

Weekly **LEGISLATIVE REPORT**

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132nd LEGISLATURE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

BILLS ENACTED

Public Laws

Signed by the Governor
Tuesday, March 3, 2026

Ch. 542 - An Act to Authorize Registration of Certain Cash-dispensing Machines Through the Nationwide Mortgage Licensing System and Registry and to Limit the Use of Certain Cash-dispensing Machines as Virtual Currency Kiosks. (S.P. 811, L.D. 1998)

Ch. 543 - An Act to Enhance Support of Local Nutrition Incentive Programs by Modifying the Eligibility Requirements of the Fund to Address Food Insecurity and Provide Nutrition Incentives. (S.P. 820, L.D. 2004)

Ch. 544 - An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Licensure of Wholesalers and Manufacturers Under the Maine Pharmacy Act. (H.P. 1349, L.D. 2019)

Ch. 545 - An Act to Amend the Extreme Risk Protection Order Procedure. (H.P. 1362, L.D. 2032)

Ch. 546 - An Act to Improve Safety by Allowing the Use of Variable-message Signs on Certain Vehicles. (H.P. 1377, L.D. 2053)

Ch. 547 - An Act to Bring the Law Governing Emergency Equipment for Trucks and Truck Tractors into Alignment with the Federal Motor Carrier Laws. (H.P. 1381, L.D. 2068)

Private and Special Laws

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Ch. 11 - An Act to Increase the Debt Limit of the North Jay Water District. (H.P. 1371, L.D. 2041)

Ch. 12 - An Act to Dissolve the Great Salt Bay Community School District. (H.P. 1374, L.D. 2050)

Ch. 13 - An Act to Raise the Ogunquit Sewer District Debt Limit. (S.P. 833, L.D. 2043)

Resolves

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Ch. 135 - Resolve, to Rename a Bridge in West Forks Plantation and The Forks Plantation the Gordon Clifton Berry, Sr. Bridge. (H.P. 1358, L.D. 2028)

Ch. 136 - Resolve, to Designate Route 3 in Trenton as the Deputy Luke Gross Memorial Highway. (H.P. 1363, L.D. 2033)

(Chaptered copies of the above measures may be obtained from the Engrossing Department, Room 106, State House, 7 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0007, Ph. 207-287-1324.)

BILLS PRINTED AS OF FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 2026**L.D. 2225, S.P. 908**

An Act to Support Municipal Enforcement of Residential Construction Laws, Codes and Regulations. (Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development pursuant to Resolve 2025, chapter 64, section 2.)

L.D. 2226, H.P. 1503

An Act to Amend the Essential Programs and Services School Funding Formula. (Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs pursuant to Resolve 2025, chapter 84, section 2, subsection 4.)

L.D. 2227, H.P. 1504

An Act to Update Financial Assurance Requirements for Certain Solid Waste Facilities. (Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Natural Resources pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 38, section 2124-A, subsection 2.)

L.D. 2228, H.P. 1505

An Act to Eliminate Inactive Boards and Commissions. (Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 12006, subsection 2.)

L.D. 2229, S.P. 911

An Act Regarding Municipal Inspection of the Electrical and Plumbing Components of a Manufactured Home. (EMERGENCY) (Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development pursuant to Resolve 2025, chapter 105, section 7.)

(Copies of the Bills may be obtained from the Document Room, First Floor, State House, Augusta, Maine 04333-0002 - Ph: 207-287-1408. Bill text, bill status and roll call information are available on the Internet at <http://legislature.maine.gov/LawMakerWeb/search.asp>. The Weekly Legislative Report is also available on the Internet at the House home page at <http://legislature.maine.gov/house/house/> under the "Documents" tab.)

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