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SEN. MICHAEL D. THIBODEAU VICE-CHAIR

> EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR GRANT T. PENNOYER



128TH MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY November 30, 2017 Approved December 14, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Gideon called the November 30, 2017 meeting of the Legislative Council to order at 10:41 a.m. in the Legislative Council Chamber.

ROLL CALL

Senators:	President Thibodeau, Senator Mason Senator Cushing, and Senator Jackson and Senator Libby
Representatives:	Speaker Gideon, Representative Herbig, Representative Golden, Representative Fredette and Representative Espling
Legislative Officers:	Heather Priest, Secretary of the Senate Robert Hunt, Clerk of the House Grant T. Pennoyer, Executive Director of the Legislative Council Suzanne Gresser, Revisor of Statutes Marion Hylan Barr, Director, Office of Policy and Legal Analysis Chris Nolan, Director, Office of Fiscal and Program Review

Speaker Gideon convened the meeting at 10:41 a.m. with a quorum of members present.

SUMMARY OF OCTOBER 26, 2017 MEETING OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Motion: That the Meeting Summary for October 26, 2017 be accepted and placed on file. Motion by Representative Herbig. Second by Senator Mason. Motion passed unanimous (10-0).

Legislative Council Chair Gideon asked if there was any objection to taking items out of order. There was no objection. The Chair then moved to New Business, Item 1.

SEN. GARRETT P. MASON SEN. AMY F. VOLK SEN. TROY D. JACKSON SEN. NATHAN L. LIBBY REP. ERIN D. HERBIG REP. JARED F. GOLDEN REP. KENNETH W. FREDETTE REP. ELEANOR M. ESPLING

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NEW BUSINESS

Item #1: Suggested Procedures for Deciding Appealed Bill Requests

Speaker Gideon reviewed the procedures the Council will follow in deciding legislator bill requests.

Item #2: Consideration of Appealed Bill Requests for Introduction in the Second Regular Session of the 128th Legislature

The Legislative Council proceeded to consider and vote on ninety-nine (99) appealed bill requests in accordance with the adopted protocol, and using an electronic voting system. The Legislative Council authorized thirty (30) bills for introduction in the Second Regular Session, tabled fourteen (14) bill requests and declined to authorize fifty (50) bill requests. Five (5) bill requests were withdrawn by the sponsor during the Legislative Council meeting. One (1) bill request was withdrawn by the sponsor prior to the Legislative Council meeting. The Legislative Council's action on the bill requests is attached.

The Legislative Council then returned to the other items on its agenda.

REPORTS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND COUNCIL OFFICES

Executive Director's Report

Grant Pennoyer, Executive Director, presented the following report.

1. Updating Card Readers and New Access Cards

The new card readers are still pending delivery. Mr. Pennoyer will provide an update of the timing of the transition when he finds out. Once determined, we will process the new cards and distribute them. We are still hoping to make the transition to the new card readers and new cards in December before the start of the Second Regular Session. For those card holders that have not received their new card before the actual transition, we will have the replacement cards available in the Legislative Information Office before security screening so that any card holder that hasn't received their new card can have a new card available to go through the priority screening lane. We will be collecting all old cards after the transition.

2. NCSL Job Classification and Compensation Study

During the week of November 13th to the 17th, NCSL conducted interviews with many individual staff to learn more about the various positions in the Legislature to supplement the information from the surveys filled out by legislative staff. NCSL will be conducting additional analyses on the Legislature's positions and reviewing market information on salaries before formulating their recommendations for their report, which is scheduled to be released by March 15, 2018.

Fiscal Report

Chris Nolan, Director, Office of Fiscal and Program Review, presented the following report.

Total General Fund Revenue - FY 2018 (\$'s in Millions)						
	Budget Actual Var. % Var. Prior Year % Growth					
October	\$303.8	\$302.9	(\$1.0)	-0.3%	\$291.2	4.0%
FYTD	\$1,197.8	\$1,230.6	\$32.8	2.7%	\$1,195.6	2.9%

General Fund revenue was under budget by 1.0 million (0.3%) for the month of October and over budget by \$32.8 million (2.7%) for the fiscal year to date. Individual income tax revenue was over budget for the month by \$5.8 million and over budget for the fiscal year by \$24.5 million. Withholding payments and estimated payments continued to be strong in October. Sales and use taxes for October (September sales) were under budget by \$0.1 million for the month but over budget by \$3.8 million for the fiscal year. Corporate income tax revenue was under budget by \$0.9 million in October but over budget by \$9.4 million for the fiscal year to date. Transfers for tax relief programs were over budget (less transferred than budgeted) by \$0.7 million in October largely due to the timing of BETR transfers. Cigarette and tobacco taxes were under budget by \$1.5 million in October and by \$8.2 million for the fiscal year to date.

1. Highway Fund Revenue Update

Total Highway Fund Revenue - FY 2018 (\$'s in Millions)						
Budget Actual Var. % Var. Prior Year % Growth						
October	\$28.3	\$28.3	\$0.0	0.1%	\$28.3	0.1%
FYTD	\$115.4	\$114.2	(\$1.2)	-1.0%	\$115.8	-1.4%

Highway Fund revenue was on budget for the month of October but under budget by \$1.2 million (1.0%) for the fiscal year to date. The fiscal year to date negative variance continues to be the result of fuel tax payments received in June that were expected in July.

2. Cash Balances Update

The average balance in the cash pool for October was \$1,142.1 million, down slightly from September's average of \$1,143.5 million but well above both last year's average balance for October and the ten-year average for the month. General Fund internal borrowing from other funds was not needed in October. The average Highway Fund balance of \$21.7 million in October decreased from August's average of \$29.8 million.

4. December 2017 Revenue Forecast

The Revenue Forecasting Committee met on November 27th to review and update the current revenue forecast to comply with its December 1st statutory deadline. A summary of its preliminary findings follows below. The complete report will be available later this week.

General Fund revenue estimates were revised upward by \$17.9 million for FY18 but downward by \$11.7 million for FY19 (upward by \$6.2 million for the 2018-2019 biennium). The revised forecast increases the overall rate of growth for General Fund revenue for FY18 from -0.2% to 0.3% but reduces the rate of growth for FY19 from 4.7% to 3.8%. The projections for FY20 assume a much smaller overall growth rate of 0.5%, largely the result of Municipal Revenue Sharing returning to the 5% level under current law from the 2% level in place for FY16 through FY19. The growth rate for FY21 is now projected to be 3.6%.

	FY18	FY19	FY20	FY21
Current Forecast	\$3,448,809,669	\$3,611,309,138	\$3,622,429,076	\$3,740,251,502
Annual % Growth	-0.2%	4.7%	0.3%	3.3%
Net Increase (Decrease)	\$17,938,255	(\$11,750,528)	(\$6,307,179)	\$6,727,385
Revised Forecast	\$3,466,747,924	\$3,599,558,610	\$3,616,121,897	\$3,746,978,887
Annual % Growth	0.3%	3.8%	0.5%	3.6%
Summary of Preli	minary Revenue Revision	ns by Major Revenu	e Category	
Sales and Use Tax	\$4,900,000	(\$250,000)	\$9,400,000	\$20,500,000
Service Provider Tax	\$2,800,000	\$2,800,000	\$2,800,000	\$2,800,000
Individual Income Tax	\$15,500,000	(\$26,000,000)	(\$28,850,000)	(\$28,000,000)
Corporate Income Tax	\$6,200,000	\$13,500,000	\$12,600,000	\$14,500,000
Cigarette and Tobacco Tax	(\$7,650,000)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Insurance Companies Tax	\$385,000	\$385,000	\$250,000	\$250,000
Estate Tax	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Taxes and Fees	\$1,231,400	(\$182,075)	(\$1,157,291)	(\$1,157,744)
Fines, Forfeits and Penalties	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000
Income from Investments	\$1,555,731	\$707,637	\$709,868	\$886,115
Transfer from Lottery Commission	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfer to Tax Relief Programs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfer to Municipal Rev. Sharing	(\$632,249)	\$159,735	\$238,624	(\$437,835)
Transfers to Education Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Revenues	(\$6,371,627)	(\$2,890,825)	(\$2,318,380)	(\$2,633,151)
Total Revisions - Increase (Decrease)	\$17,938,255	(\$11,750,528)	(\$6,307,179)	\$6,727,385

General Fund Summary - Preliminary December 2017 Forecast

Highway Fund revenue estimates were revised downward by \$2.5 million for the FY18 and by \$0.3 million for FY19 (downward by \$2.8 million over the 2018-2019 biennium). The FY 18 reduction was largely the result of fuel tax payments received in June (FY17) that were expected in July.

Fund for a Healthy Maine revenue estimates were revised upward by \$2.7 million for FY18 and by \$3.1 million for FY19 (upward by \$5.8 million over the 2018-2019 biennium). The changes were largely the result of updated national estimates for tobacco settlement payments.

Medicaid/MaineCare Dedicated revenue estimates were revised upward by \$0.9 million per year for FY18 and FY19.

Studies Report

Marion Hylan Barr, Director, Office of Policy and Legal Analysis, presented the following report. Several studies have work in progress and three are working on their final reports (i.e. Working Group to Improve the Provision of Indigent Legal Services, the Task Force to Address Opioid Crisis in the State, and the Task Force to Identify Special Education Cost Drivers and Innovative Approaches to Services). Some of the committees have held recent work sessions and public hearings. Others are still waiting for appointments to be completed.

REPORTS FROM COUNCIL COMMITTEES

1. Personnel Committee

No Report

2. State House Facilities Committee

No Report

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Item #3: Recommendation for MELD Bill Production System Replacement

Mr. Pennoyer reviewed the staff recommendation to award the contract for the replacement of the MELD Bill Production System. The staff recommended breaking up the project and just proceeding with Phase I, the planning and requirements building phase, at a cost of \$149,000. Phase I would begin in early January and end in mid-February. Mr. Pennoyer would report back to the Legislative Council on the refined estimate of the remainder of the MELD replacement project that will be a product of Phase I.

Motion: That the Legislative Council approve the staff's recommendation to proceed with phase one of the MELD Bill Production System Replacement. Motion by Senator Libby. Second by Senator Mason. Motion passed unanimous (6-0-0-4, with President Thibodeau, Senator Jackson and Representatives Herbig and Fredette absent).

Item #4: Notice of the Single Audit of the State of Maine

The State Auditor notified the Legislative Council that the Office of the State Auditor is conducting the Single Audit of the State of Maine for the year ended June 30, 2017. They will be issuing their report in December 2017.

Item #5: Acceptance of the Loring Development Authority Annual Report

The Loring Development Authority of Maine submitted its 2017 Annual Report to the Legislative Council.

Motion: That the Legislative Council accept the 2017 Annual Report of the Loring Development Authority of Maine and place it on file. Motion by Senator Mason. Second by Senator Libby. Motion passed unanimous (6-0-0-4, with President Thibodeau, Senator Jackson and Representatives Herbig and Fredette absent).

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMARKS

With no other business to consider or further announcements, the Legislative Council meeting was adjourned at 3:03 p.m.

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Represent	ative Bear of Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians	Action
LR 2693	ative Dear of Hourton Dang of Manseet Indians	FAILED
	Resolve, To Acknowledge That a Ruling of the Supreme Court of the United States Applies To Permit Gaming by the Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians on Tribal Land of the Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians	
LR 2694		FAILED
	Resolve, To Acknowledge That the Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians Has the Right by Treaty To Hunt Moose in this State	
LR 2695		FAILED
	Resolve, To Acknowledge That Federally Recognized Indian Tribes in this State Have a Right to Equitable Settlement of Claims for the Wrongful Removal of Tribal Children from Tribal Communities	
LR 2696		FAILED
	Resolve, To Acknowledge That the Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians Has the Right to Equitable Compensation for Unceded Land, Including Aroostook County, Not Covered by the Federal Maine Indian Claims Settlement Act of 1980 and the Maine Implementing Act	
LR 2697		FAILED
	Resolve, To Accept WhiteSand Gaming's Final Report on Its Market Feasibility Study of Expanded Gaming in Maine Commissioned by the 126th Legislature	
LR 2698		FAILED
	Resolve, To Accept the Report on Research Findings and Initial Observations on the Drafting and Enactment of the Federal Maine Indian Claims Settlement Act of 1980 Commissioned by the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission	
Represent	tative Beebe-Center of Rockland	
LR 2700		FAILED
	An Act To Preserve the Community Mental Health System in the State by Increasing Compensation for Direct Care Workers	

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LR 2521	ellows of Kennebec	TABLED
LK 2321	An Act To Ensure Quality of and Increase Access to Recovery Residences	IADLED
LR 2600		FAILED
	An Act To Facilitate the Provision of Disability Benefits for State Workers Requiring Organ Transplants	
LR 2724		FAILED
5	An Act To Ensure the Health and Safety of Consumers of Home Care Services	
Represent	tative Berry of Bowdoinham	
LR 2786		PASSED
	An Act To Protect Maine Residents and Businesses from Rising Electricity Costs	
LR 2787		FAILED
	An Act To Provide Tangible Benefits to Maine's Economy by Amending Laws Governing Electricity Transmission Corridors	
Represent	tative Blume of York	
LR 2719		PASSED
	An Act To Increase Safety, Ensure Efficient Operation and Improve Traffic Flow on the Maine Turnpike by Requiring All Electronic Toll Collection	
Senator B	Brakey of Androscoggin	
LR 2473		FAILED
	An Act To Increase the Number of Retail Liquor Licenses Allowed in Certain Municipalities	
Senator B	reen of Cumberland	
LR 2648		PASSED
	An Act To Preserve Medication Management for Persons with Mental Health Needs	

Senator C	henette of York	Action
LR 2650		TABLED
	An Act To Close Loopholes in Election Laws and Ban the Use of Leadership Political Action Committees for Personal Profit	TADLED
LR 2651		TABLED
	An Act To Clarify the Difference between Late and Unfiled Campaign Expenditures and Expenses Reports	
LR 2659		FAILED
	An Act To Include Cursive Writing in High School Graduation Standards	
LR 2661		FAILED
	An Act To Properly Notify Taxpayers of Property Valuation Changes	
Senator C	hipman of Cumberland	
LR 2780	·	FAILED
	An Act To Increase Safety for Persons with Visual Impairments on Public Transportation	
Senator C	ollins of York	
LR 2595		FAILED
	Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation To Install a Traffic Signal in Wells	
Represent	ative Cooper of Yarmouth	
LR 2524		FAILED
	An Act To Expand the Rights of Residential Tenants	
Senator C	ushing of Penobscot	
LR 2604		TABLED
	An Act To Increase Safety on Youth Hunting Day for Hunting Bear by Allowing an Accompanying Adult To Possess a Firearm	
LR 2754		TABLED
	Resolve, To Study Methods for Better Transportation for Students and Workers in Maine	

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Senator C	yrway of Kennebec	
LR 2549		FAILED
	An Act To Award to the Family of Nathan Desjardins His Workers' Compensation Death Benefits	
LR 2550		FAILED
	An Act To Include a Deceased Person's Immediate Family Members in the Group of People Paid Workers' Compensation Death Benefits	
Senator D	avis, Sr. of Piscataquis	
LR 2646		PASSED
	An Act To Amend the Registered Maine Guide Background Check Requirement	
Represent	ative Denno of Cumberland	
LR 2500		PASSED
	An Act To Reestablish the Office of Advocacy	
Represent	ative Devin of Newcastle	
LR 2466		PASSED
	Resolve, To Establish a Task Force To Investigate the High Rate of Addiction among Persons Who Fish Commercially	
LR 2569		FAILED
	Resolve, To Use a Comprehensive Approach To Restore and Protect Pollinator Populations	
Senator D	ow of Lincoln	
LR 2528		FAILED
	Resolve, To Improve the Department of Transportation's Wiscasset Village Traffic Management Plan	
LR 2740		PASSED
	Resolve, Authorizing the Lease of the Colonial Pemaquid State Historic Site	

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LR 2632	tive Espling of New Gloucester	PASSED
	An Act To Create Equity in Wine and Spirits Container Deposits	
Representa	tive Foley of Wells	
LR 2544	·	FAILED
	An Act To Prohibit Nonmedical Switching by Health Insurance Providers	
Representa	tive Fredette of Newport	
LR 2478		PASSED
	An Act To Strengthen Maine Families with Children by Changing the Income Tax Laws	
LR 2479		FAILED
	An Act To Amend for Fiscal Year 2018-19 the School Funding Formula for School Districts with a High Incidence of Free and Reduced-price Lunches	
LR 2481		TABLED
	An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue To Fund a Program of Student Debt Consolidation and Repayment	
LR 2708		FAILED
	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine Regarding the Direct Initiative of Legislation	
Representa	ative Gattine of Westbrook	
LR 2744		PASSED
	An Act To Save Lives and Create the Homeless Opioid User Service Engagement Pilot Project	
LR 2748		PASSED
	An Act To Improve Housing Support in the Bridging Rental Assistance Program	
Representa	ative Gerrish of Lebanon	
LR 2492		TABLED
	An Act To Create a Full-time Drug Interdiction Unit within the State	
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Speaker G	lideon of Freeport	
LR 2747		PASSED
	An Act To Reduce Child Poverty by Promoting Higher Wages for Families through Education and Training	
Senator G	ratwick of Penobscot	
LR 2532		WITHDRAWN
	An Act To Establish a Statewide System of Regional Peer Recovery Support Center Hubs in Maine	
LR 2654		FAILED
2112001	An Act To Provide for the Safe Disposal of Drugs	
Represent	ative Grignon of Athens	
LR 2692		PASSED
	An Act To Ensure Sustainable Health Care Access in the Jackman Region	
Represent	ative Hamann of South Portland	
LR 2453	·	FAILED
	An Act To Establish the Fund for Maine's Future	
Senator H	amper of Oxford	
LR 2664		PASSED
	An Act To Clarify the Role of Veterinary Medical Professionals in the Controlled Substances Prescription Monitoring Program	
Represent	ative Hanington of Lincoln	
LR 2568		FAILED
	An Act To Increase by One Cent the Deposit Amount on Returnable Beverage Containers	
Represent	ative Harvell of Farmington	
LR 2671	8	FAILED
	An Act To Require Implementation of the Marijuana Legalization Act	

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-	tive Herbig of Belfast	
LR 2716		TABLED
	An Act To Attract Trained Firefighters to Maine and Provide Incentives To Retain Them	
Representa	ntive Hilliard of Belgrade	
LR 2490		PASSED
	An Act To Require Transient Rental Platforms To Register To Collect and Report Sales Taxes	
Senator Ja	ckson of Aroostook	
LR 2658		PASSED
	An Act To Create the Hire American Tax Credit for Businesses That Hire Residents of the United States	
LR 2742		PASSED
	An Act To Establish a Task Force To Examine Agricultural Issues	
Senator K	eim of Oxford	
LR 2476		FAILED
	An Act Regarding the Rights of Parents	
LR 2706		PASSED
	An Act Regarding Compensation by Electricity Transmission Providers	
LR 2709		FAILED
	An Act To Implement a Training Wage in Maine	
Represent	ative Kornfield of Bangor	
LR 2590		PASSED
	An Act To Establish Alternative Pathways to the Completion of Secondary School Mathematics Requirements	
Senator L	angley of Hancock	
LR 2615		WITHDRAWN
	An Act To Expedite Medical Claims in Workers' Compensation Cases When Compensability Has Been Determined	· •
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LR 2775	ngley of Hancock	PASSED
	An Act To Protect Maine Citizens from the Practice Known as "Spoofing"	
LR 2783		TABLED
	An Act To Extend Secondary Student Eligibility in the Competitive Skills Scholarship Program	
Senator Ma	aker of Washington	
LR 2563		FAILED
	An Act To Increase Penalties for Drivers Who Cause Serious or Fatal Injuries to Others in Multiple Accidents	
Senator M	ason of Androscoggin	
LR 2564		FAILED
	An Act Regarding Access to Tobacco Products by Members of the Military 18 Years of Age and Older	
Representa	ative McCreight of Harpswell	
LR 2554		PASSED
	An Act To Amend the Law Regarding the Temporary Medical Allowance for Lobster and Crab Fishing License Holders	
Senator M	illett of Cumberland	
LR 2483		FAILED
	An Act To Protect Local Control of Military Equipment Procurement	
LR 2623		PASSED
	An Act To Protect Children in Child Care	
Senator M	iramant of Knox	
LR 2462		FAILED
	An Act Regarding the Sales Tax on Trailers Sold in This State for Use Outside the State	

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	liramant of Knox	
LR 2566	An Act To Change the Term "Overseers of the Poor" as It Is Used in the Maine Revised Statutes	WITHDRAWN
LR 2672	An Act To Promote Recruitment and Retention of State Highway Workers	FAILED
Represent	ative O'Connor of Berwick	
LR 2625		FAILED
	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Help Ensure Direct Initiatives of Legislation are Compatible with the Constitution of Maine and Statutory Law	
Represent	tative Parker of South Berwick	
LR 2705		FAILED
	An Act To Amend the Law Governing the Scope of the Mandatory Disclosure of Information Provision in the Adult Protective Services Act	
Represent	tative Parry of Arundel	
LR 2562		TABLED
	An Act To Waive Income Restrictions for Supplemental MaineCare Coverage for Children Diagnosed with Cystic Fibrosis	
Represent	tative Picchiotti of Fairfield	
LR 2545		FAILED
	An Act To Allow for the Substitution of Interchangeable Biological Products in Medications and To Provide for Enhanced Prescriber Communications	
Represen	tative Pickett of Dixfield	
LR 2533		FAILED
21(2000	An Act To Allow Certain Retirees in the Maine Public Employees Retirement System the Option of Including Certain Wages for Purposes of Retirement Benefits	

Representa	tive Pouliot of Augusta	Action
LR 2688		PASSED
	An Act To Address Separation of a Class A Restaurant and Off- premises Retail Licensee Located on the Same Premises	
Senator Ro	sen of Hancock	
LR 2477	Resolve, To Study the Negue Trading Post Site in Orono	FAILED
LR 2652		FAILED
	An Act To Protect the Interests of Grandchildren Regarding Visitation by Grandparents	
-	tive Stanley of Medway	
LR 2713	An Act To Ensure the Continuation of Maternity Care in Rural Hospitals	PASSED
Representa	tive Stewart of Presque Isle	
LR 2471	An Act To Exempt Nonprofit Cemeteries from the Sales and Use Tax	FAILED
LR 2472		TABLED
	An Act To Prevent Human Trafficking, Protect Children and Finance the Victims' Compensation Fund	
LR 2541		FAILED
	An Act To Improve Access to Experienced Primary Care Providers in the State	
LR 2543		FAILED
	An Act To Expand Resources for Veterans in the State through Phone Partnerships	
LR 2576		FAILED
~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	An Act Regarding School Bus Rules in Maine	
LR 2577	An Act Regarding High School Guidance Counseling	FAILED
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Represent	ative Stewart of Presque Isle	Action
LR 2629	*	FAILED
	An Act To Further Protect the Safety of College Students by Authorizing a Student To Possess a Firearm While on Campus as Long as the Firearm Remains in a Vehicle	
Represent	ative Talbot Ross of Portland	
LR 2579		FAILED
	An Act To Create a Homeless Persons' Bill of Rights	
LR 2580		FAILED
	An Act To Provide for the Sealing of Records of Convictions for Marijuana-related Violations That Are No Longer Crimes	
LR 2647		PASSED
	An Act To Provide Funding To Improve Public Safety through Expanded Department of Corrections Treatment, Education and Vocational Programs	ï
LR 2782		FAILED
	An Act To Establish the Commission on Racial Equity	
President	Thibodeau of Waldo	
LR 2605		TABLED
	An Act To Amend the Laws Restricting Firearms on Public Lands	
LR 2621		PASSED
	An Act To Authorize Regional Medical Control Committees Approved by the Emergency Medical Services Board To Have Access to Maine Emergency Medical Services Data for Purposes of Quality Improvement	
LR 2746		PASSED
	An Act To Broaden Educational Opportunities for Members of the Maine National Guard	
Represent	tative Vachon of Scarborough	
LR 2665		WITHDRAWN
	An Act To Enact Measures Designed To Curb the Opioid Epidemic	

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		Action
Represent	ative Vachon of Scarborough	
LR 2750		PASSED
	An Act To Reduce the Cost of Care Resulting from Blood-borne Infectious Diseases	
LR 2755		PASSED
	An Act Regarding Health Care Ombudsman Services	
Senator V	olk of Cumberland	
LR 2778		PASSED
	An Act To Stabilize Vulnerable Families	
Represent	ative Wadsworth of Hiram	
LR 2624		TABLED
	An Act To Ensure Fairness and Affordability in the Private Residential and Commercial Rental Markets	
Represent	ative Warren of Hallowell	
LR 2720		FAILED
	An Act To Reduce Incarceration Costs and Emergency Room Visits by Funding Emergency Crisis Behavioral Health Services	
LR 2774		WITHDRAWN
	An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Terms of County Commissioners and the Staggering of Those Terms	
Represent	tative White of Washburn	
LR 2551		TABLED
	An Act To Increase the Bottle Redemption Rate To Counterbalance Increases in the Minimum Wage	
	ber of bills accepted: 30	
	ber of bills tabled: 14	
Total num	ber of bills screened: 99	