

**STATE OF MAINE  
130<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**

March 22, 2021

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

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

Dear Mr. President and Mr. Speaker:

On March 22, 2021, 9 bills were received by the Secretary of the Senate.

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 308.2, these bills were referred to the Joint Standing Committees on March 22, 2021, as follows:

**Education and Cultural Affairs**

Bill "An Act Regarding the Terms of Office of the Director of the Maine State Museum Commission, the State Librarian and the Director of the Maine Arts Commission" (S.P. 392) (L.D. 1206) (Sponsored by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland) (GOVERNOR'S BILL)

Bill "An Act To Maintain the Current Level of Education Funding" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 393) (L.D. 1207) (Sponsored by Senator RAFFERTY of York)

**Environment and Natural Resources**

Bill "An Act To Amend the State's Electronic Waste Recycling Law" (S.P. 394) (L.D. 1208) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook) (Cosponsored by Senator: BENNETT of Oxford)

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**Health and Human Services**

Bill "An Act To Address the Shortage of Direct Care Workers for Children with Disabilities in Maine" (S.P. 389) (L.D. 1204) (Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot) (Cosponsored by Representative STETKIS of Canaan and Senator: DAVIS of Piscataquis, Representatives: MADIGAN of Waterville, PERRY of Calais, CRAVEN of Lewiston)

**Innovation, Development, Economic Advancement and Business**

Bill "An Act To Allow Crematories Using Chemical Dissolution Processes in Facilities Other Than Cemeteries" (S.P. 396) (L.D. 1223) (Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland)

**Judiciary**

Bill "An Act To Authorize Remote Participation in Maine State Cultural Affairs Council Meetings" (S.P. 397) (L.D. 1224) (Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland)

Bill "An Act To Provide Dignity for Fetal Remains by Requiring Their Interment or Cremation" (S.P. 398) (L.D. 1225) (Sponsored by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec) (Cosponsored by Representative ALLEY of Beals and Senators: DAVIS of Piscataquis, POULIOT of Kennebec, Representatives: BRADSTREET of Vassalboro, McCREA of Fort Fairfield, LANDRY of Farmington, DRINKWATER of Milford, NADEAU of Winslow)

**Taxation**

Bill "An Act To Reduce Property Taxes of Seniors in an Amount Equal to the Cost of Education" (S.P. 395) (L.D. 1222) (Sponsored by Senator BLACK of Franklin)

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**Veterans and Legal Affairs**

Bill "An Act To Ensure Equitable Taxation of Off-track Betting Facilities" (S.P. 390)  
(L.D. 1205) (Sponsored by Senator DIAMOND of Cumberland)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant  
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt  
Clerk of the House