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In Senate Chamber, Wednesday, January 7, 2026.

Pursuant to the provisions of Article IV, Part Third, Section 1 of the Constitution and the laws of the State of Maine, the Senate convened in the Senate Chamber at 10:00AM and was called to order by President **MATTHEA DAUGHERTY** of Cumberland County.

Prayer by Reverend John Allen of First Parish Church in Brunswick.

National Anthem Performed by Sarah Richardson of Portland.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Donna Bailey of York County.

Medical Provider of the Day, Lori Towne, MSN, FNP-BC of Dover-Foxcroft.

Matthea E. L. Daughtry
President of the Senate

Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

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QUORUM CALL

On motion by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland, the following Senate Order:

S.O. 26

ORDERED, that a message be sent to Governor Janet T. Mills informing her that in accordance with Article IV, Part 3, Section 1 of the Constitution of Maine, a quorum of Senators is assembled in the Senate Chamber for the consideration of such business as may come before the Senate.

On motion by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland, the following Senate Order:

S.O. 27

ORDERED, that a message be sent to House of Representatives informing that body that in accordance with Article IV, Part 3, Section 1 of the Constitution of Maine, a quorum of Senators is assembled in the Senate Chamber for the consideration of such business as may come before the Senate.

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.P. 829

**MAINE SENATE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE**

December 3, 2025

Hon. Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
132nd Legislature

Hon. Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House
132nd Legislature

Dear Madam President and Mr. Speaker:

On December 3, 2025, 21 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 December 3, 2025, as follows:

Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Bill "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) (Sponsored by Senator INGWERSEN of York) (Cosponsored by Representative PLUECKER of Warren and Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, BLACK of Franklin, President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, TIPPING of Penobscot, ROTUNDO of Androscoggin, Representatives: SALISBURY of Westbrook, GRAHAM of North Yarmouth) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Resolve, Authorizing the Director of the Bureau of Parks and Lands to Make Certain Land Transactions in Aroostook and Somerset Counties (S.P. 822) (L.D. 2006) (Sponsored by Senator BERNARD of Aroostook) (Submitted by the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Education and Cultural Affairs

Bill "An Act to Create a Process for the Residents of a Municipality to Withdraw from a School Union" (S.P. 805) (L.D. 1992) (Sponsored by Senator RAFFERTY of York) (Submitted by the Department of Education pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Improve Localization of Emergency Broadcast Messaging" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 819) (L.D. 2003) (Sponsored by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Provide Funding to the Maine School of Science and Mathematics and Clarify Sending School Administrative Unit Obligations" (S.P. 827) (L.D. 2008) (Sponsored by Senator GROHOSKI of Hancock) (Cosponsored by Representative MURPHY of Scarborough and Senators: STEWART of Aroostook, RAFFERTY of York, BERNARD of Aroostook, LIBBY of Cumberland, Representatives: GERE of Kennebunkport, BABIN of Fort Fairfield, FROST of Belgrade) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Health and Human Services

Bill "An Act to Increase Access to the Progressive Treatment Program Fund" (S.P. 801) (L.D. 1989) (Sponsored by Senator MOORE of Washington) (Submitted by the Department of Health and Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Clarify Responsibilities of the State in the Laws Governing General Assistance" (S.P. 809) (L.D. 1996) (Sponsored by Senator INGWERSEN of York) (Submitted by the Department of Health and Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Laws Governing Facilities for Children and Adults Under the Health and Human Services Laws" (S.P. 815) (L.D. 2001) (Sponsored by Senator INGWERSEN of York) (Submitted by the Department of Health and Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Bill "An Act to Update the Requirements for Psychology Licensure" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 802) (L.D. 1990) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York) (Submitted by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "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) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York) (Submitted by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act Regarding Mail Order Delivery of Prescription Drugs" (S.P. 821) (L.D. 2005) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York) (Cosponsored by Representative MATHIESON of Kittery and Senators: HICKMAN of Kennebec, GROHOSKI of Hancock, CURRY of Waldo, RENY of Lincoln, NANGLE of Cumberland, TIPPING of Penobscot, Representative: CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Housing and Economic Development

Bill "An Act to Require the Maine Office of Community Affairs to Establish a Technical Assistance Materials Hub" (S.P. 808) (L.D. 1995) (Sponsored by Senator CURRY of Waldo) (Submitted by the Maine Office of Community Affairs pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Exclude Agricultural Leases from the Definition of 'Subdivision' Under the Planning and Land Use Regulation Laws" (S.P. 812) (L.D. 1999) (Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, BLACK of Franklin, HICKMAN of Kennebec, TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, CURRY of Waldo, TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Judiciary

Bill "An Act to Provide Immunity from Civil Liability for Justices of the Peace" (S.P. 807) (L.D. 1994) (Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland) (Submitted by the Judicial Department pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Authorize Issuance of Securities to Modernize and Consolidate Certain Court Facilities" (S.P. 810) (L.D. 1997) (Sponsored by Senator HAGGAN of Penobscot) (Submitted by the Judicial Department pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Labor

Bill "An Act to Increase the Annual Cap on Funds Assessed for the Safety Education and Training Fund" (S.P. 806) (L.D. 1993) (Sponsored by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot) (Submitted by the Department of Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Marine Resources

Bill "An Act to Authorize an Educational Requirement for Seaweed Permit Holders" (S.P. 803) (L.D. 1991) (Sponsored by Senator TEPLER of Sagadahoc) (Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Extend the Maine Lobster Marketing Collaborative to December 31, 2031" (S.P. 816) (L.D. 2002) (Sponsored by Senator RENY of Lincoln) (Submitted by the Department of Marine Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

State and Local Government

Bill "An Act to Allow a Political Subdivision to Enter into Federal Bankruptcy Proceedings" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 828) (L.D. 2009) (Sponsored by Senator MOORE of Washington) (Cosponsored by Representatives: TUELL of East Machias, FAULKINGHAM of Winter Harbor, UNDERWOOD of Presque Isle, MCINTYRE of Lowell) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Veterans and Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act to Update the Campaign Finance Laws" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 814) (L.D. 2000) (Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec) (Submitted by the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act Regarding the Prohibition of Online Sweepstakes Games" (S.P. 825) (L.D. 2007) (Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec) (Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.P. 842

**MAINE SENATE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE**

December 9, 2025

Hon. Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
132nd Legislature

Hon. Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House
132nd Legislature

Dear Madam President and Mr. Speaker:

On December 9, 2025, 7 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 December 9, 2025, as follows:

Education and Cultural Affairs

Bill "An Act to Amend the Education Laws Regarding the State Board of Education's Authority Concerning Degree-granting Institutions" (S.P. 838) (L.D. 2045) (Sponsored by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Update Certain Duties Regarding Student Health Related to Communicable and Infectious Disease" (S.P. 839) (L.D. 2046) (Sponsored by Senator RAFFERTY of York) (Submitted by the Department of Education pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Energy, Utilities and Technology

Bill "An Act to Raise the Ogunquit Sewer District Debt Limit" (S.P. 833) (L.D. 2043) (Sponsored by Senator LAWRENCE of York) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

State and Local Government

Bill "An Act to Eliminate the Requirement for Municipalities to Provide Public Notice in a Newspaper" (S.P. 831) (L.D. 2042) (Sponsored by Senator BLACK of Franklin) (BY REQUEST) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Taxation

Bill "An Act to Allow for the Transferability of the Biofuel Production and Renewable Chemicals Tax Credits" (S.P. 837) (L.D. 2044) (Sponsored by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Transportation

Resolve, Regarding Online Driver Education (S.P. 840) (L.D. 2047) (Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook) (BY REQUEST) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Veterans and Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Fantasy Contest Licensing" (S.P. 841) (L.D. 2048) (Sponsored by Senator TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin) (Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-3) The Following Communication:

S.P. 857

**MAINE SENATE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE**

December 15, 2025

Hon. Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
132nd Legislature

Hon. Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House
132nd Legislature

Dear Madam President and Mr. Speaker:

On December 15, 2025, 12 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 December 15, 2025, as follows:

Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Bill "An Act to Require Municipal and County Jails to Be Available at All Times for Detention of Persons Arrested on Criminal Charges by Maine Law Enforcement Officers" (S.P. 845) (L.D. 2058) (Sponsored by Senator TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative HASENFUS of Readfield and Senators: BEEBE-CENTER of Knox, CURRY of Waldo) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Education and Cultural Affairs

Bill "An Act to Expand Access to Early Childhood Nutrition by Establishing a Grant Program for Public Preschools" (S.P. 853) (L.D. 2064) (Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Senators: PIERCE of Cumberland, INGWERSEN of York, RAFFERTY of York, Representatives: SALISBURY of Westbrook, EATON of Deer Isle, MURPHY of Scarborough) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Environment and Natural Resources

Bill "An Act to Clarify Activities Allowed Under the Natural Resources Protection Act" (S.P. 851) (L.D. 2063) (Sponsored by Senator TEPLER of Sagadahoc) (Submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Health and Human Services

Bill "An Act to Provide One-time Funds to Support the Construction of a Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility for At-risk Youth" (S.P. 854) (L.D. 2065) (Sponsored by Senator INGWERSEN of York) (Cosponsored by Representative GRAMLICH of Old Orchard Beach and Senators: BAILEY of York, MOORE of Washington, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MEYER of Eliot, STOVER of Boothbay, DAIGLE of Fort Kent) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Establish the Child Care Employment Award" (S.P. 855) (L.D. 2066) (Sponsored by Senator INGWERSEN of York) (Cosponsored by Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, MOORE of Washington, NANGLE of Cumberland, ROTUNDO of Androscoggin, Representative: Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Bill "An Act to Provide Additional Financing Options to Consumers in the State" (S.P. 843) (L.D. 2056) (Sponsored by Senator CURRY of Waldo) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Make Technical Changes to the Maine Uniform Securities Act and to Clarify the Securities Administrator's Authority to Grant Licensing Exemptions for Broker-Dealers" (S.P. 846) (L.D. 2060) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York) (Submitted by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Prohibition on Paper Billing Statement Fees" (S.P. 847) (L.D. 2061) (Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York) (Cosponsored by Representative FOLEY of Wells and Representatives: MORRIS of Turner, MATHIESON of Kittery, ARFORD of Brunswick, FLYNN of Albion, BOYER of Cape Elizabeth) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Housing and Economic Development

Bill "An Act to Support Rehabilitation and Development of Affordable Manufactured Housing Communities" (S.P. 844) (L.D. 2057) (Sponsored by Senator CURRY of Waldo) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Judiciary

Bill "An Act to Provide Required Funding for the Reimbursement of Assigned Counsel and to Develop the Public Defender Office for Cumberland County" (EMERGENCY) (S.P. 852) (L.D. 2059) (Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland) (Cosponsored by Representative MOONEN of Portland and Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, DUSON of Cumberland, Representative: SINCLAIR of Bath) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Labor

Bill "An Act to Include Certain Community Mental Health Workers Under the 1998 Special Plan for Retirement" (S.P. 856) (L.D. 2067) (Sponsored by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot) (Cosponsored by Senators: President DAUGHERTY of Cumberland, HICKMAN of Kennebec, Representatives: Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford, ROEDER of Bangor, DHALAC of South Portland, RANA of Bangor) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Transportation

Bill "An Act to Enhance the Safety of Public Transit Bus Operators Through the Installation of Vehicle Security Barriers" (S.P. 849) (L.D. 2062) (Sponsored by Senator PIERCE of Cumberland) (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.)

Sincerely,

S/Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

(2-4) The Following Communication:

S.C. 596

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 11, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 3, MRSA, Chapter 10, §227, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission, effective immediately:

Lise Pelletier of Fort Kent, serving a term of one year;

Jonathan LaBonté of Auburn, serving a term of one year.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-5) The Following Communication:

S.C. 597

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 11, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under PL 5 MRSA §203-C, I am pleased to appoint Jamar Williams to the Maine Recovery Council, serving as a member representing reentry services for incarcerated and formerly incarcerated individuals and their families, effective the date of this letter.

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-6) The Following Communication:

S.C. 601

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 23, 2025

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Senate Rule 201.3, I have appointed Senator Richard T. Bradstreet of Kennebec County to serve on the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development, replacing Senator Richard A. Bennett of Oxford County. This appointment is effective immediately.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-7) The Following Communication:

S.C. 602

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 23, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 105, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Housing Production Innovation Working Group*, effective immediately:

Senator Glenn “Chip” Curry of Waldo, serving as a member of the Senate from one of the two parties holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature and who serves on the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development;

Senator Richard Bradstreet of Kennebec, serving as a member of the Senate from one of the two parties holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature and who serves on the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development;

Rebecca Hatfield, serving as a member from the residential construction and building materials manufacturing industries.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-8) The Following Communication:

S.C. 613

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 1, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Maine Resolves Chapter 108, S.P. 688, LD 1770, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Real Estate Property Tax Relief Task Force*, effective immediately:

Senator Nicole Grohoski of Hancock County, serving a member of the Senate with expertise or background in the area of taxation;

Senator Bruce Bickford of Androscoggin County, serving as the member of the Senate from the party holding the second largest number of seats in the Legislature;

Peace Mutesi, serving as the member with lived experience of poverty who is a representative of low-income residents of the State;

Dick Woodbury, serving as the member who is a representative of economists or who is a tax expert;

Phil Saucier, serving as the member who has legal experience with constitutional issues or property tax issues.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-9) The Following Communication:

S.C. 616

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 13, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Part 18-A, Chapter 395, §13302, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Social Equity Program Advisory Committee*, effective immediately:

Senator Rachel Talbot Ross of Cumberland County, serving as a member of an impacted community;

Darmita Wilson, serving as a member of an impacted community.

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-10) The Following Communication:

S.C. 617

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 13, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Maine Resolves Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Senator Jill Duson of Cumberland County, serving a member of the Senate, to the *Blue Economy Task Force*, effective September 24, 2025.

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-11) The Following Communication:

S.C. 619

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 20, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 104, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Commission to Recommend Methods for Preventing Deed Fraud in the State*, effective immediately:

Senator Henry Ingwersen, serving as a member of the Senate of the party holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature and as the Senate chair;

Senator Marianne Moore, serving as a member of the Senate of the party holding the 2nd largest number of seats in the Legislature;

Nancy Hammond, serving as a member who is a register of deeds in the State;

Carrie Cody, Esq., serving as a member who is an experienced title attorney in the State;

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-12) The Following Communication:

S.C. 620

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 20, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 107, H.P. 1069 – 1615, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Commission to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry*, effective immediately:

Senator Donna Bailey, serving as a member of the Senate and as the Senate chair;

Senator Cameron Reny, serving as a member of the Senate;

Therese Cahill, serving as the member who is a representative of the Maine Dental Association;

Director Danica Loring, CDA, EFDA., as the member who is a representative of federally qualified health centers that provide dental services;

Dr. Israel Adeloye, DMD, MPH, FICD, CCHP, serving as the individual who is a dentist licensed to practice in the State.

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-13) The Following Communication:

S.C. 621

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 3, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority Resolves Chapter 106, H.P. 1036, L.D. 1578, I am pleased to appoint the following to 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*, effective immediately:

Senator Mike Tipping, serving as a member of the Senate of the party holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature;

Senator David Haggan, serving as a member of the Senate of the party holding the 2nd largest number of seats in the Legislature;

Roger Poitras, as the individual representing an independently owned specialty health care practice;

Kristine M. Ossenfort Esq., serving as the individual representing a health insurance carrier;

Angela Cole Westhoff, serving as the individual who represents a statewide association of nursing homes or other long- term care facilities;

Christina Maguire, serving as a member representing hospitals.

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-14) The Following Communication:

S.C. 622

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 5, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 104, I am pleased to appoint John Brautigam to the *Commission to Recommend Methods for Preventing Deed Fraud in the State*, effective immediately.

Mr. Brautigam will serve as the individual who represents civil legal aid providers for residents of this State who are elderly.

Please let me know if you have questions about this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-15) The Following Communication:

S.C. 627

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 19, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Rule 371, I have made the following appointment to the Government Oversight Committee:

Senator Stacey Guerin (R-Penobscot)

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-16) The Following Communication:

S.C. 650

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 29, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law, Chapter 218, H.P. 981 – L.D. 1497, I am pleased to appoint Senator Henry Ingwersen of Arundel to the *Primary Care Advisory Council*, effective immediately.

Henry Ingwersen will serve as a member of the council as appointed by the Senate President.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-17) The Following Communication:

S.C. 652

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

November 3, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under MRS Title 5, Chapter 631, §25002, I am pleased to appoint Karin Leuthy of Camden to the *Permanent Commission on the Status of Racial, Indigenous and Tribal Populations*, effective immediately.

Karin Leuthy will serve as a representative of an economic policy organization or other data-focused organization.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-18) The Following Communication:

S.C. 654

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

November 10, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law, Chapter 126, H.P. 665 – L.D. 1029, I am pleased to appoint Amy Hausmann of Richmond to the Maine Semiquincentennial Commission, effective immediately.

Amy will serve as a representative of a statewide organization that promotes arts and culture in the State.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-19) The Following Communication:

S.C. 660

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

November 17, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Chapter 163, §2003, I am pleased to reappoint Aaron Weston of Newburgh to the *Maine Library of Geographic Information Board*, effective immediately.

With this reappointment, Mr. Weston will continue to serve as a member of the board representing geographic information vendors.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-20) The Following Communication:

S.C. 662

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

November 21, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under MRSA Title 4, Part 30, Chapter 623, §24051, I am pleased to appoint Rachel Talbot-Ross of Portland to the *Maine Children's Cabinet Early Childhood Advisory Council*, effective immediately.

With this appointment, Sen. Talbot-Ross will serve on this advisory council as a member of the Senate from one of the two parties holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-21) The Following Communication:

S.C. 664

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 9, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under MRS Title 1, MRSA Chapter 13, §411, I am pleased to appoint Jason Moen of Naples to the *Right to Know Advisory Committee*, effective immediately.

With this appointment, Mr. Moen will serve on this committee as a representative of law enforcement interests.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-22) The Following Communication:

S.C. 666

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 10, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under MRS Title 5, Chapter 631, §25002, I am pleased to appoint the following individuals to the *Permanent Commission on the Status of Racial, Indigenous and Tribal Populations*, effective immediately.

Jason Shedlock of South Portland will continue to serve a representative of organized labor with expertise in labor rights and working conditions.

Dina Malual of Westbrook will continue to serve as a representative of an organization with expertise in legal and policy matters related to public benefit programs that assists individuals with low incomes.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-23) The Following Communication:

S.C. 676

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointments in Accordance with Public Law, Chapter 459

Dear Secretary Grant

I am nominating Amanda Burgess for the Advisory Council on Affordable Health Care as one member who has expertise in health economics and research.

In accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, §3123, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance, and Financial Services.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
Maine Senate President

(2-24) The Following Communication:

S.C. 677

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointments in Accordance with Public Law, Chapter 459

Dear Secretary Grant

I am nominating Dr. Richard Evans to the Advisory Council on Affordable Health Care as one member representing the interests of older members.

In accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 3123, this appointment is contingent on the Maine State Senate's confirmation after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance, and Financial Services.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
Maine Senate President

(2-25) The Following Communication:

S.C. 683

**STATE OF MAINE
132nd LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 6, 2026

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Senate Rule 201.3, I have appointed Senator Richard Bennett of Oxford County to serve on the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development, replacing Senator Richard Bradstreet of Kennebec County. This appointment is effective immediately. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate

(2-26) The Following Communication:

S.C. 589

**STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SECOND LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS**

June 25, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry, President of the Senate
The Honorable Ryan D. Fecteau, Speaker of the House
132nd Maine Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Daughtry and Speaker Fecteau,

We are pleased to report that all business which was placed before the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs during the First Special Session of the 132nd Legislature has been completed. The breakdown of bills and papers before our committee follows:

34 Total Numbers of Bills and Papers

2 Unanimous Reports

0 Ought Not To Pass
1 Ought To Pass As Amended
1 Referred to Another Committee

3 Divided Reports

1 Leave to Withdraw
28 Carried Over (*anticipated*)

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Margaret Rotundo
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Drew Gattine
House Chair

(2-27) The Following Communication:

S.C. 661

**SENATOR TERESA S. PIERCE
SENATE DISTRICT 25**

November 20, 2025

Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Maine Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear President Daughtry,

Please accept this letter as my resignation from the Maine Children's Cabinet Early Childhood Advisory Council, effective immediately.

Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions.

Sincerely,

S/Teresa Schmitt Pierce
Senate Majority Leader, District 25

(2-28) The Following Communication:

S.C. 590

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 2, 2025

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0002

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 22, Chapter 1683, Subchapter 1, §8718, I have reappointed the Honorable Poppy Arford of Brunswick to serve as the House member on the *Maine Health Data Organization Health Information Advisory Committee*, effective immediately.

Should you have any questions regarding this reappointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-29) The Following Communication:

S.C. 591

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 2, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 20-A, §12901, I am pleased to appoint the following House members to the *State Education and Employment Outcomes Task Force*, effective immediately:

Representative Christina Mitchell of Cumberland; and
Representative David Woodsome of Waterboro

Representative Mitchell and Representative Woodsome will each serve as members of the House of Representatives holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-30) The Following Communication:

S.C. 592

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 9, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 105, I am pleased to appoint the following House members to the *Housing Production Innovation Working Group*, effective immediately:

Representative Marc Malon of Biddeford;
Representative Arthur Mingo of Calais; and
Mr. Thatcher Butcher of Bethel

Representative Malon and Representative Mingo will serve as members from each of the 2 parties holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature and who serve on the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development.

Mr. Butcher will serve as a member from the residential construction and building materials manufacturing industries.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-31) The Following Communication:

S.C. 595

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 9, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint the following House members to the *Blue Economy Task Force*, effective immediately:

Representative Morgan Rielly of Westbrook; and
Representative Tiffany Strout of Harrington

Representative Rielly and Representative Strout will serve on this task force as members from each of the 2 parties holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-32) The Following Communication:

S.C. 598

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 16, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 104, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Commission to Recommend Methods for Preventing Deed Fraud in the State*, effective immediately:

Representative Adam Lee of Auburn will serve as the member of the House of Representatives of the party holding the largest number of seats in the Legislature. As first-named House member, Representative Lee will also serve as the House chair on the commission;

Representative Thomas Lavigne of Berwick will serve as the member of the House of Representatives of the party holding the 2nd largest number of seats in the Legislature;

Lt. Jason Richards of Vassalboro will serve as the individual who represents the Department of Public Safety, Maine State Police computer crimes Unit;

Hannah McMullen, Esq. of Augusta will serve as the individual who represents a statewide association of real estate brokers and who has experience in real estate transactions; and

Mark Samson of Auburn will serve as the individual who represents banking institutions in this State.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-33) The Following Communication:

S.C. 599

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 23, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5 MRSA, §20065, I am pleased to appoint the following members to the *Substance Use Disorder Services Commission*, effective immediately:

Representative Flavia DeBrito of Waterville will serve on this commission as a member of the House of Representatives who is also a member of the joint standing committee having jurisdiction over health and human services matters.

Representative Nina Milliken of Blue Hill will continue to serve on this commission as a member of the House of Representatives who is also a member of the joint standing committee having jurisdiction over criminal justice and public safety matters.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-34) The Following Communication:

S.C. 600

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 23, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under 5 MRSA, Chapter 9, §203-C, I am pleased to appoint the Honorable Raegan LaRochelle of Augusta to the *Maine Recovery Council*, effective immediately.

Ms. LaRochelle will serve on this council as a member who represents the harm reduction community.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-35) The Following Communication:

S.C. 603

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 24, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under M.R.S.A. Title 38, §420-B, I have appointed Representative Holly Eaton of Deer Isle to the *Surface Water Ambient Toxic Monitoring Program Advisory Group*, effective immediately.

Representative Eaton will serve on this advisory group as a nonvoting member who is a member of the House of Representatives and who serves on the Joint Standing Committee on Marine Resources.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-36) The Following Communication:

S.C. 604

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 24, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under MRSA 20-A, §11053, I am pleased to reappoint the Representative Holly Sargent of York to the *New England Board of Higher Education*, effective immediately.

Representative Sargent will continue to serve as the member of the House of Representatives.

Should you have questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-37) The Following Communication:

S.C. 605

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 24, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under 5 MRSA §12004-I, subsection 93, I am pleased to reappoint Representative Holly Stover of Boothbay to the *Maine Recovery Council*, effective immediately.

Honorable Holly Stover will continue to serve as my designee as a State Member, identified by the memorandum of understanding.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-38) The Following Communication:

S.C. 606

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 24, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under MRSA Title 3, Chapter 31, §901-A, I am pleased to appoint Representative Daniel Shagoury of Hallowell to the *State House and Capitol Park Commission*, effective immediately.

Representative Shagoury will serve as my representative on this commission.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-39) The Following Communication:

S.C. 607

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 24, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 3, MRSA, Chapter 10, §227, I am pleased to appoint Lisa Scali of Portland to the *Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission*, effective immediately.

Ms. Scali will serve on this advisory commission as a member who is a citizen of this State.

Should you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-40) The Following Communication:

S.C. 608

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 30, 2025

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Chapter 163, §2003, I am pleased to reappoint Patrick Cunningham of Hallowell to the *Maine Library of Geographic Information Board*, effective immediately.

Mr. Cunningham will continue to serve as a member of the private sector representing geographic information vendors.

Please contact my office if you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-41) The Following Communication:

S.C. 609

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 30, 2025

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves Chapter 107, H.P. 1069 – LD 1615, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Commission to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry*, effective immediately:

Representative Rana of Portland will serve on this commission as a member of the House of Representatives. As the first-named House member, Representative Rana will also serve as the House Chair of this commission;

Representative Lucien Daigle of Fort Kent will serve on this commission as a member of the House of Representatives who serves on the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services;

Dr. Riddhi Badamia of Plymouth, MA will serve as a foreign-trained dentist; and

Ms. Traci Dempsey of Bath will serve as a representative of the Maine Dental Hygienists' Association.

Please contact my office if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-42) The Following Communication:

S.C. 610

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

July 30, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Part 18-A, Chapter 395, §13302, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Social Equity Program Advisory Committee*, effective immediately:

Ms. Angela Okafor of Bangor will serve on this advisory committee as a member of an impacted community. As the first-named member appointed by the Speaker of the House, Ms. Okafor will serve as chair of this advisory committee;

Mr. Calvin Akers of Kittery will serve on this advisory committee as a member of an impacted community.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-43) The Following Communication:

S.C. 611

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 1, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Maine Resolves, Chapter 106, H.P. 1036, L.D. 1578, I am pleased to appoint the following to 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*, effective immediately:

Representative Michelle Boyer of Cape Elizabeth will serve on this commission as the House member of the party holding the largest number of seats;

Representative Robert Foley of Wells will serve on this commission as the House member of the party holding the 2nd largest number of seats;

Marie Vienneau of Bangor will serve on this commission as a member representing hospitals;

Susan Cheff of Glenburn will serve on this commission as a member representing health care providers;

Kate Ende of Augusta will serve on this commission as a member of the public representing health insurance consumers;

Trevor Putnoky of Yarmouth will serve on this commission as a member of a statewide association of health care purchasers; and

Adam Prescott of Portland will serve on this commission as a member of the public who is a lawyer who has practiced in the field of certificate of need law or mergers or acquisitions of health care entities.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-44) The Following Communication:

S.C. 612

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 1, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Maine Resolves, Chapter 108, S.P. 688, L.D. 1770, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Real Estate Property Tax Relief Task Force*, effective immediately:

Representative Ann Matlack of St. George as a House member who has expertise or background in taxation. As the first-named House member, she will serve as the House chair;

Representative Robert Nutting of Oakland will serve as the House member of the party holding the 2nd largest number of seats;

Matt Peters of Freeport will serve as the member who is involved in real estate, economic or housing development with expertise in long-term homeownership trends in the State;

Vinnie Caliendo of Westbrook will serve as the member who represents the business sector and who has paid property taxes over the last 10 years; and

Nick Cloutier of Scarborough will serve as the member who has expertise in assessing property taxes.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-45) The Following Communication:

S.C. 614

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 23, Part 3, Chapter 304, §3036, I am pleased to reappoint the following individuals to the *Maine Abandoned and Discontinued Roads Commission*, effective immediately:

John Monk of Newberg will continue to serve as a member of a statewide organization representing all-terrain vehicle users or snowmobile users;

Roberta Manter of Fayette will continue to serve as a member of a statewide association representing residents of the State living on or owning property that abuts or is accessible only by an abandoned or discontinued road; and

Honorable Catherine Nadeau of Mount Vernon will continue to serve as a member of the public who is a resident of Maine not directly affected by matters related to abandoned or discontinued roads.

If you have any questions regarding these reappointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-46) The Following Communication:

S.C. 615

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 13, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law, Chapter 218, H.P. 981 – L.D. 1497, I am pleased to appoint Representative Samuel Zager of *Portland to the Primary Care Advisor Council* effective September 24, 2025.

Representative Zager will serve on this council as the member of the House of Representatives.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-47) The Following Communication:

S.C. 618

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

August 27, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Part 18-A, Chapter 395, §13302, I am pleased to appoint Susan Kiralis of Vassalboro to the *Social Equity Program Advisory Committee*, effective immediately.

Ms. Kiralis will serve on this advisory committee as a member of an impacted community.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-48) The Following Communication:

S.C. 623

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 10, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Chapter 631, §25002, I am pleased to reappoint the following to the *Permanent Commission on the Status of Racial, Indigenous and Maine Tribal Populations*, effective October 2, 2025:

Amy Winston of Brunswick will continue to represent a community development financial institution;

Bruce King of Brunswick will continue to represent a historically disadvantaged racial population of the State; and

Amanda Comeau of Portland will continue to represent a housing or homelessness advocacy organization.

Should you have any questions regarding these reappointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-49) The Following Communication:

S.C. 624

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 10, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 10, MRSA Part 1, Ch. 1-A, §11.4-A (6), I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Citizen Trade Policy Commission*, effective immediately:

Carol Sanborn of Dresden will serve as a person who is active in the organized labor community; and

Drew Dumsch of Saco will serve as a member of a nonprofit environmental organization.

If you have any questions regarding these commission appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-50) The Following Communication:

S.C. 625

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 11, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, Chapter 371-A § 7030 of the Maine Revised Statutes, I am pleased to appoint the following to the *Permanent Commission on the Status of Women*, effective immediately:

Susan M. Andrews of Dover-Foxcroft, reappointment;
Dania Bowie of Cumberland, reappointment;
Anne B. Gass of Gray, reappointment; and
Khadija El Barkaoui of Portland.

They will each serve as members who are residents of the State who have knowledge of problems facing women in the State, have experience in advocacy relating to women's issues and provides leadership in programs or activities that improve opportunities for women.

If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-51) The Following Communication:

S.C. 629

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 24, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 1, MRSA, Ch. 13, Subchapter 1, §411.2-J, I am pleased to reappoint Judith Meyer of Auburn to the *Right to Know Advisory Committee*, effective immediately.

Ms. Meyer will continue to serve on this committee as a representative of newspaper publishers.

Should you have any questions regarding this reappointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-52) The Following Communication:

S.C. 635

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have appointed Representative Daniel Sayre of Kennebunk as House Chair to the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation, effective October 31, 2025.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-53) The Following Communication:

S.C. 636

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have appointed Representative Ann Matlack of St. George to the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, replacing Representative Kristen Cloutier of Lewiston, effective October 31, 2025.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-54) The Following Communication:

S.C. 637

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have rescinded my appointment of Representative Ann Matlack of St. George to the Government Oversight Committee, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this rescinded appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-55) The Following Communication:

S.C. 638

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have appointed Representative Holly Stover of Boothbay to the Government Oversight Committee, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-56) The Following Communication:

S.C. 639

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have rescinded, at the member's request, my appointment of Representative Tiffany Roberts of South Berwick to the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this rescinded appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-57) The Following Communication:

S.C. 640

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have appointed Representative Grayson Lookner of Portland to the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-58) The Following Communication:

S.C. 641

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have rescinded my appointment of Representative Ann Matlack of St. George to the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this rescinded appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-59) The Following Communication:

S.C. 642

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have temporarily appointed Representative Lori Gramlich of Old Orchard Beach to the Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this temporary appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-60) The Following Communication:

S.C. 643

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 7, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Pursuant to my authority under House Rule 201.1 (I) (a), I have temporarily appointed Representative Lori Gramlich of Old Orchard Beach to the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation, effective October 31, 2025.

Should you have any questions regarding this temporary appointment, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-61) The Following Communication:

S.C. 644

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 8, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under PL 23, Chapter 643, Part N, I am pleased to appoint Representative Julia McCabe of Lewiston to the *Working Group to Recommend Any Changes to Eligibility Standards for Expenditures from the Maine Mass Violence Care Fund*, effective October 31, 2025.

Representative McCabe will serve on this working group as a member of the House of Representative and as co-chair.

Should you have any questions regarding this appointment, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-62) The Following Communication:

S.C. 648

**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SPEAKER'S OFFICE
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 16, 2025

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant,

Pursuant to my authority under Title 5, MRSA, Chapter 163, §2003, I am pleased to reappoint Leticia vanVuuren of Rockland to the *Maine Library of Geographic Information Board*, effective October 28, 2025.

Ms. VanVuuren will continue to serve as a member of a statewide association of regional councils.

Please contact my office if you have any questions regarding this reappointment.

Sincerely,

S/Ryan D. Fecteau
Speaker of the House

(2-63) The Following Communication:

S.C. 649

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

September 29, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointment of Daniel Burgess as Temporary Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Energy

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to inform you that I have appointed Daniel Burgess of Falmouth as Temporary Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Energy.

This appointment was made pursuant to Title 5, MRS § 1, and provides authority to Mr. Burgess to exercise all powers and duties of the Commissioner of Energy.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-64) The Following Communication:

S.C. 653

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

October 24, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointment of Elaine Clark as Temporary Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to inform you that I am appointing Elaine Clark of Cumberland as Temporary Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, effective at the close of business on October 31, 2025.

This appointment was made pursuant to Title 5, MRS § 1, and provides authority to Mr. Burgess to exercise all powers and duties of the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-65) The Following Communication:

S.C. 669

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointment of Dale F. Doughty as Temporary Deputy Commissioner of the Department of Transportation

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to nominate Dale F. Doughty of Pittston for appointment as Commissioner of the Department of Transportation.

Pursuant to Title 23, MRSA, §4206, this nomination is contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-66) The Following Communication:

S.C. 670

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointment of Elaine L. Clark as Commissioner of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to nominate Elaine L. Clark of Cumberland Foreside for appointment as Commissioner of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services.

Pursuant to Title 5, MRSA, §281, this nomination is contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-67) The Following Communication:

S.C. 671

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

RE: Appointment of Daniel Burgess as Commissioner of the Department of Energy Resources

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to nominate Daniel Burgess of Falmouth for appointment as Commissioner of the Department of Energy Resources.

Pursuant to Title 35-A, MRSA, §10304, this nomination is contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee Energy and Utilities. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-68) The Following Communication:

S.C. 672

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Nominations to the Maine State Housing Authority

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to inform you that I am nominating Renee Lewis of Hollis and Paul Shepherd of Belfast for reappointment as Commissioners of the Maine State Housing Authority.

Pursuant to Title 30-A, MRSA §4723.2, these nominations are contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Housing and Economic Development.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-69) The Following Communication:

S.C. 673

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Nominations to the Board of Trustees of the Maine Public Employees Retirement System

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to inform you that I am nominating the following individuals to the Board of Trustees of the Maine Public Employees Retirement System:

- Richard Metivier of Lewiston for reappointment
- John Kimball of Norway for reappointment
- Nick Fuller Goggins of Portland for appointment

Pursuant to Title 5 M.R.S.A. §17102, these nominations are contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Labor. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-70) The Following Communication:

S.C. 674

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Mathea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

Re: Nominations to the Maine Labor Relations Board

Dear President Daughtry:

I am pleased to nominate the following individuals to the Maine Labor Relations Board:

- Joan Morin of Whitefield for appointment
- Alyssa Tibbetts, Esq. of Scarborough for reappointment
- Jessica Maher Esq. of Brunswick for reappointment
- Michael Miles of Westbrook for reappointment
- James Mackie of South Portland for reappointment
- Ann M. Freeman of Portland for reappointment

Pursuant to Title 26, MRSA §968, these nominations are contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Labor. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-71) The Following Communication:

S.C. 675

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

December 19, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Appointments to the Paid Family and Medical Leave Benefits Authority

Dear President Daughtry:

It is my pleasure to nominate the following individuals for appointment to the Paid Family and Medical Leave Benefits Authority.

- Benjamin K. Grant of Portland
- Samuel J. Hight of Skowhegan
- Christopher K. Washburn of Windham
- Jay A. Naliboff of Chesterville
- Jenni Tilton-Flood of Clinton
- Maria Fox of Portland
- David Barber of Cape Elizabeth

Pursuant to Title 26 MRSA §850-O, these appointments are contingent on confirmation by the Maine State Senate after review by the Joint Standing Committee on Labor.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-72) The Following Communication:

S.C. 682

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

January 6, 2026

The Honorable Matthea Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04333

RE: Maine Labor Relations Board

Dear President Daughtry:

Pursuant to Title 3 M.R.S.A., §154, I am withdrawing my nomination of James Mackie for reappointment to the Maine Labor Relations Board, at the request of the nominee.

This nomination is currently pending before the Joint Standing Committee on Labor.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

S/Janet T. Mills
Governor

(2-73) The Following Communication:

S.C. 665

**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

December 9, 2025

Honorable Matthea E.L. Daughtry
President of the Senate
132nd Maine Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Daughtry:

I am notifying you that, pursuant to 12 MRSA §683-A, I have forwarded to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry the following nomination made to the Maine Land Use Planning Commission by the Washington County Commissioners on December 1, 2025:

Wayne Jones of Trescott Township

The County asks that this nomination be considered to fill the four-year term that ended on July 8, 2025, which is scheduled to be filled by Washington County.

Pursuant to 12 MRSA 683-A, this appointment is subject to confirmation by the Maine Senate after review by the committee having jurisdiction over conservation matters.

Sincerely,

Suzanne M. Gresser
Executive Director

(2-74) The Following Communication:

S.C. 667

**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

December 16, 2025

Honorable Matthea E.L. Daughtry
President of the Senate
132nd Maine Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Daughtry:

I am notifying you that, pursuant to 12 MRSA §683-A, I have forwarded to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry the following nomination made to the Maine Land Use Planning Commission by the Penobscot County Commissioners on May 20th, 2025:

Peter L. Pray of Millinocket

The County asks that this nomination be considered to continue serving a new four-year term that begins July 8, 2025, which is scheduled to be filled by Penobscot County.

Pursuant to 12 MRSA 683-A, this appointment is subject to confirmation by the Maine Senate after review by the committee having jurisdiction over conservation matters.

Sincerely,

Suzanne M. Gresser
Executive Director

(2-75) The Following Communication:

S.C. 651

**STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SECOND LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY**

October 9, 2025

Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry, President of the Senate

Honorable Ryan D. Fecteau, Speaker of the House

132nd Legislature

State House

Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Daughtry and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that we have approved the request by the bill sponsor Sen. Pierce of Cumberland, to report the following bill Leave to Withdraw:

L.D. 694 An Act to Require Petitions for Interstate Transmission Lines to Include
Provisions for Conservation Funding

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Mark W. Lawrence
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Melanie Sachs
House Chair

(2-76) The Following Communication:

S.C. 628

**STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SECOND LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY**

September 23, 2025

Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry, President of the Senate

Honorable Ryan D. Fecteau, Speaker of the House

132nd Legislature

State House

Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Daughtry and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 596 Resolve, to Provide Legislative Approval of Northern Maine Transmission Infrastructure

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Mark W. Lawrence
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Melanie Sachs
House Chair

(2-77) The Following Communication:

S.C. 626

**STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SECOND LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

September 15, 2025

Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry, President of the Senate

Honorable Ryan D. Fecteau, Speaker of the House

132nd Legislature

State House

Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Daughtry and Speaker Fecteau:

Pursuant to Joint Rule 310, we are writing to notify you that the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has voted unanimously to report the following bill(s) out "Ought Not to Pass":

L.D. 35 An Act to Strengthen Local Emergency Medical Services by Increasing the MaineCare Reimbursement Rate for Ambulance Services

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Henry Ingwersen
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Michele Meyer
House Chair

(2-78) The Following Communication:

S.C. 663

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

November 18, 2025

Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Please find enclosed official copies of the final results from the November 4, 2025 Referendum Election.

Tabulations showing the results with municipal and county totals are posted on the Secretary of State's web site here:

<http://www.maine.gov/sos/cec/elec/results/index.html>

Sincerely,

S/Shenna Bellows
Secretary of State

Enclosures

(2-79) The Following Communication:

S.C. 668

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

December 17, 2025

The Honorable Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary Grant:

Governor Mills has set Tuesday, February 24, 2026 as the date for the Special Election to be held in District 94.

Please find enclosed a certified copy of the Governor's Proclamation. Please contact the Division of Elections at 624-7650 if you have any questions regarding this election.

Sincerely,

S/Shenna Bellows
Secretary of State

Enclosure

(2-80) The Following Communication:

S.C. 679

MAINE CHILD WELFARE OMBUDSMAN

December 31, 2025

Mr. Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Re: 2025 Annual Report of the Child Welfare Ombudsman

Dear Secretary Grant,

Enclosed please find 45 copies of the 2025 Annual Report of the Child Welfare Ombudsman to be distributed to members of the Maine Senate and staff. The Child Welfare Ombudsman is required to report to the Maine Legislature each year pursuant to 22 M.R.S.A. § 4087-A.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

S/Christine Alberi

(2-81) The Following Communication:

S.C. 681

**DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES
BUREAU OF THE BUDGET**

To: The Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry, President of the Senate
Members of the 132nd Senate
The Honorable Ryan D. Fecteau, Speaker of the House
Members of the 132nd House of Representatives

From: S/Darryl Stewart, Acting State Budget Officer

Date: December 31, 2025

Subject: Federal Mandates

The State Budget Officer is required by 5 M.R.S.A., Section 1670, to submit a list, to all members of the Legislature, of any new laws, regulations, or other actions that may require the State to comply with any new federal mandate in the current biennium or the next biennium.

Attached please find the report of federal mandates as submitted from the various State departments and agencies.

If you should have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact the Budget Office at (207) 624-7810.

Thank you.

(2-82) The Following Communication:

S.C. 678

**STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

December 30, 2025

The Honorable Matthea Elisabeth Larsen Daughtry
President of the Senate
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0003

Dear President Larsen Daughtry,

Pursuant to 5 MRSA § 12009, I am submitting the Report of Board and Commission Appointments or Reappointments to you for the calendar year 2026. Additionally, I am providing a report that lists appointments or reappointments which have not been made from previous years through December 31, 2025. This report also indicates vacancies which exist on a board or commission that needs a new appointment. If you would like a breakdown of only your appointments, we would be pleased to provide this to you as well.

If you have any questions concerning these reports or need additional information, please contact me or Cathy Beaudoin, Director of the Division of Corporations, UCC and Commissions at 207-624-7748.

Sincerely,

S/Shenna Bellows
Secretary of State

SENATE PAPERS

(3-1) Resolve, Authorizing the Department of Administrative and Financial Services to Convey the Interests of the State in Certain Real Property in Bangor

S.P. 848 L.D. 2138

Presented by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.

Submitted by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-2) Resolve, Authorizing the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services to Convey the Interests of the State in Certain Real Property in East Millinocket

S.P. 850 L.D. 2139

Presented by Senator STEWART of Aroostook.

Submitted by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

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

(3-3) Bill "An Act to Reorganize the Emergency Medical Services' Board to Implement the Recommendations of the Blue Ribbon Commission to Study Emergency Medical Services in the State"

S.P. 817 L.D. 2128

Presented by Senator BAILEY of York.

Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-4) Bill "An Act to Amend the Maine Emergency Medical Services Act of 1982 to Require Compliance with the Statewide Trauma-incidence Registry and Make Certain Technical and Other Changes"

S.P. 826 L.D. 2132

Presented by Senator TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland.

Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-5) Bill "An Act Regarding Licensing of Community Paramedicine Services and Clinicians"
S.P. 830 L.D. 2133

Presented by Senator BAILEY of York.

Submitted by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-6) Bill "An Act to Provide Funding to Improve the College and Career Readiness of Certain Students in Androscoggin and Oxford Counties"

S.P. 865 L.D. 2147

Presented by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representative MURPHY of Scarborough and Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, BICKFORD of Androscoggin, Representative: HEPLER of Woolwich.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-7) Bill "An Act to Direct a Portion of Unclaimed Beverage Container Deposits to the Lake Water Quality Restoration and Protection Fund, the Maine Working Farmland Access and Protection Program and Public Defender Office Staffing"

S.P. 859 L.D. 2141

Presented by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representative BRIDGEON of Augusta and Senator: TEPLER of Sagadahoc, Representatives: DOUDERA of Camden, MOONEN of Portland.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-8) Bill "An Act to Preserve and Improve Access to Nursing Facility Services in the State"
S.P. 824 L.D. 2131

Presented by Senator GROHOSKI of Hancock.

Cosponsored by Representative EATON of Deer Isle and Senators: CURRY of Waldo, MOORE of Washington, TIPPING of Penobscot, Representatives: COLLAMORE of Pittsfield, DHALAC of South Portland, DUCHARME of Madison, SHAGOURY of Hallowell, STOVER of Boothbay.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-9) Bill "An Act to Create an Exception to the Prohibition of Tobacco Sales in Retail Establishments Containing Pharmacies for Certain Small Grocery Stores"

S.P. 832 L.D. 2134

Presented by Senator CURRY of Waldo.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-10) Resolve, to Establish the Working Group to Prioritize Wellness and Mental Health Resources for Heritage Industries

S.P. 862 L.D. 2144

Presented by Senator INGWERSEN of York.

Cosponsored by Representative STROUT of Harrington and Senators: BLACK of Franklin, BRENNER of Cumberland, HICKMAN of Kennebec, MOORE of Washington, RENY of Lincoln, TEPLER of Sagadahoc, Representatives: HEPLER of Woolwich, PLUECKER of Warren.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-11) Bill "An Act to Increase Access to Critical Vaccinations"

S.P. 864 L.D. 2146

Presented by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senators: BAILEY of York, INGWERSEN of York, Representatives: Speaker FECTEAU of Biddeford, MATHIESON of Kittery, ZAGER of Portland.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-12) Bill "An Act to Improve Access to Affordable Prescription Drugs in Underserved Areas" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 872 L.D. 2151

Presented by Senator RENY of Lincoln.

Cosponsored by Representative DUCHARME of Madison and Senators: BAILEY of York, President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, HARRINGTON of York, MOORE of Washington, ROTUNDO of Androscoggin, Representatives: CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham, FOLEY of Wells, MORRIS of Turner.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-13) Bill "An Act to Prohibit Liens on Principal Residences and Wage Garnishments for Medical Debt"

S.P. 818 L.D. 2129

Presented by Senator BAILEY of York.

Cosponsored by Representative MATHIESON of Kittery and Senators: President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, GROHOSKI of Hancock, HICKMAN of Kennebec, NANGLE of Cumberland, RENY of Lincoln, TIPPING of Penobscot, Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, MORRIS of Turner.

(3-14) Bill "An Act to Modify Provisions of Law Governing Parking Enforcement on Property Accessible to the Public" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 836 L.D. 2137

Presented by Senator NANGLE of Cumberland.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **HEALTH COVERAGE, INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-15) Bill "An Act to Increase the Cap on Bonds Issued by the Maine State Housing Authority to Reflect Current Housing Production Needs in the State"

S.P. 813 L.D. 2127

Presented by Senator CURRY of Waldo.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-16) Bill "An Act Facilitating the Reconstruction or Replacement of Storm-damaged Commercial Fisheries Facilities and Infrastructure" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 861 L.D. 2143

Presented by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representative GOLEK of Harpswell.

Submitted by the Maine Office of Community Affairs pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-17) Bill "An Act to Protect Affordability in Mobile Home Parks and Manufactured Housing Communities" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 867 L.D. 2149

Presented by Senator RENY of Lincoln.

Cosponsored by Representative GOLEK of Harpswell and Senator BAILEY of York.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-18) Bill "An Act to Provide for the 2026 and 2027 Allocations of the State Ceiling on Private Activity Bonds" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 875 L.D. 2156

Presented by Senator CURRY of Waldo.

Submitted by the Finance Authority of Maine pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-19) Bill "An Act to Eliminate the Juvenile Crime of Willful Refusal to Pay a Fine or Comply with the Terms of a Court Order"

S.P. 804 L.D. 2126

Presented by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland.

Submitted by the Department of Corrections pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-20) Bill "An Act to Support Victims of Trafficking in Maine in Response to Federal Funding Cuts" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 835 L.D. 2136

Presented by Senator NANGLE of Cumberland.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-21) Bill "An Act to Establish Guidance for Awarding General Spousal Support"

S.P. 860 L.D. 2142

Presented by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland.

Submitted by the Family Law Advisory Commission pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 19-A, section 354, subsection 2.

(3-22) Bill "An Act to Establish Procedures for Restricting Access to State Property, Access to State Services and Communication with or Through State Entities" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 871 L.D. 2150

Presented by Senator GROHOSKI of Hancock.

Cosponsored by Representative MILLIKEN of Blue Hill and Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, CARNEY of Cumberland, HICKMAN of Kennebec, TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: HASENFUS of Readfield, HENDERSON of Rumford, LEE of Auburn, SINCLAIR of Bath.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **JUDICIARY** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-23) Bill "An Act to Decrease Offsets to Disability Retirement Benefits"
S.P. 863 L.D. 2145

Presented by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot.
Submitted by the Maine Public Employees Retirement System pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **LABOR** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-24) Bill "An Act to Amend the Laws Governing the Health Insurance Premium Cap for State Employees"

S.P. 866 L.D. 2148

Presented by Senator RENY of Lincoln.
Submitted by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-25) Bill "An Act to Reduce Household Energy Costs in Response to Federal Cuts"

S.P. 858 L.D. 2140

Presented by Senator TEPLER of Sagadahoc.
Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **TAXATION** suggested and ordered printed.

(3-26) Bill "An Act to Support Employment Opportunities for Military Spouses"
S.P. 823 L.D. 2130

Presented by Senator FARRIN of Somerset.

Cosponsored by Senators: GUERIN of Penobscot, STEWART of Aroostook, TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin.

(3-27) Bill "An Act to Provide Funding to Keep Maine Veterans Housed"
S.P. 834 L.D. 2135

Presented by Senator NANGLE of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CURRY of Waldo.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

(3-28) Bill "An Act to Clarify Certain Laws Governing Licenses for the Sale of Liquor by Manufacturers" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 874 L.D. 2155

Presented by Senator GROHOSKI of Hancock.

Cosponsored by Representative FRIEDMANN of Bar Harbor and Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, MARTIN of Oxford, Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, GRAHAM of North Yarmouth, HENDERSON of Rumford, HEPLER of Woolwich, STOVER of Boothbay, TERRY of Gorham.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** suggested and ordered printed.

ORDERS

Joint Orders

(4-1) On motion by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland, the following Joint Order:

S.P. 868

ORDERED, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they do so until Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 10:00 in the morning, or until the call of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, respectively.

(4-2) On motion by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland, the following Joint Order:

S.P. 869

ORDERED, the House concurring, that Bill, "An Act to Establish the Maine Life Science Innovation Center," S.P. 651, L.D. 1643, and all its accompanying papers, be recalled from the Governor's desk to the Senate.

(4-3) On motion by Senator **TALBOT ROSS** of Cumberland, the following Joint Order:

S.P. 870

ORDERED, the House concurring, that Bill, "Resolve, to Establish a Task Force to Create a Court Navigation Program Plan," S.P. 772, L.D. 1965, and all its accompanying papers, be recalled from the Governor's desk to the Senate.

(4-4) On motion by President **DAUGHERTY** of Cumberland, the following Joint Order:

S.P. 873

ORDERED, the House concurring, that Bill, "An Act to Increase Child Care Affordability and Early Childhood Educator Stability," S.P. 763, L.D. 1955, and all its accompanying papers, be recalled from the Governor's desk to the Senate.

(4-5) On motion by Senator **TIPPING** of Penobscot, the following Joint Order:
S.P. 876

ORDERED, the House concurring, that Bill, "An Act Regarding Cannabis Testing and the Manufacture of Cannabis and Hemp Products," S.P. 603, L.D. 1488, and all its accompanying papers, be recalled from the Governor's desk to the Senate.

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-6) the Thornton Academy Football Team, of Saco, which won the Class A State Championship, Coach Kevin Kezal's 200th career victory. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1486

Sponsored by Senator **BAILEY** of York.

Cosponsored by Representatives: **ARCHER** of Saco, **COPELAND** of Saco, **GATTINE** of Westbrook.

(4-7) Stella Foy, of Saco, a senior at Thornton Academy, who won the 2025 Class A Individual Girls Golf State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 1487

Sponsored by Senator **BAILEY** of York.

Cosponsored by Representatives: **ARCHER** of Saco, **COPELAND** of Saco, **GATTINE** of Westbrook.

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Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study Unmanaged Storm Water Pollution

H.P. 414 L.D. 646
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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
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Tabled - May 14, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**

3.

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Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study MaineCare Estate Recovery

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(C "A" H-129)

Tabled - May 21, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

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Resolve, to Create the Commission to Study a Legislative Internship 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 or Recodify Laws Regarding Residential Community Ownership Associations by Adopting the Uniform Common Interest 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.

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Resolve, to Study the Feasibility of Establishing a Dedicated Family Court in Maine

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Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

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Resolve, to Study Maine's Absolute Dominion and Beneficial Use Laws Relating to Water Rights

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Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

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Tabled - May 28, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

9.

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Reduction of Unfunded and Outdated Municipal and County Mandates

H.P. 402 L.D. 634
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Tabled - June 2, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

10.

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)

Tabled - June 2, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**

11.

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)

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

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

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Emergency

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study Consumer Grocery Pricing Fairness
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(C "A" H-457)

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

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**

13.

Resolve, to Establish a Pilot Project to Facilitate the Inclusion of Economic Impact Statements in the Legislative Process

H.P. 1108 L.D. 1673
(C "A" H-562)

Tabled - June 10, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

14.

Emergency

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

S.P. 358 L.D. 793
(C "A" S-376)

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

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

15.

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study and Recommend Solutions for Modernizing and Improving the Effectiveness of the Legislature

S.P. 657 L.D. 1649
(C "A" S-368)

Tabled - June 16, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

16.

Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Judicial Disciplinary Process

H.P. 1211 L.D. 1810
(C "A" H-680)

Tabled - June 16, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

17.

An Act to Amend the Tax Expenditure Review Process and Centralize Incentive Data Collection

H.P. 726 L.D. 1107
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Tabled - June 16, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **ENACTMENT** in concurrence

18.

Resolve, to Establish a Commission to Study the Role of Private Equity in Maine's Economy and in Key Economic Sectors

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Tabled - June 17, 2025 by Senator **DUSON** of Cumberland

Pending - **FINAL PASSAGE** in concurrence

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