



# Senate of Maine

One Hundred and Thirty-First Legislature  
First Regular Session

Advance Journal and Calendar

**15th Legislative Day**

In Senate Chamber, Thursday, March 9, 2023.

Senate called to Order by President Pro Tem Matthea Daughtry of Cumberland County.

Prayer by Pastor Rick Stoops of First United Pentecostal Church in Augusta.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Stacey K. Guerin of Penobscot County.

Reading of the Journal of Tuesday, March 7, 2023.

Doctor of the day, Lisa Letourneau, MD, MPH.

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**Troy D. Jackson**  
*President of the Senate*

**Darek M. Grant**  
*Secretary of the Senate*

The Following Communication:

S.C. 171

**STATE OF MAINE  
131<sup>st</sup> LEGISLATURE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

March 7, 2023

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, please be advised that I appoint the Senator from Cumberland, Senator Matthea Daughtry, to serve as President Pro Tem to convene the Senate on Thursday, March 9, 2023.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

S/Troy D. Jackson  
President of the Senate

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Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, on motion by Senator **VITELLI** of Sagadahoc, the following Joint Order:

S.P. 460

ORDERED, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they do so until Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at 10:00 in the morning, or until the call of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, respectively.

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## PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

### Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(1-1) Ronda Irish, of Wilton, 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;

HLS 113

(1-2) Mary Dunham, of Avon, on her retirement as Town Clerk and Tax Collector of the Town of Avon after 34 years of public service. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 114

(1-3) Bruce Dunham, of Avon, for his 59 years of service as Avon's Town Constable. We extend our appreciation and best wishes;

HLS 115

(1-4) the Honorable Thomas Skolfield, of Weld, 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;

HLS 116

(1-5) Stacie Rundlett, of New Portland, 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;

HLS 117

(1-6) the Irving Tanning Community Center Board, of Hartland, 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;

HLS 118

(1-7) Robert Davids, of St. Albans, 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;

HLS 119

(1-8) the Rodney and Mary Barton Smith Family Foundation, of Portola Valley, California, 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;

HLS 120

(1-9) Timelines Community Inc/The Farwell Project, of Thorndike, 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;

HLS 121

(1-10) the late Steven Imondi, of Frankfort, a posthumous 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;

HLS 122

(1-11) Raymond Quimby, of Brooks, 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;

HLS 123

(1-12) Cynthia Odlin, of Hiram, 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;

HLS 124

(1-13) Rick Day, of Porter, 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;

HLS 125

(1-14) the late Robert Gorham, of Buxton, a posthumous 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;

HLS 126

(1-15) Tracey Rotondi, of Athens, 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;

HLS 127

(1-16) St. Peter's Food Pantry, of Bingham, 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;

HLS 128

(1-17) the Embden Community Club, 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;

HLS 129

(1-18) Gloria Bagley, of Harmony, 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;

HLS 130

(1-19) Carol Gerald, of Ripley, 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;

HLS 131

(1-20) the Scarborough High School Boys Indoor Track Team, which won the Class A State Championship, the team's 7th consecutive state championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 132

(1-21) the Scarborough High School Boys Swim Team, which won the Class A State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

HLS 133

(1-22) Ronald Heath, of Fayette, 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;

HLS 134

(1-23) Judy Hallowell, of Belgrade, 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;

HLS 135

(1-24) Alan and Mary Lou Butterfield, of Belgrade, recipients 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;

HLS 136

(1-25) Jeff Brackett, of New Sharon, 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;

HLS 137

(1-26) Lisa Goucher, of Vienna, 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;

HLS 138

(1-27) Dana Dunn, of Mount Vernon, 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;

HLS 139

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

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**Joint Resolutions**

(1-28) The following Joint Resolution:

H.P. 632

**JOINT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE ON  
THE ONE-YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF  
RUSSIA'S INVASION OF UKRAINE**

WHEREAS, on February 24, 2022, Russia illegally, without provocation and with brutal aggression invaded Ukraine, continuing the aggression it started with the illegal annexation of Crimea in 2014; and

WHEREAS, President Volodymyr Zelenskyy and the people of Ukraine have bravely resolved to stand firm and fight back against this attack on their country's sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity; and

WHEREAS, Russia is waging a barbarous war that includes systematic violations of international law, inhumane attacks on civilians and critical infrastructure, torture, sexual violence and forced deportation, kidnappings and illegal adoption of children; and

WHEREAS, nearly 14 million people, over a third of Ukraine's prewar population, have been displaced since the invasion began, with an estimated 6 million people being internally displaced and more than 8 million people fleeing Ukraine to neighboring countries, triggering Europe's largest refugee crisis since World War II; and

WHEREAS, there are at least 8,000 confirmed civilian deaths, including over 400 children, and over 13,000 civilians have been wounded; and

WHEREAS, Russia continues to attack and place its armed forces around Ukrainian nuclear sites, including the Zaporizhzhia Nuclear Power Plant; and

WHEREAS, Russia's unjustified war is having a global impact, with the world's most vulnerable suffering from increased food and economic insecurity, along with rising costs for energy and commodities; and

WHEREAS, President Putin has put Russia's nuclear deterrence forces on high alert, endangering not only Ukraine but also the global community by increasing the threat of nuclear war; and

WHEREAS, President Putin's attack on Ukraine represents a direct threat against democratic ideals and promotes autocracy; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations General Assembly, in its February 23, 2023 resolution, reiterated its clear demand for Russia to withdraw immediately from Ukraine's internationally recognized borders; and



WHEREAS, the people of Maine recognize that they share democratic values with the people of Ukraine and stand in solidarity with the people of Ukraine as they fight for their sovereignty, territorial integrity and democracy; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Legislature now assembled in the First Regular Session, pause in our deliberations to condemn the egregious, unprovoked Russian invasion of Ukraine and voice our support for peace, diplomacy and an immediate end to the invasion; and be it further

RESOLVED: That we support the United States Government's continued security, economic and humanitarian assistance to Ukraine and imposition of consequences on Russia for its war of aggression; and be it further

RESOLVED: That we encourage the citizens of the State to support Ukrainian Americans and the people of Ukraine in their urgent time of need.

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

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Joint Resolution in Memoriam:

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

(1-29) Kenneth Lyle Cianchette, of Pittsfield. Mr. Cianchette was a veteran of the United States Army, serving as a radio mechanic in Germany, France and England before returning home in 1946. He went to work with his brothers, incorporating Cianchette Brothers, Inc. in 1949. He invented and patented the pipe grab and beam clamp, the success of which led to the creation and distribution of tools worldwide. Living in Pittsfield for almost 80 years, he served on the Town Council, the Planning Board, the Industrial Park Board, the School Administrative District 53 School Board and the Pinnacle Ski Club. He served 24 years on the Unity College Board of Trustees and was awarded an honorary doctorate degree by the college, which later named a dormitory after him. He served on the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission in the 1970s and chaired an advisory council for the Maine Department of Commerce and Industry. He also served as President of the Associated General Contractors of Maine and on various other boards and committees. A pilot, he performed aerobatic stunts on weekends at Owl's Head Transportation Museum, which he served as a trustee, and was a member of many aviation associations. He was inducted into the Maine Central Institute Hall of Fame in 1989. Mr. Cianchette will be long remembered and sadly missed by his family and friends and all those whose lives he touched;

HLS 58

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

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COMMUNICATIONS

(2-1) The Following Communication:

S.C. 167

STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY

March 6, 2023

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson
President of the Senate of Maine
131st Maine State Legislature
State House
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry has had under consideration the nomination of Dr. John M. Jemison, Jr., Ph.D. of Orono, for reappointment to the Board of Pesticides Control.

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

Table with 4 columns: Category, Position, Count, and Name. Rows include YEAS (Senators: 3, Representatives: 9), NAYS (0), and ABSENT (1).

Twelve members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Dr. John M. Jemison, Jr., Ph.D. of Orono, for reappointment to the Board of Pesticides Control be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Henry Ingwersen
Senate Chair

S/Bill Pluecker
House Chair

(2-2) The Following Communication:

S.C. 174

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HOUSING**

March 2, 2023

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson  
President of the Senate of Maine  
131st Maine State Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Labor and Housing has had under consideration the nomination of Glenn W. Burroughs of Winthrop, for reappointment to the Workers' Compensation Board.

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

YEAS	Senators	1	Tipping, M. of Penobscot
	Representatives	7	Roeder, A. of Bangor, Drinkwater, G. of Milford, Geiger, V. of Rockland, Malon, M. of Biddeford, Russell, R. of Verona Island, Skold, C. of Portland, Soboleski, M. of Phillips
NAYS		0	
ABSENT		5	Sen. Daughtry, M. of Cumberland, Sen. Pouliot, M. of Kennebec, Rep. Bradstreet, D. of Vassalboro, Rep. Galletta, J. of Durham, Rep. Gere, T. of Kennebunkport

Eight members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Glenn W. Burroughs of Winthrop, for reappointment to the Workers' Compensation Board be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Michael Tipping  
Senate Chair

S/Amy Jean Roeder  
House Chair

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(2-3) The Following Communication:

S.C. 175

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HOUSING**

March 2, 2023

The Honorable Troy Dale Jackson  
President of the Senate of Maine  
131st Maine State Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with 3 M.R.S.A., Section 157, and with Joint Rule 505 of the Maine Legislature, the Joint Standing Committee on Labor and Housing has had under consideration the nomination of Penny Picard of Palmyra, for reappointment to the Workers' Compensation Board.

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

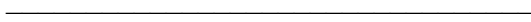
YEAS	Senators	2	Tipping, M. of Penobscot, Pouliot, M. of Kennebec
	Representatives	9	Roeder, A. of Bangor, Bradstreet, D. of Vassalboro, Drinkwater, G. of Milford, Geiger, V. of Rockland, Gere, T. of Kennebunkport, Malon, M. of Biddeford, Russell, R. of Verona Island, Skold, C. of Portland, Soboleski, M. of Phillips
NAYS		0	
ABSENT		2	Sen. Daughtry, M. of Cumberland, Rep. Galletta, J. of Durham

Eleven members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and zero in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Penny Picard of Palmyra, for reappointment to the Workers' Compensation Board be confirmed.

Signed,

S/Michael Tipping  
Senate Chair

S/Amy Jean Roeder  
House Chair



(2-4) The Following Communication:

S.C. 169

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH COVERAGE, INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES**

March 3, 2023

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, Senate President  
Honorable Rachel Talbot Ross, Speaker of the House  
131<sup>st</sup> Maine State Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Talbot Ross,

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

L.D. 723      An Act to Protect Consumers by Prohibiting Discrimination by  
Insurers Based on Certain Information

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Donna Bailey  
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Anne C. Perry  
House Chair

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(2-5) The Following Communication:

S.C. 170

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY**

March 02, 2023

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate  
Honorable Rachel Talbot Ross, Speaker of the House  
131st Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Talbot Ross:

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

L.D. 215      Resolve, to Require the Commissioner of Public Safety to Conduct a Study Regarding Cadet Law Enforcement Officers Who Are Injured and Law Enforcement Officers Who Leave the Sponsoring Agency

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Anne Beebe-Center  
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Suzanne M. Salisbury  
House Chair

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(2-6) The Following Communication:

S.C. 172

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

March 03, 2023

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate  
Honorable Rachel Talbot Ross, Speaker of the House  
131st Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Talbot Ross:

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. 357      An Act to Require the Nonwires Alternative Coordinator to Review and Analyze Plans to Build, Upgrade or Replace a Substation

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Mark W. Lawrence  
Senate Chair

S/Rep. S. Paige Zeigler  
House Chair

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(2-7) The Following Communication:

S.C. 168

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE**

March 03, 2023

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate  
Honorable Rachel Talbot Ross, Speaker of the House  
131st Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Talbot Ross:

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

L.D. 261                      An Act to Reinstate a Minimum Age for Hunting

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. David P. LaFountain  
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Scott Landry  
House Chair

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(2-8) The Following Communication:

S.C. 173

**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIRST LEGISLATURE  
COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

March 06, 2023

Honorable Troy Dale Jackson, President of the Senate  
Honorable Rachel Talbot Ross, Speaker of the House  
131st Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Jackson and Speaker Talbot Ross:

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

L.D. 334     An Act to Ensure the Full Value of the Balance of Registration Fees Is Retained by the Seller of Used Motor Vehicles

This is notification of the Committee's action.

Sincerely,

S/Sen. Ben Chipman  
Senate Chair

S/Rep. Lynne A. Williams  
House Chair

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**SENATE PAPERS**

(3-1) Bill "An Act to Change Responsibility for Animal Control Officer Training to the Department of Public Safety"

S.P. 455 L.D. 1121

Presented by Senator HARRINGTON of York.

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

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(3-2) Bill "An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Fund New Affordable Housing for Low-income Households"

S.P. 443 L.D. 1074

Presented by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

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

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(3-3) Bill "An Act to Clarify the Criminal Statutes with Regard to Assaults on Emergency Medical Services Persons"

S.P. 453 L.D. 1119

Presented by Senator BENNETT of Oxford.  
Cosponsored by Representative PERRY of Calais.

(3-4) Bill "An Act Regarding Certification Credentials for the Office of Sheriff"

S.P. 458 L.D. 1124

Presented by Senator LAWRENCE of York.

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

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(3-5) Bill "An Act to Address Student Hunger and Nutrition Through Expanded Access to Free Milk in Schools" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 465 L.D. 1128

Presented by Senator TIPPING of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representative MILLETT of Cape Elizabeth and Senators: INGWERSEN of York, LIBBY of Cumberland, MOORE of Washington, RENY of Lincoln, Representatives: OSHER of Orono, WHITE of Waterville, ZAGER of Portland.

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

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(3-6) Bill "An Act to Impose a Fee on Commercial Water Withdrawn from Lakes and Ponds to Fund Conservation Efforts and Prohibit a Fee on the Sale of Water Withdrawn from a Lake or Pond"

S.P. 450 L.D. 1081

Presented by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Representative SMITH of Palermo and Senator: BRENNER of Cumberland.

(3-7) Resolve, to Increase Community Action Grants

S.P. 463 L.D. 1126

Presented by Senator RENY of Lincoln.

Cosponsored by Representative STOVER of Boothbay and Representative: SARGENT of York.

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

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(3-8) Bill "An Act to Fund Consultation Services to Ensure Affordable Health Care for Maine Residents"

S.P. 446 L.D. 1077

Presented by President JACKSON of Aroostook.

Cosponsored by Speaker TALBOT ROSS of Portland and Senators: BAILEY of York, RENY of Lincoln, Representative: PERRY of Calais.

(3-9) Bill "An Act to Increase the Number of Recovery Beds in the State"

S.P. 447 L.D. 1078

Presented by Senator KEIM of Oxford.

Cosponsored by Senator: MOORE of Washington.

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

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(3-10) Bill "An Act to Require the Termination of Private Mortgage Insurance"

S.P. 449 L.D. 1080

Presented by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Representative COLLINGS of Portland and Senators: BRENNER of Cumberland, DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, LIBBY of Cumberland, VITELLI of Sagadahoc.

(3-11) Bill "An Act to Advance the Maine Retirement Savings Program" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 451 L.D. 1082

Presented by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc.

Cosponsored by Representative TERRY of Gorham and Senators: BAILEY of York, DAUGHTRY of Cumberland, STEWART of Aroostook, Representative: CLUCHEY of Bowdoinham.

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

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(3-12) Resolve, Directing the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to Create a Process for Real-time Confirmation of Live Bait Retailer's Licenses by Electronic Means

S.P. 464 L.D. 1127

Presented by Senator RENY of Lincoln.

Committee on **INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE** suggested and ordered printed.

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(3-13) Bill "An Act Regarding Visitation Rights of Grandparents"

S.P. 448 L.D. 1079

Presented by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec.

Cosponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook, Representative LYMAN of Livermore Falls and Representative: MORRIS of Turner.

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

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(3-14) Bill "An Act to Create a Presumption That a Cardiovascular Injury or Disease or Pulmonary Disease Suffered by Certain Law Enforcement Officers Is in the Course of Employment"

S.P. 457 L.D. 1123

Presented by Senator LAWRENCE of York.

Cosponsored by Representative MEYER of Eliot and Senator: HARRINGTON of York, Representatives: MALON of Biddeford, MASTRACCIO of Sanford.

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

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(3-15) Bill "An Act Requiring a Referendum to Restore the Former Maine Flag"  
S.P. 438 L.D. 1069

Presented by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin.  
Cosponsored by Representative PAULHUS of Bath and Senators: BAILEY of York,  
BALDACCI of Penobscot, Representatives: BOYER of Poland, HYMES of Waldo, MORRIS of  
Turner, RISEMAN of Harrison.

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

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(3-16) Bill "An Act to Promote Economic Growth Through Increased Film Incentives"  
S.P. 444 L.D. 1075

Presented by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.  
Cosponsored by Representative GERE of Kennebunkport, Representative ROEDER of Bangor  
and Senator: INGWERSEN of York.

(3-17) Bill "An Act to Reduce the Sales Tax on Automobiles"  
S.P. 452 L.D. 1118

Presented by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot.  
Cosponsored by Representative PERRY of Bangor and Senator: TIMBERLAKE of  
Androscoggin, Representative: FAULKINGHAM of Winter Harbor.

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

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(3-18) Bill "An Act Regarding the Bureau of Motor Vehicles"  
S.P. 441 L.D. 1072

Presented by Senator CHIPMAN of Cumberland.  
Cosponsored by Representative WILLIAMS of Bar Harbor and Senator: GROHOSKI of  
Hancock, Representatives: ALBERT of Madawaska, ANKELES of Brunswick, CRAFTS of  
Newcastle, MASON of Lisbon, O'CONNELL of Brewer, THERIAULT of Fort Kent, WHITE of  
Waterville.  
Submitted by the Secretary of State pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

(3-19) Bill "An Act to Expand the Use of Traffic Cameras for School and Work Zones"  
S.P. 445 L.D. 1076

Presented by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

(3-20) Resolve, to Install a Suicide Barrier on the Penobscot Narrows Bridge (EMERGENCY)  
S.P. 454 L.D. 1120

Presented by Senator CURRY of Waldo.

Cosponsored by Representative ARFORD of Brunswick and Senators: CHIPMAN of Cumberland, GROHOSKI of Hancock, LaFOUNTAIN of Kennebec, LYFORD of Penobscot, Representatives: GEIGER of Rockland, PAUL of Winterport, RUSSELL of Verona Island, WILLIAMS of Bar Harbor.

(3-21) Resolve, to Rename Bridges in the Town of Cornish  
S.P. 456 L.D. 1122

Presented by President JACKSON of Aroostook.

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

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(3-22) Bill "An Act to Increase Ballot Transparency with Blockchain Technology"  
S.P. 439 L.D. 1070

Presented by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin.  
Cosponsored by Representative: BOYER of Poland.

(3-23) Bill "An Act to Allow Political Candidates to Be Nominated by Multiple Parties for the Same Office"  
S.P. 440 L.D. 1071

Presented by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: BOYER of Poland, MORRIS of Turner.

(3-24) Bill "An Act to Streamline Label Registrations for Malt Liquor, Wine, Hard Cider and Low-alcohol Spirits"

S.P. 442 L.D. 1073

Presented by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Representative RIELLY of Westbrook and Senators: HICKMAN of Kennebec, KEIM of Oxford, Representative: MONTELL of Gardiner.

(3-25) Resolve, Directing the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages and Lottery Operations to Study Paying Bonuses to Agents for Selling Certain Powerball Tickets

S.P. 459 L.D. 1125

Presented by Senator TIMBERLAKE of Androscoggin.

Cosponsored by Representative LYMAN of Livermore Falls and Representative: MORRIS of Turner.

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

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## ORDERS

### Joint Orders

Expressions of Legislative Sentiment recognizing:

(4-1) the Presque Isle Rotary Club on its Centennial. Founded on April 25, 1923, the club has more than 70 members, who take the lead in addressing issues such as poverty, public health, hunger, illiteracy and the environment. The Presque Isle Rotary Club supports Polio Plus and spearheaded efforts with the World Health Organization, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and UNICEF to immunize the children of the world against polio, and polio cases have dropped by 99 percent since 1988. The Presque Isle Rotary Club has provided services to many initiatives and organizations, including The Aroostook County Dialysis Center, the Presque Isle Chamber of Commerce, the Aroostook Agency on Aging, the Mantle Lake and Riverside Playgrounds, the United Way of Aroostook, Hope and Justice, the Central Aroostook Humane Society and Maine School Administrative District #1 student academic scholarships, to name a few. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 207

Sponsored by Senator STEWART of Aroostook.

Cosponsored by Representative: UNDERWOOD of Presque Isle.



(4-2) the Thornton Academy Girls Swim Team, of Saco, which won the Southwestern Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 208

Sponsored by Senator BAILEY of York.

Cosponsored by Representatives: COPELAND of Saco, GATTINE of Westbrook, O'NEIL of Saco.

(4-3) Adam Bendetson, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Class A State Championship in the Open 2 Mile Run. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 209

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-4) Jeff Tarling, of South Portland, on his retirement as the Arborist of the City of Portland after 34 years of service. Among his many accomplishments, Mr. Tarling oversaw the planting of 5,775 street trees, roughly 1/4 of Portland's total, and tens of thousands of plug seedlings in the city's open spaces. He planted The Pinedom in Payson Park, created the Payson Terrain Park and helped originate the Portland Tree Trust. He also secured funds to plan 5 forest management sites, Riverton Trolley Park, Riverside Golf Course, Pine Grove Park and Evergreen Cemetery. He was the first city official to make major improvements to Baxter Woods, and he started the meadow program and all the Community Orchards, including those at Mount Joy, Boyd Street, Reiche, Riverton Trolley Park and Brentwood Garden. His efforts helped protect the Presumpscot River Preserve through the Land for Maine's Future Program. His 2014 Project Canopy resulted in his receiving the Frank Knight Excellence in Community Forestry Award, and he was named a Paul Harris Fellow by the Portland Rotary Club in 2022. He also has served as Director of the Maine Arborist Association for many years. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 210

Sponsored by Senator DUSON of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senators: CARNEY of Cumberland, CHIPMAN of Cumberland, Representatives: DHALAC of South Portland, KESSLER of South Portland, RECKITT of South Portland.

(4-5) Alice Anderson, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Southwestern Maine Activities Association Championship in the Open 600 Yards Event. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 211

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-6) Annaliese Collin, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Southwestern Maine Activities Association Championship in the Junior High Jump Event. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 212

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-7) Carolina Fallona, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Class A Girls State Championship in the Open 55 Meters Dash. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 213

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-8) Emerson Flaker, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Class A State Championship in the Open 400 Meters Event. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 214

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-9) Parker Killiard, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Class A State Championship in the Open 200 Meters Dash. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 215

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-10) Kyleigh Record, of Scarborough, who won the 2023 Southwestern Maine Activities Association Championship in the 800 Meters Event. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 216

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-11) the Scarborough High School Girls Relay Team, which won the 2023 Class A State Championship in the Open 4x200 Meters Event. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;  
SLS 217

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-12) the Scarborough High School Girls Varsity Indoor Track Team, which won the Southwestern Maine Activities Association Indoor Track Championships. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 218

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-13) the Scarborough High School Boys Varsity Indoor Track Team, which won the 2023 Class A State Championship. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 219

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

(4-14) the Scarborough High School Boys Relay Team, which won the 2023 Southwestern Maine Activities Association Championship in the 4x800 Meters Event. We extend our congratulations and best wishes;

SLS 220

Sponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senator: CARNEY of Cumberland, Representatives: GATTINE of Westbrook, MURPHY of Scarborough, WARREN of Scarborough.

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**Joint Resolutions**

(4-15) On motion by Senator **VITELLI** of Sagadahoc (Cosponsored by Representative **TERRY** of Gorham and Senators: **BRENNER** of Cumberland, **CARNEY** of Cumberland, **DAUGHTRY** of Cumberland, **DUSON** of Cumberland, **PIERCE** of Cumberland, **ROTUNDO** of Androscoggin, Representatives: **CLOUTIER** of Lewiston, Speaker **TALBOT ROSS** of Portland), the following Joint Resolution:

S.P. 461

**JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING WOMEN'S HISTORY  
MONTH AND INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY**

**WHEREAS**, Maine women of every race, class and ethnic background have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of our State in countless recorded and unrecorded ways; and

**WHEREAS**, Maine women have played and continue to play critical economic, cultural and social roles in every sphere of the life of our State, whether in the workforce or as unpaid labor within homes and community settings, and as the majority of the State's volunteer workforce; and

**WHEREAS**, Maine women of every race, class and ethnic background have served and continue to serve as leaders in the establishment of charitable, philanthropic, commercial and cultural institutions in our State and Nation; and

**WHEREAS**, Maine women have protected and defended our collective rights, responsibilities and freedoms in myriad spheres, including serving our country courageously in the military; and

**WHEREAS**, Maine women have been leaders, not only in securing their own rights of suffrage and increased opportunity, but also in expanding the rights of all who experience oppression as leaders in the abolitionist movement, the emancipation movement, the industrial labor movement, the civil rights movement and the peace and justice movement, among others, all of which work to create a more fair and just society for all; and

**WHEREAS**, despite these contributions, the role of Maine women in history has been consistently overlooked and undervalued in the literature, teaching and study of American history; and

**WHEREAS**, Congress sent the Equal Rights Amendment to the states for ratification more than 50 years ago, and it is long past time that the principle of women's equality be enshrined in the federal and state constitutions; and

**WHEREAS**, despite progress, women and girls, especially women and girls of color, still experience higher rates of poverty, violence and discrimination and face systemic barriers to full participation in the workforce and society and wider gaps in opportunity and equality, disparities that were exposed and exacerbated during the COVID-19 pandemic, which multiplied the burden on paid and unpaid caregivers and increased the rates of gender-based violence; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Legislature now assembled in the First Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to designate March 2023 as Women's History Month, a time to celebrate and honor the contributions of all Maine women and girls, and to recognize March 8, 2023 as International Women's Day.

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(4-16) On motion by Senator **STEWART** of Aroostook, the following Joint Resolution:  
S.P. 462

**JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING SATURDAY, MARCH 11,  
2023 AS SUDDENLY SLEEPY SATURDAY, A DAY FOR  
NARCOLEPSY AWARENESS**

**WHEREAS**, narcolepsy is a chronic neurological disorder caused by the brain's inability to regulate sleep-wake cycles; and

**WHEREAS**, narcolepsy affects an estimated 1 in every 2,000 Americans; and

**WHEREAS**, narcolepsy is an often unrecognized and undiagnosed condition; and

**WHEREAS**, the symptoms of narcolepsy, especially when undiagnosed, can lead to accidents, injuries and problems with learning and working; and

**WHEREAS**, narcolepsy affects people neurologically, socially and emotionally; and

**WHEREAS**, narcolepsy affects people of all ages, with onset typically occurring between 15 and 25 years of age; and

**WHEREAS**, on average, it takes a patient over 6 years to be diagnosed with narcolepsy after first experiencing symptoms; and

**WHEREAS**, research shows that narcolepsy patients have an increased prevalence of high blood pressure, cardiovascular disease and diabetes; and

**WHEREAS**, narcolepsy patients need trained providers to address the patient's disorder and treat additional underlying health concerns; and

**WHEREAS**, Narcolepsy Network is a national organization created to promote awareness of the disease and provide support for those who suffer from narcolepsy; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED:** That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Legislature now assembled in the First Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize Saturday, March 11, 2023 as Suddenly Sleepy Saturday, a day to raise public awareness of narcolepsy.

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Joint Resolutions in Memoriam:

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

(4-17) Louis C. Labbe, of Brunswick. Mr. Labbe was a veteran of the United States Navy, having served in World War II. He worked as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service for 37 years. He was a member of St. John's Catholic Church and served as sacristan for All Saints Parish. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and the American Legion. He served on the board of directors for both Atlantic Regional Federal Credit Union and Pejepscot Terrace. Mr. Labbe will be long remembered and sadly missed by his wife of nearly 78 years, Avis, his family and friends and all those whose lives he touched;

SLS 221

Sponsored by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland.

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

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

(4-18) Frank Patane, of Connor Township. Mr. Patane served in the United States Air Force and went on to have a 24-year career as a police officer with the Caribou Police Department. He also served as a volunteer firefighter for the Caribou Fire and Ambulance Department for 50 years. Mr. Patane will be long remembered and sadly missed by his wife of 38 years, Micheline, his family and friends and his community;

SLS 222

Sponsored by President JACKSON of Aroostook.

Cosponsored by Representative: BABIN of Fort Fairfield.

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**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

**House**

**Change of Committee**

(5-1) The Committee on **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES** on Bill "An Act to Ensure Access for All Caregivers to Diaper Changing Stations in Public Restrooms"

H.P. 61 L.D. 93

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **REFERRED** to the Committee on **INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT AND BUSINESS**.

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**Ought to Pass**

(5-2) The Committee on **LABOR AND HOUSING** on Bill "An Act to Simplify an Assessment Notice Requirement Under Department of Labor Laws"

H.P. 18 L.D. 14

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

Comes from the House with the Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.

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**Divided Report**

(5-3) The Majority of the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Provide Revenue for Property Tax Relief and Capital Infrastructure Projects"  
H.P. 107 L.D. 166

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

Signed:

Senators:

NANGLE of Cumberland  
BALDACCI of Penobscot

Representatives:

STOVER of Boothbay  
ABDI of Lewiston  
COPELAND of Saco  
DHALAC of South Portland  
PAULHUS of Bath

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

Signed:

Senator:

BRAKEY of Androscoggin

Representatives:

ADAMS of Lebanon  
GREENWOOD of Wales  
POMERLEAU of Standish  
RISEMAN of Harrison  
UNDERWOOD of Presque Isle

Comes from the House with the Majority **OUGHT TO PASS** Report **READ** and **ACCEPTED** and the Bill **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.

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**Senate**

**Change of Committee**

(5-4) Senator LaFOUNTAIN for the Committee on **INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE** on Bill "An Act to Increase the Bag Limit for Smelts for Personal Use from 2 Quarts to 4 Quarts"

S.P. 261 L.D. 593

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**Ought to Pass**

(5-5) Senator BAILEY for the Committee on **HEALTH COVERAGE, INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES** on Bill "An Act to Clarify Coverage for Retired County and Municipal Law Enforcement Officers and Municipal Firefighters Under the State Employer Group Health Plan"

S.P. 169 L.D. 362

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

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(5-6) Senator CHIPMAN for the Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Bill "An Act to Allow the Commissioner of Transportation to Reduce Speed Limits at Construction Sites with Input from Municipalities and Utilities"

S.P. 23 L.D. 31

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

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(5-7) Senator CHIPMAN for the Committee on **TRANSPORTATION** on Resolve, to Name a Bridge in the Town of Canaan After Staff Sergeant Richard Gerald Salsbury  
S.P. 152 L.D. 331

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass**.

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**Ought to Pass As Amended**

(5-8) Senator NANGLE for the Committee on **STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT** on Bill "An Act to Authorize the Deorganization of Drew Plantation" (EMERGENCY)  
S.P. 41 L.D. 49

Reported that the same **Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-8)**.

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**SECOND READERS**

The Committee on **Bills in the Second Reading** reported the following:

**House**

(6-1) Bill "An Act to Amend the Law Governing the State Grant Program Administered by the Maine Historic Preservation Commission"

H.P. 19 L.D. 15

(6-2) Bill "An Act to Establish Maine Needham Day"

H.P. 190 L.D. 292

(6-3) Bill "An Act to Establish Maine Alewife Day"

H.P. 218 L.D. 344

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**Senate**

(6-4) Resolve, Designating Maine Turnpike Approach Road in South Portland as Samantha Smith Way

S.P. 13 L.D. 21

(6-5) Resolve, to Rename the Bridge Between Bingham and Concord Township on Route 16 the Jason Dore Memorial Bridge

S.P. 36 L.D. 44

(6-6) Bill "An Act Regarding the Committee Structure of the State Workforce Board"

S.P. 59 L.D. 120

(6-7) Bill "An Act to Designate Granitic Pegmatite as the Maine State Rock"

S.P. 128 L.D. 269

(6-8) Resolve, to Designate the Route 170 Bridge Located in Webster Plantation the Gary 'Swampy' Worster Memorial Bridge

S.P. 139 L.D. 318

(6-9) Bill "An Act to Amend Maine's Underground Oil Storage Tank Laws"

S.P. 140 L.D. 319

(6-10) Resolve, Designating the Desert of Maine Overpass the Matthew MacMillan Overpass

S.P. 219 L.D. 502

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**ENACTORS**

The Committee on **Engrossed Bills** reported as truly and strictly engrossed the following:

**Emergency Measure**

(7-1) An Act to Clarify State Policy Regarding Cannabis Paraphernalia in the Maine Medical Use of Cannabis Act and the Cannabis Legalization Act

S.P. 50 L.D. 83  
(C "A" S-7)

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**Act**

(7-2) An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Invasive Aquatic Plants

H.P. 14 L.D. 10

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**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

**Unfinished Business**

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

**1.**

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

Bill "An Act to Provide Funding for Winter Emergency Energy Relief and to Finalize the COVID Pandemic Relief Payment Program" (EMERGENCY)

S.P. 8 L.D. 1

Tabled - January 17, 2023 by Senator **VITELLI** of Sagadahoc

Pending - **FURTHER CONSIDERATION**

(In Senate, December 7, 2022, **FAILED ENACTMENT** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.)

(In House, Bill and accompanying papers **INDEFINITELY POSTPONED** in **NON-CONCURRENCE**.)

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**2.**

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT RESOLUTION - Memorializing Leon J. Tanguay, of Sanford

SLS 107

Tabled - February 9, 2023 by Senator **HARRINGTON** of York

Pending - **ADOPTION**

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3.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Chocolats Passion, of Portland

SLS 152

Tabled - February 28, 2023 by Senator **CHIPMAN** of Cumberland

Pending - **PASSAGE**

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4.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing the Presque Isle Rotary Club on its Centennial

SLS 156

Tabled - February 28, 2023 by Senator **STEWART** of Aroostook

Pending - **PASSAGE**

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5.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing Carter Butterfield, of Phillips

SLS 157

Tabled - February 28, 2023 by Senator **KEIM** of Oxford

Pending - **PASSAGE**

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6.

**Tabled and Later Assigned**

JOINT ORDER - Expression of Legislative Sentiment Recognizing the Skowhegan Area High School Field Hockey Team

SLS 171

Tabled - February 28, 2023 by Senator **KEIM** of Oxford

Pending - **PASSAGE**

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