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AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Lance Evans Harvell of Farmington be excused August 2 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Lloyd C. Herrick of Paris be excused October 23 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Gary L. Hilliard of Belgrade be excused August 2 and October 23 for health reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Matthew W. Moonen of Portland be excused October 23 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative H. Stedman Seavey of Kennebunkport be excused October 23 for personal reasons.

READ and **PASSED**.

The following item was taken up out of order by unanimous consent:

On motion of Representative LONGSTAFF of Waterville, the following House Order: (H.O. 48)

ORDERED, that Representative Stacey K. Guerin of Glenburn be excused May 9, 2017 and August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Patricia Hymanson of York be excused August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Erik C. Jorgensen of Portland be excused August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Mark W. Lawrence of South Berwick be excused August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Jeffrey K. Pierce of Dresden be excused August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative John C. Schneck of Bangor be excused August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that Representative Karleton S. Ward of Dedham be excused August 2, 2017 for personal reasons.

READ and **PASSED**.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the Representative from Kennebunk, Representative Babbidge.

Representative **BABBIDGE**: Thank you, Madam Speaker. I request unanimous consent to address the House on the record.

The SPEAKER: The Representative has requested unanimous consent to address the House on the record. Hearing no objection, the Representative may proceed on the record.

Representative **BABBIDGE**: Thank you, Madam Speaker. Madam Speaker, and Men and Women of the House, in reference to Roll Call No. 468 on LD 1646, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 469 on LD 1646, had I been present I would have voted nay. In reference to Roll Call No. 470 on LD 1646, had I been present I would have voted nay. In reference to Roll Call No. 471 on LD 1646, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 472 on LD 1646, had I been present I would have voted nay. In reference to Roll Call No. 473 on

LD 1651, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 474 on LD 1650, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 475 on LD 1646, had I been present I would have voted nay. In reference to Roll Call No. 476 on LD 1650, had I been present I would have voted yea. I appreciate your indulgence. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER: The record shall so reflect.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the Representative from Rockland, Representative Beebe-Center.

Representative **BEEBE-CENTER**: Madam Speaker, I request unanimous consent to address the House on the record.

The SPEAKER: The Representative has requested unanimous consent to address the House on the record. Hearing no objection, the Representative may proceed on the record.

Representative BEEBE-CENTER: Thank you, Madam Speaker. Madam Speaker and Men and Women of the House, in reference to Roll Call No. 427 on LD 1147, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 428 on LD 481, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 429 on LD 1512, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 430 on LD 1557, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 431 on LD 586, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 432 on LD 1641, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 433 on LD 182, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 434 on LD 1108, had I been present I would have voted yea. In reference to Roll Call No. 435 on LD 1552, had I been present I would have voted vea. In reference to Roll Call No. 436 on LD 1613, had I been present I would have voted yea. And in reference to Roll Call No. 437 on LD 1163, had I been present I would have voted yea. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER: The record shall so reflect.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the Representative from Lincoln, Representative Hanington, who wishes to address the House on the record.

Representative **HANINGTON**: Thank you, Madam Speaker. Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, there are many veterans in this room. There are spouses of veterans, sons, daughters, husbands and wives of veterans. Saturday is Veterans Day. There's going to be breakfasts, there's going to memorials, there's going to be some heartfelt tears. Let's just remember each and every veteran that fought for our freedoms. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Representative **MOONEN**: Thank you, Madam Speaker. Madam Speaker, I request unanimous consent to address the House on the record.

The SPEAKER: The Representative has requested unanimous consent to address the House on the record. Hearing no objection, the Representative may proceed on the record.

Representative **MOONEN**: Thank you, Madam Speaker. Madam Speaker and Men and Women of the House, in