



Senate of Maine

One Hundred and Thirty-Second Legislature
Second Regular Session

Advance Journal and Calendar

26th Legislative Day

In Senate Chamber, Wednesday, April 8, 2026.

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

Prayer by Senator Stacey K. Guerin of Penobscot County.

National Anthem Performed by Lily-Reese Sarelle Cole of Sidney.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Marianne Moore of Washington County.

Reading of the Journal of Tuesday, April 7, 2026.

Medical Provider of the Day, Kyle Klosowski, MD of Chester.

Matthea E. L. Daughtry
President of the Senate

Darek M. Grant
Secretary of the Senate

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PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-1) SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act Regarding the Laws of the State of Maine"

S.P. 312 L.D. 695
(C "A" S-627)

Report "A" - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-627)** (7 members)

Report "B" - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (S-628)** (5 members)

Report "C" - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "C" (S-629)** (1 member)

In Senate, April 6, 2026, Report "A", **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-627)**, **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-627)**.

Comes from the House, Report "C", **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "C" (S-629)**, **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "C" (S-629)** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-2) An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Carbon Monoxide Detectors

H.P. 1342 L.D. 2012
(C "A" H-966)

In Senate, April 6, 2026, **FAILED ENACTMENT** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Bill was **PASSED TO BE ENACTED**.

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-3) Bill "An Act to Require the Cooperation of Original Manufacturers of Electronic Devices to Facilitate the Repair of Those Devices by Device Owners and Independent Repair Providers"
S.P. 749 L.D. 1908

In Senate, April 6, 2026, **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-563) AS AMENDED BY SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-632)** thereto in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Bill was **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (S-564)**.

Non-Concurrent Matter

(1-4) HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act to Change Supervisory Authority over the Capitol Police"
H.P. 1454 L.D. 2165

Majority - **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-971)** (8 members)

Minority - **Ought Not to Pass** (5 members)

In Senate, April 6, 2026, the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-971)** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.

Comes from the House, that Body having **INSISTED** on its former action whereby the Minority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report was **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-5) the York Boys Hockey Co-op Team, which won the Class B State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 673

(1-6) the Dirigo High School Boys Varsity Wrestling Team, of Dixfield, which won the Class B Duals State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 674

(1-7) Kelsey Theriault, of Rumford, who has received the 2026 Volunteer of the Year Award from the River Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 678

(1-8) Hotel Rumford, which has received the 2026 Customer Service Award from the River Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 679

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

Joint Resolutions

(1-9) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1517

**JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF
OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNECOLOGISTS ON THE OCCASION OF ITS 75TH
ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists was founded in 1951 and for 75 years has advanced the health and well-being of patients through excellence in clinical practice, education advocacy and research; and

WHEREAS, the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists represents more than 62,000 health care professionals nationwide, including 217 members in Maine who provide essential obstetric and gynecologic care to patients across the State; and

WHEREAS, the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists and its members in Maine have championed initiatives to improve maternal health, protect the patient-physician relationship and protect access to health care; and

WHEREAS, the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists works to create a stronger, more sustainable practice environment for obstetrician-gynecologists and their patients; and

WHEREAS, the 75th anniversary of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists offers an opportunity to recognize its historic contributions and reaffirm the Legislature's commitment to advancing the health of patients in the State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-second Legislature now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists on the occasion of its 75th anniversary, to express our appreciation for its service and leadership and to commend its members for their dedication to improving the health of patients; and be it further

RESOLVED: That a suitable copy of this resolution, duly authenticated by the Secretary of State, be transmitted to the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

Comes from the House, **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

(1-10) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1518

**JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING FEBRUARY 2026 AS TEEN DATING
VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH**

WHEREAS, according to the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, or CDC, teen dating violence includes 4 types of behavior: physical violence, sexual violence, psychological aggression and stalking; and

WHEREAS, according to the National Institute of Justice, technology-facilitated abuse is a growing social malady contributing to increased psychological aggression among teens; and

WHEREAS, technology-facilitated abuse includes, but is not limited to, cyber extortion, cyberstalking and doxing; and

WHEREAS, according to the Cyberbullying Research Center, over 1/4 of teens who had been in a romantic relationship at some point in the previous year said they had been the victim of at least one form of digital dating abuse; and

WHEREAS, while dating violence, domestic violence, sexual violence and stalking affect individuals regardless of age, teens are especially vulnerable; and

WHEREAS, according to the 2019 Youth Risk Behavior Survey, almost half of teens experienced at least one type of violence, and one in 7 teens experienced at least 2 types of violence; and

WHEREAS, one in 9 female and one in 36 male high school students report having experienced sexual dating violence in the last year; and

WHEREAS, the CDC reported that nearly one in 11 female teens and about one in 15 male teens reported experiencing physical dating violence in the last year; and

WHEREAS, teaching teens about the consequences of intimate partner violence and supporting the development of healthy, respectful and nonviolent relationships have the potential to decrease teen dating violence in future generations; and

WHEREAS, educating middle school students and their parents about the importance of building healthy relationships and preventing teen dating violence is key to deterring abuse before it begins; and

WHEREAS, according to the National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey of the CDC, 80% of female rape victims experienced their first rape before 25 years of age and almost half experienced their first rape before 18 years of age; and

WHEREAS, according to the same National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey, 26% of women and 15% of men who were victims of sexual violence, physical violence or stalking by an intimate partner in their lifetime first experienced these or other forms of violence by that partner before 18 years of age; and

WHEREAS, approximately 35% of women who were raped as minors were also raped as adults; and

WHEREAS, developing healthy relationship practices and standards in youth under 18 years of age can be critical to eliminating sexual violence and other forms of intimate partner violence; and

WHEREAS, teen dating violence is a preventable public health crisis that can negatively impact teens and youth, and teens who have experienced dating violence are more than twice as likely as others to consider suicide; and

WHEREAS, the CDC indicates that there are several community factors, including poverty, lack of institutions, relationships and norms that shape a community's social interactions, poor neighborhood support and cohesion, weak community sanctions against intimate partner violence and high alcohol outlet density, that place individuals at greater risk for perpetrating intimate partner violence; and

WHEREAS, the CDC also indicates that community factors, such as neighborhood collective efficacy and coordination of resources and services among community agencies, may reduce an individual's risk of perpetrating intimate partner violence; and

WHEREAS, primary prevention programs are a key part of addressing teen dating violence, and many successful examples of such programs include education, community outreach and social marketing campaigns that are culturally appropriate; and

WHEREAS, evidence-based programs such as the Coaching Boys Into Men program have demonstrated that teaching adolescent men how to have healthy and nonviolent relationships may increase positive bystander behavior and prevent adolescent men from becoming perpetrators of teen dating violence; and

WHEREAS, the federal Violence Against Women Act of 1994, as amended by the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013 and the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022, includes the SMART Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Act, which improves the coordination and effectiveness of programs to address abusive youth relationships; and

WHEREAS, skilled assessment and intervention programs are necessary for youth victims and abusers; and

WHEREAS, the designation of the month of February 2026 as Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Month will benefit schools, communities and families regardless of socioeconomic status, race and sex; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-second Legislature now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this occasion to:

1. Designate February 2026 as Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Month;
2. Express our support for communities in empowering teens to develop healthy relationships throughout their lives;
3. Recognize the impact of teen dating violence on public health and its specific and disproportionate impact on young women; and
4. Call on the people of the State, including youth, parents, schools, law enforcement, state and local officials, nonprofit organizations and interested groups to observe Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Month with appropriate programs and activities that promote awareness and prevention of teen dating violence.

Comes from the House, **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

(1-11) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 1519

**JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING APRIL 2026 AS SEXUAL ASSAULT
AWARENESS MONTH**

WHEREAS, sexual assault affects all communities in Maine and people of all races, genders and economic backgrounds, and over 14,000 people in Maine are sexually assaulted each year and one in 5 Maine citizens will experience sexual violence in their lifetimes; and

WHEREAS, the effects of sexual violence have wide-ranging public health ramifications and societal costs, and survivors and their loved ones can experience consequences including mental health crises, substance use disorder, homelessness, lost wages and health care costs, among others; and

WHEREAS, sexual violence affects certain groups more often, and that disproportionate impact is related to historical experiences of marginalization and oppression, providing evidence that sexual assault is a tool of control and power; and

WHEREAS, systems of support for survivors of sexual assault often have inadequate resources, do not provide adequate options for justice and healing and retraumatize survivors; and

WHEREAS, widespread stigma and misconceptions around sexual violence result in low rates of reporting of crimes, increased isolation and shame for victims and the continuation of cultures of violence; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness in our communities about the causes of and solutions to sexual violence can lead to long-term positive cultural and systemic changes, and building a future free from sexual violence requires us to commit to making those changes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-second Legislature now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize April 2026 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and to express our support for and encouragement of all those affected by sexual violence; and be it further

RESOLVED: That suitable copies of this resolution, duly authenticated by the Secretary of State, be transmitted to the Maine Coalition Against Sexual Assault as a token of our respect and support.

Comes from the House, **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

Joint Resolutions in Memoriam:

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

(1-12) Nancy Anne Canfield Crump, of Gorham. In the late 1950s, Ms. Crump worked in New York City with Dr. Albert Sabin, a Polish-American medical researcher best known for developing the oral polio vaccine. She was an active volunteer for the Parent-Teacher Organization, Scouting, Camp Fire and Woodfords Congregational Church in Portland and gave her dedicated support to local libraries in a variety of ways. She was the American Red Cross Volunteer of the Year following Hurricane Katrina. She drove an emergency response vehicle to impacted areas, delivering food, water and supplies to victims displaced in shelters. She later went to Romania, where she worked at an orphanage for over a month, caring for infants. She then traveled to Nigeria, where she helped administer polio vaccines when worldwide eradication was within reach. She served as the longtime President of the Westbrook Food Pantry, helping the pantry navigate the COVID-19 pandemic, an influx of New Mainers, cuts to federal nutrition funding and other federal changes affecting vulnerable communities. Ms. Crump will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family, friends and community;

HLS 675

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

(1-13) Richard "Rick" Urban, of Westbrook. Mr. Urban was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps, serving from 1976 to 1980. He had a 26-year fire service career with the South Portland Fire Department and was a member of IAFF Local 1476. Mr. Urban will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

HLS 676

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

(1-14) Charles "Chuck" Hinds, of Augusta. Mr. Hinds dedicated over 40 years of service to the Augusta School District as a guidance counselor, his thoughtful advice and unwavering support helping countless students navigate their paths in life. Outside of his professional life, he was a passionate and talented musician. An avid harmonica player, he played with the School Street Band. Mr. Hinds will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

HLS 677

Come from the House **READ** and **ADOPTED**.

COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

H.C. 420

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

April 7, 2026

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

Dear Secretary Grant:

The House voted today to insist on its former action whereby it accepted the Minority Ought Not to Pass Report of the Committee on Housing and Economic Development on Resolve, to Create a Tax Incentive Pilot Project to Encourage Businesses to Adopt a 4-day Workweek (S.P. 735) (L.D. 1865).

Sincerely,

S/Robert B. Hunt
Clerk of the House

ORDERS

Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) Jacqueline Johnston, of Gouldsboro, recipient of a Spirit of America Foundation Award. The Spirit of America Foundation was established to encourage and promote volunteerism, and the foundation presents awards to honor local individuals, organizations or projects in appreciation of community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2054

Sponsored by Senator MOORE of Washington.

Cosponsored by Representative: FAULKINGHAM of Winter Harbor.

(4-2) the Cape Elizabeth High School Congressional Debate Team, which won the 2026 Maine State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2055

Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BOYER of Cape Elizabeth, KESSLER of South Portland.

(4-3) Sophie Rughani, of Cape Elizabeth, who earned first place at the 2026 Debate State Championship in Novice Public Forum. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2056

Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BOYER of Cape Elizabeth, KESSLER of South Portland.

(4-4) Jonah Milton, of Cape Elizabeth, who earned first place at the 2026 Debate State Championship in Congressional House 1. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2057

Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BOYER of Cape Elizabeth, KESSLER of South Portland.

(4-5) Noelle Tadema-Wielandt, of Cape Elizabeth, who earned first place at the 2026 Debate State Championship in Novice Public Forum. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2058

Sponsored by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BOYER of Cape Elizabeth, KESSLER of South Portland.

(4-6) Ethan Patterson, of Brunswick, who received the Evan Spear Award, which is given to the top Class B South boys hockey player. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2066

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-7) Margaret Nichols, of Freeport, who has received the Girl Scout Gold Award. This is the highest award in Senior Girl Scouting and is given for excellence in skills development, leadership, personal growth and community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2067

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representative: SACHS of Freeport.

(4-8) Erin Aulman, of Brunswick, who won the Gold Medal in the Health Knowledge Bowl Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2068

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-9) Sean Gastonguay, of Brunswick, who won the Gold Medal in the Diesel Equipment Technology Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2069

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-10) Briella Ganza, of Brunswick, who won the Gold Medal in the Prepared Speech Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2070

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-11) Savannah Gates, of Brunswick, who won the Gold Medal in the Health Knowledge Bowl Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2071

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-12) Moira Yarbrough, of Brunswick, who won the Gold Medal in the Health Knowledge Bowl Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2072

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-13) Ava Garrett, of Brunswick, who won the Gold Medal in the Health Knowledge Bowl Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2073

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-14) Nick Foster, of Brunswick, who won the Silver Medal in the Welding Fabrication Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2074

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-15) Harlow Weaver, of Brunswick, who won the Silver Medal in the Welding Fabrication Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2075

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-16) Isaac Weed, of Brunswick, who won the Silver Medal in the Welding Fabrication Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2076

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-17) Landon Whitney, of Brunswick, who won the Silver Medal in the State Only Auto Tool Identification Competition at the 2026 State of Maine SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2077

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ANKELES of Brunswick, ARFORD of Brunswick, GOLEK of Harpswell.

(4-18) the Yarmouth/Freeport Girls Hockey Team, which won the Maine Principals' Association State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2078

Sponsored by President DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: PIERCE of Cumberland, Representatives: BELL of Yarmouth, SACHS of Freeport.

(4-19) the Bangor Historical Society, which has received the Spirit of the Region Cultural Award from the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2079

Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, RANA of Bangor, ROEDER of Bangor, SUPICA of Bangor.

(4-20) Carin Sychterz, of Bangor, who has received the Elizabeth Russell Volunteer of the Year Award from the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2080

Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, RANA of Bangor, ROEDER of Bangor, SUPICA of Bangor.

(4-21) Hollywood Casino Hotel & Raceway, of Bangor, which has received the Large Business of the Year Award from the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2081

Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, RANA of Bangor, ROEDER of Bangor, SUPICA of Bangor.

(4-22) Lougee & Frederick's Florist, of Bangor, which has received the Small Business of the Year Award from the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2082

Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, RANA of Bangor, ROEDER of Bangor, SUPICA of Bangor.

(4-23) the Maine Science Festival, a program of the Maine Discovery Museum, of Bangor, which has received the Nonprofit of the Year Award from the Bangor Region Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2083

Sponsored by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representatives: FAIRCLOTH of Bangor, RANA of Bangor, ROEDER of Bangor, SUPICA of Bangor.

(4-24) Samuel Stone Renda, of Gardiner, a Cadet Second Lieutenant in the Civil Air Patrol, who received the prestigious Brigadier General Billy Mitchell Award from the Civil Air Patrol Cadet Program. This award recognizes the recipient's sustained excellence in all four areas of cadet life: leadership, aerospace, fitness and character. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2084

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Representative: MONTELL of Gardiner.

(4-25) Meghan Rivard, of Augusta, a senior at Maine Arts Academy, who won the 2026 Maine Poetry Out Loud Competition. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2085

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Senator: BRADSTREET of Kennebec, Representatives: BRIDGEO of Augusta, ROLLINS of Augusta.

(4-26) Sexual Assault Crisis and Support Center, of Winthrop, which has received the Non-Profit of the Year Award from the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2086

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Representative: HASENFUS of Readfield.

(4-27) Joe Lajoie, of Sidney, who has received the CYNERGY Emerging Professional Award from the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2087

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Senator: BRADSTREET of Kennebec, Representatives: COLLINS of Sidney, NUTTING of Oakland.

(4-28) Sawyer Boulette, of Augusta, who has received the Beacon of the Valley Award from the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2088

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Senator: BRADSTREET of Kennebec, Representatives: BRIDGEO of Augusta, ROLLINS of Augusta.

(4-29) Keith Coulling, of Mount Vernon, who received the Margaret Peacock Community Hero Award from Watershed Friends. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2089

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Representative: FROST of Belgrade.

(4-30) Marc Lacasse, of Winthrop, who received the Watershed Business Hero Award from Watershed Friends. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2090

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Representative: HASENFUS of Readfield.

(4-31) Bill Logan, of Augusta, who has received the Business Person of the Year Award from the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2091

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Senator: BRADSTREET of Kennebec, Representatives: BRIDGEO of Augusta, ROLLINS of Augusta.

(4-32) Goggin's IGA, of Randolph, which has received the Large Business of the Year Award from the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2092

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Representative: LEMELIN of Chelsea.

(4-33) the late Paul Stein, of Manchester, who was posthumously awarded the Special Service Award by the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce;

SLS 2093

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Representative: SHAGOURY of Hallowell.

(4-34) the Windsor Fair, which has received the Heartbeat of the Community Award from the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2094

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Senator: RENY of Lincoln, Representative: SMITH of Palermo.

(4-35) Rose Prest-Morrison, of Limerick, a Physical Education/Health/Adaptive Physical Education Teacher at Sacopee Valley Elementary School, who was named the 2025 Dr. Richard H. Bartlett APE Teacher of the Year by the Maine Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2097

Sponsored by Senator LIBBY of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative: WOODSOME of Waterboro.

(4-36) the Spaulding Memorial Library, of Sebago, recipient of a Spirit of America Foundation Award. The Spirit of America Foundation was established to encourage and promote volunteerism, and the foundation presents awards to honor local individuals, organizations or projects in appreciation of community service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2098

Sponsored by Senator LIBBY of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative: WALKER of Naples.

(4-37) Aden Jeffers, of Fort Kent, who recently scored his 1,000th career point. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 2099

Sponsored by Senator BERNARD of Aroostook.
Cosponsored by Representative: DAIGLE of Fort Kent.

Joint Resolutions

Joint Resolutions in Memoriam:

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

(4-38) Barry Buck, of Portland. Mr. Buck will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2059

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-39) Richard Edward Barringer, of Portland. Mr. Barringer was a passionate champion for Maine's environment and the well-being of its citizens over a more than a 60-year career of public service. He was a veteran of the United States Coast Guard, serving as a lieutenant on active and reserve duty from 1959 to 1967. He taught at the Kennedy School of Government and directed the Massachusetts Bicentennial Commission. Moving to Maine in 1973, he became the first director of the Bureau of Public Lands for Governor Kenneth Curtis. There, he and his colleagues reclaimed 600,000 acres from paper companies and established public reserved lands such as Round Pond, the Bigelow Preserve and Cutler Coast. He was appointed commissioner of the Department of Conservation in 1975 by Governor James Longley and continued in that role for Governor Joseph Brennan. He served as Governor Brennan's state planning director from 1981 to 1986. After his government service, Mr. Barringer joined the University of Southern Maine as a research professor and graduate teacher in public policy, becoming the founding director of the Edmund S. Muskie School of Public Service. In a field of five, he competed in the Democratic primary for governor in 1994, coming in third behind Joseph Brennan and Thomas Allen. He continued his public service assisting Governor John Baldacci to enact legislation promoting Maine's quality of place. In retirement, he joined with other stewards of the outdoors to establish the Allagash Wilderness Waterway Foundation in 2011. He consulted on the New England Clean Energy Connect project from 2019 to 2022. He also contributed to the development of Portland Harbor Commons, a new public park along the Portland waterfront at the bottom of India Street. Mr. Barringer will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2060

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-40) Timothy Patrick Kelly, of Portland. Mr. Kelly had a successful career in sales and marketing in the Boston and Portland news outlets. He was most recently employed at Blue Lobster Maine Trees in Portland. Mr. Kelly will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2061

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-41) Edgar Gordon Drew, of Portland. Mr. Drew was a veteran of the United States Navy. He went on to work for the United States Postal Service. He also had a business in boat repairs after working in apprenticeships with Carroll Lowell in Portland and Even Keel Marina in Yarmouth. Mr. Drew will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2062

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-42) Jeffrey Scott MacMillan, of Portland. Mr. MacMillan had a successful career in landscaping in both Connecticut and Arkansas. Mr. MacMillan will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2063

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-43) Anne Cribby Sears, of Portland. An educator, Mrs. Sears taught first grade at Nathan Clifford School. Mrs. Sears will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family, friends and community;

SLS 2064

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-44) Marco Anthony DiSanto, of Portland. As a young man, Mr. DiSanto played semi-pro football for the Portland Seahawks, a team in a New England semi-pro football league, at Fitzpatrick Stadium. He served for four years in the Air National Guard. In 1965, John B. DiSanto and Sons was established with his father and brother. The company was incorporated in 1966, and Mr. DiSanto served as President. Over the years, the company helped build several banks and fire stations and took on several jobs for the City of Portland, including the Portland International Jetport, Hadlock Field, Troubh Ice Arena and Deering Oaks. The company was also involved in the Brunswick Naval Air Station and the Windham Correctional Facility. Mr. DiSanto designed and built Harvard Common, along with his brother, John, a 16-unit condominium complex in Portland. He was a devout Catholic who served as Eucharistic minister at St. Peter's Church in Portland and volunteered for the Bazaar for several years. He was also a member of the Order of Alhambra, a lifetime member of the Italian Heritage Center, and a lifetime member of the Bricklayers Union. Mr. DiSanto will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2065

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland, Representatives: BRENNAN of Portland, CROCKETT of Portland, LOOKNER of Portland, MOONEN of Portland, PUGH of Portland, SKOLD of Portland, YUSUF of Portland, ZAGER of Portland.

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

(4-45) William Crowley, of Farmingdale, a veteran of the United States Navy who served during the Vietnam War. Mr. Crowley will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family, friends and community;

SLS 2095

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Representative: MONTELL of Gardiner.

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

(4-46) Tammy Richardson, of Winthrop. After graduating from high school, Ms. Richardson worked as a dental assistant in Presque Isle before relocating to Wells in 1982. During the 1980s and early 1990s, she devoted herself to raising her family as a stay-at-home mother. She later spent more than a decade in the packing department at L.L. Bean. In the early 2000s, Ms. Richardson began a new chapter in public service as a social worker. She initially worked in group homes serving youth, and subsequently joined the Department of Health and Human Services, where she remained until 2024. Over the course of her tenure, she held a variety of roles, culminating in her service as a Youth Transition Specialist and member of the Maine Youth Leadership Advisory Team. Ms. Richardson will be long remembered and sadly missed by her family, friends and community;

SLS 2096

Sponsored by Senator HICKMAN of Kennebec.
Cosponsored by Representative: HASENFUS of Readfield.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

House

Divided Report

(5-1) The Majority of the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act to Automatically Seal Criminal History Record Information for Class D and Class E Crimes Relating to Marijuana Possession and Cultivation"

H.P. 1277 L.D. 1916

Reported that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senators:

BEEBE-CENTER of Knox
CURRY of Waldo
CYRWAY of Kennebec

Representatives:

HASENFUS of Readfield
ABDI of Lewiston
ARDELL of Monticello
BUNKER of Farmington
LAJOIE of Lewiston
MCINTYRE of Lowell
NUTTING of Oakland
PERKINS of Dover-Foxcroft

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-985)**.

Signed:

Representatives:

LOOKNER of Portland
MILLIKEN of Blue Hill

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED**.

Divided Report

(5-2) The Majority of the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act to Allow the Sealing of Criminal History Record Information Related to Convictions for Conduct That Is No Longer a Crime in the State"

H.P. 1278 L.D. 1917

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-984)**.

Signed:

Senators:

BEEBE-CENTER of Knox
CURRY of Waldo

Representatives:

HASENFUS of Readfield
ABDI of Lewiston
LAJOIE of Lewiston
LOOKNER of Portland
MILLIKEN of Blue Hill

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

Signed:

Senator:

CYRWAY of Kennebec

Representatives:

ARDELL of Monticello
BUNKER of Farmington
MCINTYRE of Lowell
NUTTING of Oakland
PERKINS of Dover-Foxcroft

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-984)** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-984)**.

Divided Report

(5-3) The Majority of the Committee on **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY** on Bill "An Act to Clarify the Criminal History Record Information Act with Respect to Criminal Charges Dismissed as the Result of a Plea Agreement"

H.P. 1279 L.D. 1918

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-983)**.

Signed:

Senators:

BEEBE-CENTER of Knox
CURRY of Waldo

Representatives:

HASENFUS of Readfield
BUNKER of Farmington
LAJOIE of Lewiston
LOOKNER of Portland
MCINTYRE of Lowell

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

Signed:

Senator:

CYRWAY of Kennebec

Representatives:

ARDELL of Monticello
MCINTYRE of Lowell
NUTTING of Oakland
PERKINS of Dover-Foxcroft

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-983)** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-983)**.

Divided Report

(5-4) The Majority of the Committee on **INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE** on Bill "An Act to Clarify the Laws Regarding Moose Hunting Permits for Hunting Outfitters"
H.P. 1378 L.D. 2054

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-976)**.

Signed:

Senators:

BALDACCI of Penobscot
CARNEY of Cumberland
GUERIN of Penobscot

Representatives:

BRIDGEO of Augusta
CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham
DILL of Old Town
LANCE of Paris
MASON of Lisbon
TERRY of Gorham
THORNE of Carmel
WOOD of Greene
WOODSOME of Waterboro

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

Signed:

Representative:

ROBERTS of South Berwick

(Representative REYNOLDS of the Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians - of the House - supports the Majority **Ought To Pass as Amended** Report.)

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-976)** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-976)**.

Divided Report

(5-5) The Majority of the Committee on **INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE** on Bill "An Act Regarding Public Records Maintained by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife"
H.P. 1512 L.D. 2236

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-986)**.

Signed:

Senators:

CARNEY of Cumberland
GUERIN of Penobscot

Representatives:

ROBERTS of South Berwick
BRIDGEO of Augusta
CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham
DILL of Old Town
TERRY of Gorham

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

Signed:

Representatives:

LANCE of Paris
MASON of Lisbon
THORNE of Carmel
WOODSOME of Waterboro

(Representative REYNOLDS of the Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians - of the House - supports the Majority **Ought To Pass as Amended** Report.)

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-986)** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-986) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-994)** thereto.

Divided Report

(5-6) Eight members of the Committee on **ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY** on Bill "An Act Regarding Energy, Utilities and Technology"

H.P. 207 L.D. 307

Reported in Report "A" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-881)**.

Signed:

Senators:

LAWRENCE of York
GROHOSKI of Hancock

Representatives:

SACHS of Freeport
GEIGER of Rockland
KESSLER of South Portland
RUNTE of York
WARREN of Scarborough
WEBB of Durham

Three members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "B" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-882)**.

Signed:

Senator:

HARRINGTON of York

Representatives:

FOSTER of Dexter
WADSWORTH of Hiram

Two members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "C" that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Representatives:

MCINTYRE of Lowell
PAUL of Winterport

Comes from the House with Report "A" **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-881) READ and ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-881)**.

Divided Report

(5-7) Eight members of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Ensure the Proper Operation of the State"

H.P. 651 L.D. 1004

Reported in Report "A" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-990)**.

Signed:

Senators:

BALDACCI of Penobscot
MARTIN of Oxford

Representatives:

SALISBURY of Westbrook
COPELAND of Saco
FARRIN of Jefferson
GREENWOOD of Wales
ROLLINS of Augusta
TUELL of East Machias

Two members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "B" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-991)**.

Signed:

Representatives:

ADAMS of Lebanon
POMERLEAU of Standish

One member of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "C" that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Representative:

UNDERWOOD of Presque Isle

Comes from the House with Report "A" **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-990) READ and ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-990)**.

Divided Report

(5-8) Five members of the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on Bill "An Act to Implement Recommendations of the Commission to Examine Reestablishing Parole"

H.P. 1300 L.D. 1941

Reported in Report "A" that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senator:

HAGGAN of Penobscot

Representatives:

BABIN of Fort Fairfield

CARUSO of Caratunk

HENDERSON of Rumford

POIRIER of Skowhegan

Four members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "B" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-977)**.

Signed:

Senator:

TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland

Representatives:

LEE of Auburn

PUGH of Portland

SATO of Gorham

Three members of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "C" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-978)**.

Signed:

Senator:

CARNEY of Cumberland

Representatives:

KUHN of Falmouth

O'HALLORAN of Brewer

One member of the same Committee on the same subject reported in Report "D" that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "C" (H-979)**.

Signed:

Representative:

SINCLAIR of Bath

Comes from the House with Report "C" **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-978) READ and ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-978)**.

Senate

Divided Report

(5-9) The Majority of the Committee on **JUDICIARY** on 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

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-641)**.

Signed:

Senators:

CARNEY of Cumberland
TALBOT ROSS of Cumberland

Representatives:

KUHN of Falmouth
CARUSO of Caratunk
HENDERSON of Rumford
LEE of Auburn
PUGH of Portland
SATO of Gorham
SINCLAIR of Bath

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

Signed:

Senator:

HAGGAN of Penobscot

Representatives:

BABIN of Fort Fairfield
O'HALLORAN of Brewer
POIRIER of Skowhegan

Divided Report

(5-10) The Majority of the Committee on **VETERANS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS** on Bill "An Act to Support Nonprofit Organizations by Authorizing the Operation of Electronic Lucky Seven Devices and Similar Sealed Ticket Games"

S.P. 742 L.D. 1902

Reported that the same **Ought Not to Pass**.

Signed:

Senator:

TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin

Representatives:

SUPICA of Bangor

FAIRCLOTH of Bangor

FROST of Belgrade

GRAHAM of North Yarmouth

HYMES of Waldo

MALON of Biddeford

TERRY of Gorham

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-614)**.

Signed:

Senators:

HICKMAN of Kennebec

DUSON of Cumberland

Representatives:

BOYER of Poland

CHAPMAN of Auburn

FREDERICKS of Sanford

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Unfinished Business

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

1.

Tabled and Later Assigned

An Act to Include in the Ranked-choice Election Method for General and Special Elections the Offices of Governor, State Senator and State Representative and to Make Other Related Changes
S.P. 660 L.D. 1666
(C "B" S-499)

Tabled - February 10, 2026 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - **ENACTMENT** in concurrence

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

2.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORT - on Bill "An Act to Support Investment in Agriculture"
H.P. 199 L.D. 299

Report -**Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-918)**

Tabled - April 2, 2026 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - **ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT** in concurrence

(In House, Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-918).**)

3.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Resolve, to Allow the Maine Turnpike Authority to Conduct a Pilot Program to Implement Automated Speed Control Systems in Highway Work Zones

S.P. 598 L.D. 1457

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-605) (11 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (1 member)

Tabled - April 2, 2026 by Senator **BENNETT** of Oxford

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

4.

Tabled and Later Assigned

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

S.P. 874 L.D. 2155

Tabled - April 6, 2026 by Senator **PIERCE** of Cumberland

Pending - **FURTHER CONSIDERATION**

(In Senate, March 24, 2026, Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-553).**)

(In House, Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-553) AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-965)** thereto in **NON-CONCURRENCE.**)

5.

Tabled and Later Assigned

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on **LABOR** on Bill "An Act to Amend the Requirements Governing Self-insurance Plans in the Paid Family and Medical Leave Benefits Program"

H.P. 1348 L.D. 2018

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-948) (9 members)

Minority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H-949) (3 members)

Tabled - April 6, 2026 by Senator **STEWART** of Aroostook

Pending - motion by Senator **TIPPING** of Penobscot to **ACCEPT** the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-948)** Report in concurrence (Roll Call Ordered)

(In House, Majority **OUGHT TO PASS AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-948)** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-948).**)

6.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORT - on Bill "An Act to Protect Students by Ensuring Schools Have Complete Information About School Employees and Applicants for Employment"

S.P. 893 L.D. 2192

Report -**Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-623)**

Tabled - April 6, 2026 by Senator **RAFFERTY** of York

Pending - **ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT**

7.

Tabled and Later Assigned

SENATE REPORTS - from the Committee on **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES** on 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

Majority - Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-613) (8 members)

Minority - Ought Not to Pass (5 members)

Tabled - April 6, 2026 by Senator **TEPLER** of Sagadahoc

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

8.

Tabled and Later Assigned

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

S.P. 867 L.D. 2149
(C "A" S-636)

Tabled - April 7, 2026 by Senator **CURRY** of Waldo

Pending - **PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-636)** in concurrence

(In Senate, **RECONSIDERED** whereby the Bill was **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-636)**, in concurrence.)

(In House, **FAILED ENACTMENT.**)

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L.D. 317 - H.P. 217 (C "A" H-193)	L.D. 761 - S.P. 320 (C "A" S-56)
L.D. 323 - H.P. 223 (C "A" H-209)	L.D. 783 - S.P. 341 (C "A" S-34)
L.D. 326 - H.P. 226 (C "A" H-524)	L.D. 794 - S.P. 359 (C "A" S-47)
L.D. 328 - H.P. 228 (C "A" H-102)	L.D. 799 - H.P. 506 (C "A" H-353)
L.D. 331 - H.P. 231 (C "A" H-270)	L.D. 814 - H.P. 521 (C "A" H-77)
L.D. 338 - H.P. 238 (C "A" H-159; H "A" H-798 to C "A" H-159)	L.D. 820 - H.P. 527 (C "A" H-324)
L.D. 340 - H.P. 240 (C "A" H-678)	L.D. 823 - S.P. 337 (C "A" S-201)
L.D. 355 - S.P. 141 (C "A" S-305)	L.D. 834 - S.P. 366 (C "A" S-336)
L.D. 361 - S.P. 152 (C "A" S-143)	L.D. 840 - S.P. 373 (C "A" S-18)
L.D. 415 - H.P. 269 (C "A" H-42)	L.D. 852 - H.P. 538 (C "A" H-636)
L.D. 419 - H.P. 273 (C "A" H-572)	L.D. 875 - H.P. 561 (C "A" H-44)
L.D. 435 - H.P. 289 (C "A" H-773)	L.D. 876 - H.P. 562 (C "A" H-338)
L.D. 437 - H.P. 291 (C "A" H-396)	L.D. 883 - H.P. 569 (C "A" H-934)
L.D. 441 - H.P. 295 (C "A" H-478)	L.D. 884 - H.P. 570 (C "A" H-60)
L.D. 457 - S.P. 190 (C "A" S-20)	L.D. 888 - H.P. 574 (C "A" H-143)
L.D. 461 - S.P. 194 (C "A" S-32)	L.D. 896 - S.P. 385 (C "A" S-183)
L.D. 462 - S.P. 196 (C "A" S-21)	L.D. 900 - S.P. 389 (C "A" S-146)
L.D. 467 - S.P. 205 (C "A" S-113)	L.D. 948 - H.P. 613 (C "A" H-699)
L.D. 468 - S.P. 206 (C "A" S-10)	L.D. 967 - H.P. 627 (C "A" H-84)
L.D. 477 - H.P. 306 (C "A" H-80)	L.D. 973 - H.P. 633 (C "A" H-181)
L.D. 493 - H.P. 322 (C "A" H-300)	L.D. 978 - H.P. 638 (C "C" H-928)
L.D. 496 - H.P. 325 (C "A" H-331)	L.D. 981 - S.P. 408 (C "A" S-384)
L.D. 500 - H.P. 329 (C "A" H-288)	L.D. 984 - S.P. 414 (C "A" S-309)
L.D. 504 - S.P. 222 (C "A" S-79)	L.D. 995 - H.P. 642 (C "A" H-76)
L.D. 505 - S.P. 223 (C "A" S-179)	L.D. 996 - H.P. 643 (C "A" H-341)
L.D. 510 - S.P. 228 (C "A" S-14)	L.D. 1003 - H.P. 650 (C "A" H-362)
L.D. 519 - H.P. 337 (C "A" H-954)	L.D. 1017 - S.P. 434 (C "A" S-149)
L.D. 522 - H.P. 341 (C "A" H-49; H "A" H-786 to C "A" H-49)	L.D. 1021 - S.P. 439 (C "A" S-255)
L.D. 524 - H.P. 343 (C "A" H-789)	L.D. 1022 - S.P. 440 (C "A" S-99)
L.D. 527 - H.P. 346 (C "A" H-715)	L.D. 1040 - H.P. 669 (C "A" H-100)
L.D. 534 - H.P. 353 (C "A" H-704)	L.D. 1043 - H.P. 672 (C "A" H-294)
L.D. 540 - H.P. 359 (C "A" H-144)	L.D. 1052 - H.P. 681 (C "A" H-527)
L.D. 549 - S.P. 199 (C "B" S-429)	L.D. 1056 - H.P. 685 (C "A" H-747)
L.D. 561 - S.P. 240 (C "A" S-225)	L.D. 1060 - H.P. 689 (C "A" H-149)
	L.D. 1061 - H.P. 690 (C "A" H-78)
	L.D. 1085 - H.P. 707 (C "A" H-450)

L.D. 1099 - H.P. 721 (C "A" H-623)
 L.D. 1106 - H.P. 725 (C "A" H-230)
 L.D. 1111 - H.P. 730 (C "A" H-158)
 L.D. 1123 - H.P. 742 (C "A" H-183)
 L.D. 1139 - S.P. 470 (C "A" S-80)
 L.D. 1167 - H.P. 772 (C "A" H-492)
 L.D. 1177 - H.P. 782 (C "A" H-240)
 L.D. 1187 - H.P. 792 (C "A" H-632; H "A" H-784 to C "A" H-632)
 L.D. 1202 - S.P. 491 (C "A" S-303)
 L.D. 1211 - S.P. 500 (C "B" S-432)
 L.D. 1219 - S.P. 508 (C "A" S-133)
 L.D. 1226 - H.P. 801 (C "A" H-333)
 L.D. 1236 - H.P. 811 (C "A" H-217)
 L.D. 1252 - H.P. 827 (C "A" H-249)
 L.D. 1261 - H.P. 836 (C "A" H-613)
 L.D. 1277 - H.P. 852 (C "A" H-551)
 L.D. 1282 - S.P. 510 (C "A" S-96)
 L.D. 1294 - S.P. 524 (C "A" S-389)
 L.D. 1311 - S.P. 541 (C "A" S-270)
 L.D. 1313 - S.P. 543 (C "A" S-410)
 L.D. 1382 - H.P. 904 (C "A" H-600)
 L.D. 1414 - S.P. 554 (C "A" S-518)
 L.D. 1419 - S.P. 575 (C "A" S-491)
 L.D. 1425 - S.P. 581 (C "A" S-150)
 L.D. 1443 - S.P. 584 (C "A" S-302)
 L.D. 1449 - S.P. 590 (C "A" S-381)
 L.D. 1474 - H.P. 966 (C "A" H-577)
 L.D. 1496 - H.P. 980 (C "A" H-666)
 L.D. 1502 - H.P. 986 (C "A" H-916)
 L.D. 1506 - H.P. 990 (C "A" H-729)
 L.D. 1515 - H.P. 999 (C "A" H-526)
 L.D. 1519 - H.P. 1004 (C "A" H-412; S "A" S-292)
 L.D. 1522 - H.P. 1007 (C "A" H-532)
 L.D. 1528 - S.P. 612 (C "A" S-84)
 L.D. 1530 - S.P. 614 (C "A" S-595)
 L.D. 1539 - S.P. 623 (C "A" S-287)
 L.D. 1544 - S.P. 628 (C "A" S-328)
 L.D. 1555 - H.P. 1013 (C "A" H-570)
 L.D. 1574 - H.P. 1032 (C "A" H-772)
 L.D. 1588 - H.P. 1046 (C "A" H-406)
 L.D. 1611 - H.P. 1065 (C "A" H-364)
 L.D. 1624 - H.P. 1078 (C "A" H-401)
 L.D. 1626 - H.P. 1080 (C "A" H-312)
 L.D. 1639 - S.P. 647 (C "A" S-275)
 L.D. 1640 - S.P. 648 (C "A" S-347)
 L.D. 1652 - H.P. 1093 (C "A" H-871)
 L.D. 1658 - H.P. 1099 (C "A" H-809)
 L.D. 1661 - H.P. 1102 (C "A" H-814)
 L.D. 1665 - S.P. 659 (C "A" S-416)
 L.D. 1705 - H.P. 1140 (C "A" H-611)
 L.D. 1706 - H.P. 1141 (C "A" H-458)
 L.D. 1720 - S.P. 673 (C "A" S-296)
 L.D. 1734 - S.P. 680 (C "A" S-288)
 L.D. 1735 - S.P. 681 (C "A" S-263)
 L.D. 1740 - H.P. 1158 (C "A" H-518)
 L.D. 1746 - H.P. 1164 (C "A" H-585)
 L.D. 1764 - H.P. 1183 (C "A" H-514)
 L.D. 1773 - S.P. 691 (C "A" S-177)
 L.D. 1805 - S.P. 705 (C "A" S-407)
 L.D. 1812 - H.P. 1213 (C "A" H-448)
 L.D. 1816 - S.P. 707 (C "A" S-427)
 L.D. 1820 - H.P. 1218 (C "A" H-651)
 L.D. 1843 - H.P. 1227 (C "A" H-445)
 L.D. 1848 - H.P. 1232 (C "A" H-498)
 L.D. 1855 - H.P. 1239 (C "A" H-297)
 L.D. 1859 - S.P. 729 (C "A" S-265)
 L.D. 1867 - S.P. 737 (C "A" S-360)
 L.D. 1870 - S.P. 740 (C "A" S-570)
 L.D. 1872 - H.P. 1243 (C "B" H-795)
 L.D. 1879 - H.P. 1250 (C "A" H-571)
 L.D. 1888 - H.P. 1259 (C "A" H-630)
 L.D. 1892 - H.P. 1263 (C "A" H-967)
 L.D. 1904 - S.P. 745 (C "A" S-523)
 L.D. 1910 - S.P. 751 (C "A" S-322)
 L.D. 1911 - S.P. 752 (C "A" S-634)
 L.D. 1932 - H.P. 1293 (C "A" H-936)
 L.D. 1948 - H.P. 1307
 L.D. 1954 - S.P. 762 (C "A" S-615)
 L.D. 1955 - S.P. 763 (C "B" S-515)
 L.D. 1957 - H.P. 1309 (C "A" H-900)
 L.D. 1980 - S.P. 775 (C "A" S-540)
 L.D. 1996 - S.P. 809 (C "A" S-555)
 L.D. 1997 - S.P. 810 (C "A" S-497)
 L.D. 2003 - S.P. 819 (C "A" S-526)
 L.D. 2008 - S.P. 827 (C "A" S-537)
 L.D. 2017 - H.P. 1347 (C "A" H-829)
 L.D. 2062 - S.P. 849 (C "A" S-532)
 L.D. 2064 - S.P. 853 (C "A" S-568)
 L.D. 2066 - S.P. 855 (C "A" S-513)
 L.D. 2067 - S.P. 856 (C "A" S-617)
 L.D. 2077 - H.P. 1392 (C "A" H-935)
 L.D. 2078 - H.P. 1393 (C "A" H-816)
 L.D. 2107 - H.P. 1422 (C "A" H-866)
 L.D. 2115 - H.P. 1430 (C "A" H-805)
 L.D. 2116 - H.P. 1431 (C "A" H-917)
 L.D. 2118 - H.P. 1433 (C "A" H-972)
 L.D. 2119 - H.P. 1434 (C "A" H-908; H "A" H-970 to C "A" H-908)
 L.D. 2121 - H.P. 1436 (C "A" H-913)
 L.D. 2122 - H.P. 1437 (C "A" H-960)
 L.D. 2123 - H.P. 1438 (C "A" H-876)
 L.D. 2124 - H.P. 1439 (C "B" H-888)
 L.D. 2125 - H.P. 1440 (C "A" H-821)
 L.D. 2127 - S.P. 813 (C "A" S-501)
 L.D. 2136 - S.P. 835 (C "A" S-534; H "A" H-865)
 L.D. 2137 - S.P. 836 (C "A" S-591)
 L.D. 2145 - S.P. 863 (C "A" S-546)
 L.D. 2146 - S.P. 864 (C "A" S-611)
 L.D. 2147 - S.P. 865 (C "A" S-500)
 L.D. 2151 - S.P. 872 (C "A" S-580)
 L.D. 2154 - H.P. 1443 (C "A" H-834)
 L.D. 2159 - H.P. 1448 (C "A" H-959)
 L.D. 2164 - H.P. 1453 (C "A" H-958)
 L.D. 2194 - S.P. 895 (C "A" S-582; S "A" S-589 to C "A" S-582)
 L.D. 2204 - S.P. 897 (C "A" S-600)
 L.D. 2216 - S.P. 903 (C "A" S-637)
 L.D. 2220 - H.P. 1497 (C "A" H-858)
 L.D. 2225 - S.P. 908 (C "A" S-603)
 L.D. 2228 - H.P. 1505 (C "A" H-946)
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L.D. 169 - H.P. 102 (C "A" H-129)
L.D. 364 - S.P. 156 (C "A" S-601)
L.D. 374 - S.P. 166 (C "A" S-496)
L.D. 624 - H.P. 392 (C "A" H-111)
L.D. 634 - H.P. 402 (C "A" H-259)
L.D. 646 - H.P. 414 (C "A" H-98)
L.D. 760 - S.P. 301 (C "A" S-122)
L.D. 793 - S.P. 358 (C "A" S-376)
L.D. 838 - S.P. 371 (C "A" S-566)
L.D. 847 - H.P. 533 (C "A" H-868)
L.D. 877 - H.P. 563 (C "A" H-831)
L.D. 1107 - H.P. 726 (C "A" H-708)
L.D. 1286 - S.P. 515 (C "A" S-240)
L.D. 1297 - S.P. 527 (C "A" S-42)
L.D. 1347 - S.P. 564 (C "A" S-132)
L.D. 1416 - S.P. 562 (C "A" S-550)
L.D. 1420 - S.P. 576 (C "A" S-157)
L.D. 1618 - H.P. 1072 (C "A" H-199)
L.D. 1649 - S.P. 657 (C "A" S-368)
L.D. 1673 - H.P. 1108 (C "A" H-562)
L.D. 1696 - H.P. 1131 (C "A" H-156)
L.D. 1810 - H.P. 1211 (C "A" H-680)
L.D. 1894 - H.P. 1265 (C "A" H-457)
L.D. 1921 - H.P. 1282 (C "A" H-806)
L.D. 1943 - H.P. 1302 (C "A" H-739)