

**Special Appropriations Table
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**Bills Carried Over Off The
Special Appropriations Table**

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LD 3 An Act To Strengthen "Permissible Inference" in the Law Concerning Dissemination of Sexually Explicit Material

Sponsor: Rep. Sykes of Harrison
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: F
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Increases violations of Class A, B and C crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs.

LD 63 An Act To Increase Access to After-school Programs

Sponsor: Rep. Barstow of Gorham
Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$500,000
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$500,000

LD 65 An Act To Provide Funding for Mentoring Programs

Sponsor: Rep. Fischer of Presque Isle
Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000

LD 68 An Act To Provide a Reward for Information Regarding the Murder of a Law Enforcement Officer

Sponsor: Rep. Harlow of Portland
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: B
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Potential current biennium cost increase - General Fund

LD 71 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Plea of Not Criminally Responsible by Reason of Mental Disease or Defect in Juvenile Cases

Sponsor: Rep. Sykes of Harrison
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: B
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Potential current biennium cost increase - General Fund

LD 123 An Act To Establish a Labor Center within the University of Maine System

Sponsor: Rep. Tuttle of Sanford
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 7
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$254,480	\$259,136	\$262,793	\$266,527
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$254,480	\$259,136	\$262,793	\$266,527

LD 149 An Act To Take into Account the Crime Committed That Facilitated a Sexual Assault

Sponsor: Rep. Crockett of Augusta
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: F
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: This bill allows the increase of certain offenses from Class C to Class B and Class B to Class A, increasing the average length of stay for offenders. It is discretionary for certain sentences to be served consecutively.

LD 186 An Act To Provide Funding to the St. Francis Water District for New Wells

Sponsor: Rep. Jackson of Allagash
 Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$50,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$50,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

LD 220 An Act To Clarify and Expand Maine Criminal Laws Related to Sexual Assault

Sponsor: Rep. Gerzofsky of Brunswick
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: F
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class C, D and E crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs

LD 239 An Act To Provide a Felony Penalty for Assault on a Firefighter

Sponsor: Rep. Duchesne of Hudson
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: F
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class C crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs

LD 262 An Act To Amend the Credit for Rehabilitation of Historic Properties

Sponsor: Rep. Koffman of Bar Harbor
Committee: Taxation

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
Engrosser: No

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	(\$87,097)	(\$725,517)	(\$2,124,112)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$87,097	\$725,517	\$2,124,112

LD 280 An Act To Make a Conviction for a 6th Operating under the Influence Charge a Class B Crime

Sponsor: Sen. Diamond of Cumberland
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: F
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Increases the class of crime for OUI to class B for person with 5 previous convictions; increases correctional and judicial costs. Sentences of more than nine months imposed for a Class B crime must be served in a state correctional facility. The average cost to the state for each sentence is \$98,327 based on an average length of stay of 2 years 7 months. Sentences of nine months or less imposed for a Class B crime must be served in a county jail. The average cost to a county for each sentence is \$26,677 based on an average length of stay of 8 months and 12 days.

LD 305 An Act To Increase the Availability of Cellular Telephone Service for Rural Residents

Sponsor: Rep. Jackson of Allagash
Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$125,000	\$125,000	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$125,000	\$125,000	\$0	\$0

LD 349 An Act To Provide a Tax Credit for the Purchase of Small Wind Power Generators for Personal or Small Business Use

Sponsor: Rep. Browne of Vassalboro
Committee: Taxation

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$22,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	(\$83,945)	(\$75,230)	(\$77,487)	(\$79,811)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$105,945	\$75,230	\$77,487	\$79,811

LD 372 An Act To Strengthen the Crime of Gross Sexual Assault as It Pertains to Persons Who Furnish Drugs to Victims

Sponsor: Sen. Nutting, J. of Androscoggin
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: F
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
 Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class B crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs. Sentences of more than nine months must be served in state correctional facilities. The average cost to the state for each sentence is \$98,327 based on an average length of stay of 2 years 7 months. Sentences of nine months or less imposed for a Class B crime must be served in county jails. The average cost to a county for each sentence is \$26,677 based on an average length of stay of 8 months and 12 days. The collection of additional fines may also increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

LD 424 An Act To Protect Children from Dangerous Drugs, Harmful Chemicals and Drug-related Violence

Sponsor: Rep. Cleary of Houlton
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: F
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
 Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class A crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs. The collection of additional fines may also increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

LD 461 An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Human Trafficking Task Force

Sponsor:
 Committee: Judiciary

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: F
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 4
 Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
 Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class B crimes and increases certain offenses to Class A offenses; increases correctional and judicial costs. The average cost to the state for each new Class B sentence is \$98,327 based on an average length of stay of 2 years and 7 months. The average cost to the state for increasing a Class B crime to a Class A is \$152,073 based on an average incremental difference of 4 years between the classes. This bill may increase the number of civil suits filed in the court system. The collection of additional filing fees may also increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

LD 652 Resolve, To Ensure Appropriate Personal Needs Allowances for Persons Residing in Long-term Care Facilities

Sponsor: Rep. Beaudoin of Biddeford
 Committee: Health and Human Services

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$445,590	\$594,120	\$594,120	\$594,120
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$445,590	\$594,120	\$594,120	\$594,120

LD 658 An Act To Protect the Health of Infants

Sponsor: Rep. Curtis of Madison
 Committee: Insurance and Financial Services

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
 Engrosser: No

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$36,810	\$38,651	\$40,583
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$36,810	\$38,651	\$40,583

LD 672 An Act To Strengthen the Scientific Research Support Capability of the Maine State Museum

Sponsor: Sen. Mitchell of Kennebec
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$62,754	\$87,747	\$91,628	\$95,684
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$62,754	\$87,747	\$91,628	\$95,684

LD 680 An Act To Increase Funding for the Spaying and Neutering of Companion Animals

Sponsor: Sen. Nutting, J. of Androscoggin
 Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	(\$94,100)	(\$100,000)	(\$100,000)	(\$100,000)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$94,100	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000

LD 701 An Act To Authorize the Operation of Slot Machines on Indian Island in Old Town

Sponsor: Rep. Loring of Penobscot Nation
 Committee: Legal and Veterans Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Sort: E
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

Table Notes: AFA voted to exempt; Carried Over by Bodies

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$317,603	\$192,177	\$195,651	\$199,229
Revenue	\$0	\$765,594	\$2,241,255	\$2,202,971	\$2,202,971
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	(\$447,991)	(\$2,049,078)	(\$2,007,320)	(\$2,003,742)

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class C crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs. Sentences for more than nine months imposed for a Class C crime must be served in a state correctional facility. The average cost to the state for each sentence is \$70,308 based on an average length of stay of 1 year, 10 months. Sentences of nine months or less imposed for a Class C crime must be served in a county jail. The average cost to a county for each sentence is \$19,947 based on an average length of stay of 6 months and 2 days.

LD 737 An Act To Promote Forest Management Planning and Certification

Sponsor: Rep. Watson of Bath
 Committee: Taxation
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Law Ref.:

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	(\$11,294)	(\$45,759)	(\$48,130)	(\$50,623)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$11,294	\$45,759	\$48,130	\$50,623

LD 790 An Act To Strengthen Rural Community Investment

Sponsor: Sen. Raye of Washington
 Committee: Business, Research and Economic Development
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Law Ref.:

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000	\$150,000

LD 817 An Act To Support the Maine Keeping Seniors Home Program

Sponsor: Rep. Campbell of Newfield
 Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Law Ref.:

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 2
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$350,000	\$350,000	\$350,000	\$350,000
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$350,000	\$350,000	\$350,000	\$350,000

LD 833 An Act To Support the Maine Patent Program

Sponsor: Rep. Fischer of Presque Isle
 Committee: Business, Research and Economic Development
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO

Law Ref.:

Sort: A
 Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
 Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$250,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$250,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

LD 952 An Act To Reduce the Income TaxSponsor: Sen. Courtney of York
Committee: Taxation

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TOSort: B
Motion: COActive Item: 2
Engrosser: No

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$8,932,896)	(\$6,155,234)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,932,896	\$6,155,234

LD 1001 An Act To Eliminate the Property Tax on Business Equipment Owned by Small RetailersSponsor: Sen. Courtney of York
Committee: Taxation

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TOSort: A
Motion: COActive Item: 2
Engrosser: No

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	(\$1,305,633)	(\$1,768,202)	(\$1,571,046)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$1,305,633	\$1,768,202	\$1,571,046

LD 1032 An Act To Improve Employment Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities in MaineSponsor: Sen. Strimling of Cumberland
Committee: Labor

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TOSort: A
Motion: COActive Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$56,437	\$75,160	\$77,290	\$79,486
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$56,437	\$75,160	\$77,290	\$79,486

LD 1099 An Act To Encourage Wind Energy DevelopmentSponsor: Sen. Strimling of Cumberland
Committee: Utilities and Energy

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TOSort: A
Motion: COActive Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	(\$23,725)	(\$47,400)	(\$47,400)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$23,725	\$47,400	\$47,400

LD 1223 An Act To Provide a Uniform Retirement Plan for Corrections Officers and Mental Health Workers

Sponsor: _____ Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: Labor
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Sort: B Active Item: 3
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
 Future biennium cost increase - Federal Expenditures Fund
 Future biennium cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

LD 1240 An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Criminal Law Advisory Commission

Sponsor: _____ Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Sort: F Active Item: 3
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
 County jail savings

Correctional/Judicial Impact: The bill elevates the crime of theft by extortion from a Class C crime to a Class B crime. Based on the present average length of stay for a Class C and Class B sentence, the average length of stay of each sentence is projected to increase by 14 months at an increased cost to the Department of Corrections of \$44,476 for each sentence. It also increases criminal penalties for fraud in home repairs by elevating certain Class D crimes to Class C crimes and Class C crimes to Class B crimes. This will increase the state prisoner population and lengths of stay, resulting in increased costs to the Department of Corrections. It will also shift prisoner population from county jail sentences to the state correctional system. The county jail system is projected to save an estimated \$6,795 for each inmate shifted to the state correctional system.

LD 1241 An Act To Provide Uniform Treatment of Prior Convictions in the Maine Criminal Code

Sponsor: _____ Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Sort: F Active Item: 3
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Increases the conditions under which certain Class A, B, C and D crimes occur; increases correctional and judicial costs. This legislation amends various Class A, B, C and D crimes and sentencing provisions by allowing prior convictions in other jurisdictions to be considered in sentencing. It also modifies the statutes to clarify that prior convictions uniformly include Maine convictions as well as convictions in other jurisdictions.

LD 1400 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Taxation of Partnerships

Sponsor: Sen. Perry, J. of Penobscot Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: Taxation
 House Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Sort: A Active Item: 3
 Senate Status: RECOMMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$33,300	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	(\$970,827)	(\$750,583)	(\$779,784)	(\$810,975)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$1,004,127	\$750,583	\$779,784	\$810,975

LD 1512 An Act To Change the Statute of Limitations for Gross Sexual Assault by a Juvenile

Sponsor: Sen. Bartlett of Cumberland
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: F
Motion: CO

Active Item: 5
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Extends the statute of limitation from 6 years to 10 years for juveniles for unlawful sexual contact that included penetration and gross sexual assault.
Will result in additional juvenile Class A, B or C crimes and increased correctional and judicial costs.

LD 1567 Resolve, To Demonstrate Cost Savings by Preventing the Onset of Severe Mental Illness in Youth

Sponsor: Rep. Eberle of South Portland
Committee: Health and Human Services

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: A
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$450,000	\$416,160	\$416,160	\$416,160
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$450,000	\$416,160	\$416,160	\$416,160

LD 1672 An Act Relating to Retirement and Death Benefits for Certain Law Enforcement Officers

Sponsor: President Edmonds of Cumberland
Committee: Labor

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: B
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
Current biennium cost increase - Federal Expenditures Fund

LD 1674 An Act To Amend the Habitual Offender and Felony Operating Under the Influence Laws

Sponsor: Sen. Diamond of Cumberland
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: F
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund
Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: Establishes new Class C crimes; increases correctional and judicial costs.
The collection of additional fines may also increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

LD 1873 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Stalking

Sponsor: President Edmonds of Cumberland
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Law Ref.:

House Status: RECOMMITTED TO
Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO

Sort: F
Motion: CO

Active Item: 3
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: This legislation expands the scope of prohibited conduct and aggravating factors of an offense as it relates to a Class D crime, elevating it to a Class C crime if the actor has prior convictions. This will increase the average length of stay by 1 year and 4 months (486 days) and must be served in a state correctional facility. The average increased cost to the state for each occurrence is \$50,165. The Judicial Department indicates that increasing minimum sentences by "assigning special weight" could require additional judicial resources for processing these cases. However, this bill could also prevent escalating violence and result in a reduction of trial days and needed resources. The net effect should be minimal on the Judicial Department.

LD 1876 Resolve, Regarding the Maine State Cultural Building in Augusta

Sponsor: _____ Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: State and Local Government
 House Status: RECOMMITTED TO Sort: B Active Item: 5
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Potential current biennium cost increase - General Fund
 Current biennium cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds
 Current biennium revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

LD 1878 An Act To Generate Savings by Changing Public Notice Requirements

Sponsor: Rep. Hayes of Buckfield Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: State and Local Government
 House Status: RECOMMITTED TO Sort: E Active Item: 2
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: No

Table Notes: Comm voted ONTP, never on table

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$175,000	(\$207,000)	(\$356,000)	(\$277,000)
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$175,000	(\$207,000)	(\$356,000)	(\$277,000)

LD 1897 An Act To Allow Blended Sentencing for Certain Juveniles

Sponsor: Sen. Diamond of Cumberland Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety
 House Status: RECOMMITTED TO Sort: F Active Item: 3
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional/Judicial Impact: This legislation allows blended sentencing for certain juveniles convicted as adults and sentenced to imprisonment if the juvenile has not attained 16 years of age at the time of sentencing. Prior to age 18 the time will be served in a juvenile facility. Once the juvenile reaches 18 the remaining time will be served at an adult correctional facility. A juvenile facility costs \$343.37 per day more than an adult facility, or \$125,330 more per year. This type of sentence occurs once every two years which implies an annualized cost of \$62,665 to the system if, on average, an offender turns 17 at the time the sentence begins.

LD 1923 An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Right To Know Advisory Committee Creating the Public Access Ombudsman

Sponsor: _____ Law Ref.: _____
 Committee: _____
 House Status: RECOMMITTED TO Sort: A Active Item: 2
 Senate Status: RECOMMITTED TO Motion: CO Engrosser: Yes

General Fund	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$29,659	\$40,748	\$41,963	\$43,216
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$29,659	\$40,748	\$41,963	\$43,216

Report Totals

Number of Bills: 43

General Fund Totals	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Appropriations	\$0	\$3,371,823	\$2,720,058	\$2,462,256	\$2,558,005
Revenue	\$0	(\$394,572)	(\$146,772)	(\$10,276,445)	(\$8,736,230)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$3,766,395	\$2,866,830	\$12,738,701	\$11,294,235