

Senate of Maine

One Hundred and Thirty-Second Legislature First Special Session

Advance Journal and Calendar

33rd Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Monday, June 16, 2025.

Senate called to Order by President Matthea E. Larsen Daughtry of Cumberland County.

Prayer by Senator Joseph Rafferty of York County.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Richard T. Bradstreet of Kennebec County.

Reading of the Journal of Friday, June 13, 2025.

Matthea E. L. Daughtry
President of the Senate

Darek M. GrantSecretary of the Senate

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

House Paper

(1-1) Bill "An Act to Fund Collective Bargaining Agreements with Executive Branch Employees and Continue the Voluntary Employee Incentive Program" (EMERGENCY)

H.P. 1335 L.D. 1987

Committee on **APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS** suggested and ordered printed.

Comes from the House, under suspension of the Rules, **READ TWICE** and **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-697)**, without reference to a Committee.

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-2) Lynne Cayting, of Manchester, on her retirement after 36 years of public service. Ms. Cayting's career as an environmental specialist in state government began in 1989 with the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission. By 1991, Ms. Cayting had been promoted to Hydropower and Mining Coordinator. In 1992, she was hired at the Department of Environmental Protection to manage state and federal Superfund hazardous waste sites in Maine. In 2001, she became Mobile Sources Section Chief in the Bureau of Air Quality and managed the California Clean Cars and vehicle emissions testing program in Cumberland County. She developed the Maine Clean Marine Engine Program, the first statewide marine repower program in the nation to replace highly emitting unregulated marine engines with cleaner engines. We extend our appreciation and best wishes;

HLS 93

(1-3) the Winthrop/Maranacook Field Hockey Team, of Winthrop, which won the Class C State Championship, the team's fourth state title in a row. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 265

(1-4) the Hall-Dale High School Girls Basketball Team, of Farmingdale, which won the Class C South Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 387

(1-5) Matthew Havey, of Franklin, a student at Sumner Middle School, who is a recipient of the Secretary of State's Eighth Grade Citizenship Award, honoring students for civic awareness, scholastic achievement and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes; HLS 388

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Come from the House, **READ** and **PASSED**.

COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 541

STATE OF MAINE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SECOND LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE ON STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

June 13, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry President of the Senate of Maine 132nd Maine State Legislature State House Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madam President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government has had under consideration the nomination of Christian J. Cotz of South Bristol, for appointment as the State Archivist.

After public hearing and discussion on this nomination, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to recommend to the Senate that this nomination be confirmed. The Committee Clerk called the roll with the following result:

YEAS	Senators	1	Martin, J. of Oxford
	Representatives	10	Salisbury, S. of Westbrook, Adams, J. of Lebanon, Copeland, L. of Saco, Farrin, W. of Jefferson, Greenwood, R. of Wales, Matlack, A. of St. George, Pomerleau, K. of Standish, Rollins, D. of Augusta, Tuell, W. of East Machias, Underwood, J. of Presque Isle
NAYS		0	
ABSENT		2	Sen. Baldacci, J. of Penobscot, Sen. Beebe-Center, A. of Knox

Eleven members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Christian J. Cotz of South Bristol, for appointment as the State Archivist be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Joseph M. Baldacci
Senate Chair
S/Suzanne M. Salisbury
House Chair

(2-2) The Following Communication:

H.C. 199

STATE OF MAINE CLERK'S OFFICE 2 STATE HOUSE STATION AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0002

June 13, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant Secretary of the Senate 132nd Maine Legislature Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

The House voted today to insist on its former action whereby it accepted the Minority Ought Not to Pass Report of the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety on Bill "An Act to Prohibit the Sale of Items Intended to Be Used to Inhale Nitrous Oxide for Recreational Purposes" (S.P. 489) (L.D. 1200)

Sincerely,

S/Robert B. Hunt Clerk of the House

ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) the Belfast Rotary Club, founded on May 25, 1925, which is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year. For a full century, the club has exemplified Rotary International's motto of "Service Above Self," dedicating itself to improving the lives of people in Belfast and throughout Waldo County. From its earliest days, the club has brought together civic-minded individuals committed to building a stronger, more vibrant community. Over the decades, the Belfast Rotary Club has supported countless local initiatives that address real needs in the region. Through events like community fundraisers and volunteer service projects, the club has made a lasting impact on youth development, education, food security and local infrastructure. The club regularly partners with schools, nonprofits and local governments to address challenges and seize opportunities that uplift the people of Waldo County. In addition to its community-based work, the club actively supports Rotary's international efforts, contributing to global causes such as polio eradication, clean water access and humanitarian aid. With a strong membership representing a cross-section of the community, the Belfast Rotary Club fosters fellowship, leadership and civic responsibility across generations and continues to play a vital role in shaping the future of Belfast and the greater Waldo County area. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 978

Sponsored by Senator CURRY of Waldo.

Cosponsored by Representative: DODGE of Belfast.

(4-2) Joscelin Welch, of Buxton, who is a recipient of the Secretary of State's Eighth Grade Citizenship Award, honoring students for civic awareness, scholastic achievement and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 979

Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BLIER of Buxton, CARLOW of Buxton.

(4-3) the Lee Academy Envirothon Team, which won first place in the Aquatics and Wildlife Category at the Northern Regional Competition at the University of Maine at Presque Isle, advancing to the State Championships. Team members include Angelina McLeod, Sierra Caron, Emily DeSorbo, Jackson Sabbattus, Elena Linscott, Taryn Budge, Jae Martin and Avery Oliver. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 980

Sponsored by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representative: OUINT of Hodgdon.

Joint Resolution

Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

WHEREAS, the Legislature has learned with deep regret of the death of:

(4-4) Martha Barron Barrett, of Blue Hill. Ms. Barrett taught at the Charles E. Ellis School for Fatherless Girls in Newtown Square, Pennsylvania from 1963 to 1977. She moved to Portsmouth, New Hampshire and published her first novel, "Maggie's Way," in 1981 and her second novel, "God's Country," in 1987. William Morrow & Company published her nonfiction book about lesbians, "Invisible Lives," in 1989. Her travel memoir, "Slow Travel," was published by Piscataqua Press in 2014. As a journalist, she published in Philadelphia Magazine, Glamour and Yankee and was a longtime columnist for Portsmouth Magazine and an occasional columnist with The Ellsworth American. Ms. Barrett also taught writing through the University of New Hampshire's Department of Continuing Education, established a writing retreat at Molasses Pond in Eastbrook and for many years led a summer writing class that met at the Crocker House in Hancock. Ms. Barrett will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family, friends and community;

SLS 981

Sponsored by Senator GROHOSKI of Hancock. Cosponsored by Representative: MILLIKEN of Blue Hill.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Divided Report

(5-1) The Majority of the Committee on **LABOR** on Bill "An Act to Enhance Businesses' Understanding of Labor Standards and Grow Maine's Energy Economy Through a Training Program"

H.P. 1166 L.D. 1748

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-688).

Signed:

Senators:

TIPPING of Penobscot RAFFERTY of York

Representatives:

ROEDER of Bangor ARCHER of Saco BECK of South Portland GEIGER of Rockland MACIAS of Topsham SKOLD of Portland

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought Not To Pass**.

Signed:

Senator:

BRADSTREET of Kennebec

Representatives:

COLLINS of Sidney DRINKWATER of Milford SOBOLESKI of Phillips

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"** (H-688) Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"**(H-688).

Senate

Divided Report

(5-2) The Majority of the Committee on **HEALTH COVERAGE**, **INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES** on Bill "An Act Establishing Alternative Pathways to Social Worker Licensing"

S.P. 528 L.D. 1298

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-396).

Signed:

Senators:

BAILEY of York HAGGAN of Penobscot

Representatives:

CIMINO of Bridgton CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham FOLEY of Wells MASTRACCIO of Sanford MORRIS of Turner OLSEN of Raymond

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass** as **Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-397)**.

Signed:

Senator:

BALDACCI of Penobscot

Representatives:

MATHIESON of Kittery ARFORD of Brunswick BOYER of Cape Elizabeth FLYNN of Albion

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

Unfinished Business

The following matters in the consideration of which the Senate was engaged at the time of Adjournment have preference in the Orders of the Day and continue with such preference until disposed of as provided by Senate Rule 516.

1.

Tabled and Later Assigned

JOINT ORDER - to Require the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs to Report Out a Bill Prohibiting Educational Institutions from Being Members of Certain Organizations

H.P. 500

Tabled - March 11, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - PASSAGE in NON-CONCURRENCE

(In House, **REFERRED** to the Committee on **JUDICIARY** and ordered printed.)

2.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act to Protect Maine Agriculture and Farms by Exempting Certain Pesticides from Regulation"

S.P. 490 L.D. 1201

Tabled - March 20, 2025 by Senator **STEWART** of Aroostook

Pending - **REFERENCE**

(Committee on **AGRICULTURE**, **CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY** suggested and ordered printed.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORT - on Bill "An Act to Provide Support Services for Military Members Transitioning to Civilian Life in Maine"

H.P. 388 L.D. 620

Report -Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-43)

Tabled - April 15, 2025 by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT

(In House, Report READ and ACCEPTED and Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-43).)

Tabled and Later Assigned

4.

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Preserve Heating and Energy Choice by Prohibiting a Municipality from Prohibiting a Particular Energy System or Energy Distributor"

S.P. 218 L.D. 556

Majority - Ought to Pass (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - April 29, 2025 by Senator **BALDACCI** of Penobscot

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Ensure That the Will of the Voters Is Reflected in Interim Appointments of United States Senators"

H.P. 491 L.D. 749

Majority - Ought to Pass (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - April 30, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(In House, Majority **OUGHT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.)

6.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act to Remove Barriers to Becoming a Lawyer by Establishing a Law Office Study Program"

H.P. 480 L.D. 738

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-168) (9 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (4 members)

Tabled - May 21, 2025 by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(In House, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-168).)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act to Withdraw from the National Popular Vote Compact"

H.P. 161 L.D. 252

Majority - Ought to Pass (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - May 21, 2025 by Senator **HICKMAN** of Kennebec

Pending - motion by same Senator to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS** Report in concurrence

(In House, Majority **OUGHT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.)

8.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORT - on Bill "An Act to Create Equity in Maine's Campaign Finance Laws Between Enrolled and Unenrolled Candidates"

H.P. 804 L.D. 1229

Report -Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-470)

Tabled - June 4, 2025 by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT in concurrence

(In House, Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Amend the Appointment and Confirmation Process for Certain Judicial, Civil and Military Officers

S.P. 668 L.D. 1715

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-256) (9 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (4 members)

Tabled - June 4, 2025 by Senator STEWART of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator **CARNEY** of Cumberland to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report

(In Senate, June 4, 2025, Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **FAILED**.)

10.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act to Exempt Electronic Smoking Devices or Other Tobacco Products Containing Ingestible Hemp from the Tax Imposed on Tobacco Products"

S.P. 767 L.D. 1960

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-231) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (3 members)

Tabled - June 5, 2025 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, June 3, 2025, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-231).)

(In House, Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Allow the People to Elect the State Auditor"

S.P. 452 L.D. 1068

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-285) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 9, 2025 by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

12.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Require the Legislature to Elect Constitutional Officers and the State Auditor in Convention with an Open Ballot System"

S.P. 482 L.D. 1193

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-286) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 9, 2025 by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act Regarding Cannabis Testing and the Manufacture of Cannabis and Hemp Products" S.P. 603 L.D. 1488

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-320) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - June 9, 2025 by Senator **HICKMAN** of Kennebec

Pending - motion by same Senator to ADOPTCommittee Amendment "A" (S-320)

14.

Tabled and Later Assigned

Bill "An Act Regarding Penalties for Fentanyl Trafficking When That Trafficking Results in an Overdose Causing Serious Bodily Injury of a Person"

H.P. 838 L.D. 1263 (C "A" H-496)

Majority - Ought Not to Pass (8 members) [BEEBE-CENTER, CURRY]

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-496) (5 members) [CYRWAY]

Tabled - June 9, 2025 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - CONSIDERATION

(In Senate, June 5, 2025, Minority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-496) in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

(In House, House INSISTED on its former action whereby Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report was **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Legislative Reimbursement"

H.P. 1312 L.D. 1968

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-559) (7 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-560) (6 members)

Tabled - June 10, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - motion by Senator **BALDACCI** of Penobscot to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-559) Report in concurrence

(In House, Majority OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-559) Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-559).)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act to Allow Participation in the Adult Use Cannabis Tracking System to Be Voluntary"

H.P. 1107 L.D. 1672

Report "A" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-583) (6 members)

Report "B" - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 11, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - motion by Senator **HICKMAN** of Kennebec to **ACCEPT** Report "A" **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** in concurrence

(In House, Report "A", **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED**, **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-583) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-617) thereto.)

17.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act to Change the Definition of 'Machine Gun' in the Maine Criminal Code"

S.P. 409 L.D. 953

Report "A" - Ought to Pass (6 members)

Report "B" - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Report "C" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-364) (1 member)

Tabled - June 12, 2025 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF ANY REPORT

(In Senate, June 12, 2025, Report "B", OUGHT NOT TO PASS, FAILED.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act to Prevent Foreclosures Without Strict Compliance with Notice Requirements"

S.P. 585 L.D. 1444

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-379) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 12, 2025 by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland

Pending - motion by same Senator to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report

19.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act to Create Economic Opportunity for the Wabanaki Nations Through Internet Gaming" H.P. 769 L.D. 1164

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-393) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - June 12, 2025 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - motion by Senator **TIPPING** of Penobscot to **RECONSIDER** whereby the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **FAILED**

(In Senate, June 12, 2025, Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **FAILED**.)

(In House, Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-393)**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act to Bring Fairness in Income Taxes to Maine Families by Adjusting the Tax Brackets and Tax Rates

H.P. 152 L.D. 229 (C "A" H-649)

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - **ENACTMENT** in concurrence

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

21.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **TAXATION** on Bill "An Act to Permanently Fund 55 Percent of the State's Share of Education by Establishing a Tax on Incomes of More than \$1,000,000"

H.P. 711 L.D. 1089

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-648) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - ACCEPTANCE of Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report in concurrence

(In Senate, June 13, 2025, **RECONSIDERED** whereby the Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report was **ACCEPTED** in concurrence.)

(In House, Minority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act to Prohibit Financial Institutions from Using Merchant Category Codes to Identify or Track Firearm Purchases or Disclose Firearm Purchase Records"

S.P. 737 L.D. 1867

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-360) (7 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (6 members)

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-360)

(In Senate, June 13, 2025, **RECONSIDERED** whereby the bill was **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-360)**.)

23.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act to Increase the Influence of the Maine State Ferry Advisory Board on the Funding and Operations of the Maine State Ferry Service

S.P. 677 L.D. 1731

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - **ENACTMENT** in concurrence

(In Senate, June 13, 2025, **RECONSIDERED** whereby the bill **FAILED ENACTMENT** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.)

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act Requiring Serial Numbers on Firearms and Prohibiting Undetectable Firearms"

H.P. 745 L.D. 1126

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-660) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-660) in concurrence

(In Senate, June 13, 2025, **RECONSIDERED** whereby the bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT** "A" (H-660) in concurrence.)

(In House, Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-660)**.)

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Bill "An Act Regarding Energy Fairness"

S.P. 756 L.D. 1949

Report "A" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-387) (8 members)

Report "B" - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-388) (4 members)

Report "C" - Ought Not to Pass (1 member)

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator **LAWRENCE** of York

Pending - motion by same Senator to ACCEPT Report "A" OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-387)

26.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act Regarding Large Recovery Residences

H.P. 138 L.D. 215 (C "A" H-645; S "A" S-369 to C "A" H-645)

Tabled - June 13, 2025 by Senator **INGWERSEN** of York

Pending - **ENACTMENT** in concurrence

(In House, **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.)

SPECIAL STUDY TABLE

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Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study Unmanaged Storm Water Pollution H.P. 414 L.D. 646 (C "A" H-98)

Tabled - May 14, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in NON-CONCURRENCE

2.

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Committee to Study the Use of Sunflower Crops to Produce Biofuels and Other Products

S.P. 527 L.D. 1297 (C "A" S-42)

Tabled - May 14, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in NON-CONCURRENCE

3.

Emergency

Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study MaineCare Estate Recovery

H.P. 102 L.D. 169 (C "A" H-129)

Tabled - May 21, 2025 by Senator DUSON of Cumberland

Resolve, to Create the Commission to Study a Legislative Internsh	ip Program H.P. 392 L.D. 624 (C "A" H-111)
Tabled - May 21, 2025 by Senator DUSON of Cumberland	
Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence	
5.	
Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Need to Codify Residential Community Ownership Associations by Adopting the Ownership Act	•
Ownership Act	S.P. 301 L.D. 760 (C "A" S-122)
Tabled - May 27, 2025 by Senator DUSON of Cumberland	
Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence	
6.	
Emergency	
Resolve, to Study the Feasibility of Establishing a Dedicated Famil	ly Court in Maine H.P. 1072 L.D. 1618 (C "A" H-199)
Tabled - May 27, 2025 by Senator DUSON of Cumberland	
Pending - FINAL PASSAGE in concurrence	

Resolve, to Study Maine's A Rights	bsolute Dominion and Beneficial Use	Laws Relating to Water
Rights		H.P. 1131 L.D. 1696 (C "A" H-156)
Tabled - May 27, 2025 by Se	enator DUSON of Cumberland	
Pending - FINAL PASSAG	E in concurrence	
	8.	
Resolve, to Establish the Co State	Emergency mmission to Recommend Methods for	
		S.P. 139 L.D. 353 (C "A" S-129)
Tabled - May 28, 2025 by Se	enator DUSON of Cumberland	
Pending - FINAL PASSAG	E in concurrence	
	9.	
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H.P. 402 L.D. 634 (C "A" H-259)

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11.

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Ensure a Just and Equitable Energy Transition for Maine's Workforce

S.P. 576 L.D. 1420 (C "A" S-157)

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12.

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Impact of Blockchain Technology and Cryptocurrency on Maine's Economy and the Risks of Fraud and Theft to Maine Consumers S.P. 515 L.D. 1286 (C "A" S-240)

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Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study Consumer Grocery Pricing Fairness
H.P. 1265 L.D. 1894
(C "A" H-457)

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Emergency

Resolve, to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry

H.P. 1069 L.D. 1615 (C "A" H-535)

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17.

Emergency

Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Update Maine's Public Policy on Higher Education H.P. 1016 L.D. 1558 (C "A" H-629)

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18.

Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Evaluate the Scope of Regulatory Review and Oversight over Health Care Transactions That Impact the Delivery of Health Care Services in the State

H.P. 1036 L.D. 1578 (C "A" H-625)

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Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Working Group to Review and Update the Laws Governing Harness Racing

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