN of Lincoln, Representative: PLUECKER of Warren)

Bill "An Act To Require Legislative Approval for Certain Leases of Public Lands" (S.P. 177) (L.D. 471) (Sponsored by Senator BLACK of Franklin) (Cosponsored by Senator: BENNETT of Oxford, Representative: O'NEIL of Saco)

Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Bill "An Act To Increase Public Safety by Adding a Position to the Computer Crimes Unit of the Maine State Police" (S.P. 181) (L.D. 438) (Sponsored by Senator DIAMOND of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative COREY of Windham and Senators: CYRWAY of Kennebec, BALDACCI of Penobscot, Representative: WHITE of Waterville)

Bill "An Act To Amend the Provisions Concerning the Crime of Gross Sexual Assault" (S.P. 182) (L.D. 439) (Sponsored by Senator MAXMIN of Lincoln) (Cosponsored by Representatives: WARREN of Hallowell, MORALES of South Portland, PLUECKER of Warren)

Education and Cultural Affairs

Bill "An Act To Conserve the Frances Perkins Homestead National Historic Landmark" (S.P. 183) (L.D. 440) (Sponsored by Senator MAXMIN of Lincoln) (Cosponsored by Representative CRAFTS of Newcastle and Senator: President JACKSON of Aroostook, Representatives: Speaker FECTION of Biddeford, PIERCE of Falmouth, RECKITT of South Portland, CLOUTIER of Lewiston, STOVER of Boothbay, ZAGER of Portland, CRAVEN of Lewiston)

Environment and Natural Resources

Bill "An Act Regarding the Authority of the Department of Environmental Protection Regarding Applications, Permits and Fines" (S.P. 178) (L.D. 436) (Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland) (Submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to Joint Rule 204.)

Taxation

Bill "An Act To Allow a Veteran Who Was a Member of the Military Reserves or Served in the National Guard To Qualify for the Veterans' Property Tax Exemption" (S.P. 187) (L.D. 470) (Sponsored by Senator DAVIS of Piscataquis)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-6) The Following Communication:

S.C. 138

**THE STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 28, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0002

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to our authority under Title 12, Chapter 619, Subchapter 2, §6447 of the Maine Revised Statutes, we are pleased to reappoint the following members to the Lobster Management Policy Council:

Senator Eloise Vitelli of Arrowsic
Senator Dave Miramant of Camden
Representative Robert Alley of Beal
Representative Lydia Blume of York
Representative Joyce McCreight of Harpswell
Representative Hutchins of Penobscot

Should you have questions regarding these reappointments, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

S/Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-7) The Following Communication:

S.C. 139

**THE STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 28, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0002

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to our authority under Title 12, Chapter 619, Subchapter 2, §6447 of the Maine Revised Statutes, we are pleased to appoint Representative Lynne Williams of Bar Harbor to the Lobster Management Policy Council.

Should you have questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

S/Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-8) The Following Communication:

S.C. 140

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 8, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 1, MRSA, Ch. 13, Subchapter 1, §411.2-B, I am pleased to reappoint James Campbell of Searsport to the Right to Know Advisory Committee.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-9) The Following Communication:

S.C. 141

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 8, 2021
Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0003

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, Chapter 371-A § 7030 of the Maine Revised Statutes, I am pleased to reappoint the following to the Permanent Commission on the Status of Women, effective immediately:

Hon. Meredith Strang Burgess of Cumberland
Sue Mackey Andrews of Dover-Foxcroft

If you have any questions regarding these reappointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-10) The Following Communication:

S.C. 142

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 8, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 3, MRSA, Ch. 10, §227, I am pleased to reappoint Representatives Kathleen Dillingham of Oxford to the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission, effective immediately.

Should you have any questions regarding this reappointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-11) The Following Communication:

S.C. 150

**THE STATE OF MAINE
130TH LEGISLATURE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 8, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to our authority under MRSA Title 3, Chapter 31, §901-A, we are pleased to appoint the Honorable Gay Grant of Gardiner to the State House and Capitol Park Commission.

Should you have questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

S/Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-12) The Following Communication:

S.C. 151

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Melanie Sachs of Freeport and Representative Richard Bradstreet of Vassalboro to the Building, Infrastructure and Housing Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-13) The Following Communication:

S.C. 152

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Lydia Blume of York and Representative William Tuell of East Machias to the Coastal and Marine Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-14) The Following Communication:

S.C. 153

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Genevieve McDonald of Stonington and Representative Beth O'Connor of Berwick to the Community Resilience Planning Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-15) The Following Communication:

S.C. 154

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Seth Berry of Bowdoinham and Representative Steven Foster of Dexter to the Energy Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-16) The Following Communication:

S.C. 155

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Rachel Talbot Ross of Portland and Representative Thomas Martin, Jr. of Greene to the Equity Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-17) The Following Communication:

S.C. 156

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
32 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Nicole Grohoski of Ellsworth and Representative Amanda Collamore of Pittsfield to the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-18) The Following Communication:

S.C. 157

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Lynne Williams of Bar Harbor to the Transportation Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-19) The Following Communication:

S.C. 158

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

February 10, 2021

Honorable Darek Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, MRSA, Ch. 3-A, §577-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Laurie Osher of Orono and MaryAnne Kinney of Knox to the Working Lands and Ecosystems Subcommittee of the Maine Climate Council.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-20) The Following Communication:

S.C. 103

**CHILD WELFARE OMBUDSMAN
HOPE, MAINE**

January 25, 2021

Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Mr. Grant,

Enclosed please find 45 copies of the Annual Report of the Child Welfare Ombudsman. This report is to be distributed to the Legislature each year pursuant to 22 M.R.S.A. §4087-A. This report reflects the Fiscal Year from October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

S/Christine Alberi
Child Welfare Ombudsman

(2-21) The Following Communication:

S.C. 131

**EFFICIENCY MAINE TRUST
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 31, 2021

Honorable Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0003

Honorable Ryan M. Fecteau
Speaker of the House
2 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0002

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section §12023, I am pleased to deliver this the letter of transmittal for the required report from Efficiency Maine Trust due by February 1, 2021.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/Michael D. Stoddard
Executive Director

(2-22) The Following Communication:

S.C. 132

**MAINE MUNICIPAL BOND BANK
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 21, 2021

Honorable Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Honorable Ryan Fecteau
Speaker of the House
2 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section 12023, please consider this the letter of transmittal for the required report from the Maine Municipal Bond Bank due by February 1, 2021.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or if you need additional information. I can be reached at 622-9386 or by email at Terry@mmbb.com.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/Terry Hayes,
Executive Director

(2-23) The Following Communication:

S.C. 133

**MAINE GOVERNMENTAL
FACILITIES AUTHORITY
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 21, 2021

Honorable Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Honorable Ryan Fecteau
Speaker of the House
2 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section 12023, please consider this the letter of transmittal for the required report from the Maine Governmental Facilities Authority due by February 1, 2021.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or if you need additional information. I can be reached at 622-9386 or by email at Terry@mgfa.com.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/Terry Hayes,
Executive Director

(2-24) The Following Communication:

S.C. 134

**MAINE HEALTH AND HIGHER
EDUCATION FACILITIES AUTHORITY
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 21, 2021

Honorable Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Honorable Ryan Fecteau
Speaker of the House
2 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section 12023, please consider this the letter of transmittal for the required report from the Maine Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority due by February 1, 2021.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or if you need additional information. I can be reached at 622-1958 or by email at Terry@mhhefa.com.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/Terry Hayes,
Executive Director

(2-25) The Following Communication:

S.C. 159

**NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND
PASSENGER RAIL AUTHORITY
PORTLAND, MAINE**

January 20, 2021

Honorable Troy D. Jackson
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson:

Pursuant to 5 M.R.S.A., Section 12023, please consider this the letter of transmittal for the required report from the Northern New England Passenger Rail Authority (NNEPRA) due by February 1, 2021

Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

S/Mr. John Melrose
Chairman

S/Ms. Patricia Quinn
Executive Director
