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49	An Act To Authorize A General Fund Bond Issue To Invest In Infrastructure To Address Sea Level Rise (HP 15)	Michael BRENNAN of Portland	The funds provided by this bond issue, in the amount of \$50,000,000, will be used to improve waterfront and coastal infrastructure in municipalities to address sea level rise.	AFA	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (4/25)	
50	An Act To Authorize A General Fund Bond Issue To Invest In Housing For Persons Who Are Homeless (HP 16)	Michael BRENNAN of Portland	The funds provided by this bond issue, in the amount of \$15,000,000, will be used for capital construction costs for housing for persons who are homeless.	AFA	Support	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (3/22)	Submitted testimony
211	An Act To Support Emergency Shelter Access For Persons Experiencing Homelessness (HP 146)	Kristen CLOUTIER of Lewiston	This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$3,000,000 per year to the Shelter Operating Subsidy program within the Maine State Housing Authority to support operations and capacity at low-barrier emergency homeless shelters across the State. This bill specifies that the funding is supplemental to	LAH	Support	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Submitted testimony

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225	An Act Regarding The Treatment Of Vacation Time Upon The Cessation Of Employment (HP 160)	Amy ROEDER of Bangor	This bill amends the law governing the provision of vacation pay on cessation of employment. Under current law, on cessation of employment, if the terms of employment or established practice includes provisions for paid vacations, vacation pay has the same status as wages earned. This Full Summary	LAH	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 561 (4/7)	Final language exempts public employers
272	An Act To Establish Separate Prosecutorial Districts In Downeast Maine (HP 188)	William TUELL of East Machias	This bill reduces Prosecutorial District Number 7 to Hancock County and creates Prosecutorial District Number 9 for Washington County.	JUD	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
328	An Act To Fully Fund And Restore State-municipal Revenue Sharing (HP 232)	Thom HARNETT of Gardiner	This bill increases state-municipal revenue sharing to 5% from 3.75% in the final 6 months of fiscal year 2020-21. Current law restores state-municipal revenue sharing to 5% beginning in fiscal year 2021-22.	TAX	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the	

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449	An Act To Strengthen The Ability Of Public Employers And Teacher's Unions To Negotiate (HP 325)	David McCREA of Fort Fairfield	Current law provides that the obligation of a public employer and a bargaining agent to bargain collectively includes their mutual obligation to meet within 10 days after receipt of written notice from the other party requesting a meeting for collective bargaining purposes, as long as Full Summary	LAH	Monitor	Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 752 (5/8)	
464	An Act To Change Certain Labor Laws (HP 340)	Michael SYLVESTER of Portland	This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208. This bill proposes to change certain labor laws to help the people of this State in organizing a labor union and negotiating a fair contract.	LAH	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (3/24)	
476	An Act To Provide Licensed Assisted Living And Nursing Facilities Levels Of Care For Incarcerated Persons (HP 350)	Victoria MORALES of South Portland	This bill provides for assisted living and nursing facility levels of care in licensed units in correctional facilities of the Department of Corrections and in licensed facilities in the community for prisoners in the custody of the Department of Corrections. The bill provides for assessment	CJPS	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (2/16)	

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480	An Act To Establish A Presumption Of Entitlement To Counsel For A Person Who Is The Subject Of An Adult Guardianship, Conservatorship Or Other Protective Arrangement Proceeding (HP 354)	Barbara CARDONE of Bangor	This bill establishes a presumption that every adult in a guardianship, conservatorship or other protective arrangement proceeding is entitled to legal representation when not already represented and requires the court to appoint an attorney, except that the presumption may be rebutted if the court finds Full Summary	JUD	Oppose	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Submitted testimony
512	An Act To Increase The Number Of Intensive Case Managers (HP 375)	Janice DODGE of Belfast	This bill directs the Department of Health and Human Services to create additional intensive case manager positions so that counties that do not have a county jail or regional jail will have an intensive case manager. An intensive case manager oversees persons who are detained Full Summary	HHS	Support	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Submitted testimony

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546	An Act To Implement The Recommendations Of The Maine Juvenile Justice System Assessment And Reinvestment Task Force (HP 391)	Michael BRENNAN of Portland	This bill repeals a provision of the Maine Juvenile Code that establishes as a purpose of pre-adjudication detention providing physical care for a juvenile who cannot return home because there is no parent or other suitable person willing and able to supervise the juvenile adequately. Full Summary	CJPS	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	MSA NFNA with Testimony
555	An Act To Expand The Rights Of Public Sector Employees (HP 400)	Michael SYLVESTER of Portland	This bill allows public employees, including municipal and county employees, state employees and legislative employees, university, academy and community college employees and judicial employees, but not including employees whose duties include protecting public safety or judicial employees whose duties ensure an individual's procedural due process Full Summary	LAH	Oppose	Reports ReadOn motion by Senator DAUGHTRY of Cumberland the Majority Ought Not to Pass Report ACCEPTED. in concurrence Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (2/16)	Submitted testimony
574	An Act To Amend The Maine Food Sovereignty Act And To	William PLUECKER of Warren	This bill clarifies the Maine Food Sovereignty Act. The bill amends the definition of "direct producer-to-consumer transaction" to mean any	ACF	Support	Signed by the Governor Public Law	Submitted testimony

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	Recognize The Maine Food Sovereignty Act In Plantations And Unorganized Territories (HP 419)		exchange of food or food products directly between a producer and a consumer in a manner mutually agreed upon by the producer and consumer of Full Summary			Chapter 625 (4/18)	
575	An Act To Establish A Conditional Presumption Of Compensability For Certain Employees In Cases Of Impairment From Hypertension Or Heart Disease (SP 228)	President Troy JACKSON of Aroostook	This bill provides that there is a rebuttable presumption that an employee of the State or of a county whose regular or incidental duties require the care, supervision or custody of a person confined in a jail, prison or state correctional facility pursuant to an Full Summary	LAH	Oppose	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 730 (5/5)	Final language only applies to State employees
654	An Act To Create A 24-hour Shelter Capital Project Funding Program (HP 481)	Poppy ARFORD of Brunswick	This bill establishes the Twenty-four-hour Shelter Capital Project program within the Maine State Housing Authority to support new construction or expansion of emergency 24-hour shelters for persons experiencing	LAH	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the	

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			homelessness. New construction and expansion projects funded by the program must address an increase in the need Full Summary			Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
679	An Act To Establish A Statewide Electronic Warrant System (SP 266)	Lisa KEIM of Oxford	This bill directs the State Court Administrator to establish a secure system for the application, issuance and return of arrest warrants and search warrants that is electronic and that provides access to authorized users statewide. The bill amends the law on search warrants to require Full Summary	JUD	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 684 (5/2)	
696	An Act To Define "solitary Confinement" (HP 508)	Grayson LOOKNER of Portland	This bill prohibits solitary confinement in jails and prisons in the State. It defines "solitary confinement" to mean that a prisoner is segregated and has contact with another person less than 3 times a day.	CJPS	Monitor	Speaker laid before the House The House INSISTED on PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-846) as Amended by	Amendment removes county jails from legislation and strikes study commission

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						House Amendment "A" (H-1008) thereto.Placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (4/19)	
731	An Act To Establish A Program To Assist Regional Firefighter Training Programs, To Provide Tax Credits To Businesses That Employ Volunteer Firefighters And Emergency Medical Services Persons And To Provide Benefits To Volunteer Firefighters And Emergency Medical	Harold STEWART of Aroostook	This bill establishes a program administered by the Maine Fire Protection Services Commission to provide grants to municipalities for regional fire service training. It also provides an income tax credit for employers who permit employees who are volunteer firefighters or volunteer municipal emergency medical services Full Summary	TAX	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 731 (5/5)	

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	Services Persons (SP 283)						
775	An Act To Include Within The Definitions Of "public Employee" And "judicial Employee" Those Who Have Been Employed For Less Than 6 Months (HP 580)	Michael SYLVESTER of Portland	This bill provides that, for the purposes of the public employees and judicial employees labor relations laws, a person who has been an employee of the State or another public employer for less than 6 months is considered a public employee and a person who Full Summary	LAH	Oppose	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 601 (4/14)	Submitted testimony
830	An Act To Restructure The Taxation Of Adult Use Marijuana (HP 598)	Joseph PERRY of Bangor	This bill repeals the excise tax on adult use marijuana on January 1, 2022 and raises an estimated equivalent amount of revenue by increasing the sales tax on adult use marijuana and adult use marijuana products to 20% on January 1, 2022.	TAX	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
844	An Act To Examine And Amend The Conditions Of Release And	Victoria MORALES of South Portland	This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208. This bill would require the examination of the reasons individuals undertake actions	JUD	Monitor	This Bill, having been returned by the Governor, together with	

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	Probation (HP 612)		<p>that lead to incarceration and recidivism due to a violation of conditions of release or probation and propose changes, based on the</p> <p>Full Summary</p>			<p>objections to the same pursuant to Article IV, Part Third, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Maine, after reconsideration , the House proceeded to vote on the question: "Shall this Bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?"</p> <p>ROLL CALL NO. 616V54 having voted in the affirmative and 64 in the negative, 4 Vacancies with 29 being absent, and accordingly it was the vote of the House that the Bill not</p>	

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						become a law and the veto was sustained. Placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD)ORDER SENT FORTHWITH. (5/9)	
853	An Act To Increase The Fees Paid To Sheriffs And Their Deputies For Service Of Civil Process Documents (HP 621)	Ann MATLACK of St. George	This bill amends the laws concerning the fees and travel reimbursement paid to sheriffs and their deputies for service of civil process documents by increasing these fees and providing that the travel reimbursement rate must be at least the same rate as that paid to Full Summary	JUD	Support	Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 739 (5/7)	Submitted testimony
965	An Act Concerning Nondisclosure Agreements In Employment (HP 711)	Thom HARNETT of Gardiner	This bill prohibits an employer from requiring an employee, intern or applicant for employment to enter into a contract or agreement that waives or limits any right to report or discuss discrimination, retaliation or harassment occurring in the workplace or at work- related events. It	LAH	Oppose	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 760 (5/12)	Submitted testimony

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982	An Act To Protect Against Discrimination By Public Entities (HP 728)	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	This bill provides that public entities may not discriminate on the basis of a protected class.	JUD	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
1154	An Act To Improve The Safety Of Prisoners And Jail Staff By Limiting Work Hours Of Jail Employees (HP 832)	Benjamin COLLINGS of Portland	This bill requires county jail employees to receive 8 hours off duty for every 16 hours worked on duty.	CJPS	Oppose	Taken from the table by the President On motion by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc The Senate INSISTED To The Minority Ought Not To Pass Report ACCEPTED In NON-CONCURRENCE Roll Call Ordered Roll Call Number 747 Yeas 24 - Nays 7 - Excused 3 - Absent 0	Submitted testimony

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						Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (4/12)	
1175	An Act To Prohibit Excessive Telephone Charges In Maine Jails And Prisons (HP 853)	MaryAnne KINNEY of Knox	This bill prohibits the Department of Corrections, county jails and municipal detention facilities from accepting a commission or charging a fee for the provision of services from an outside provider to incarcerated individuals, including telephone, video and commissary services. This bill also requires the department Full Summary	CJPS	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 615 (4/15)	MSA and DOC worked out a compromise amendment with the committee
1195	An Act To Assist Qualifying Municipalities To Defray The Costs Of Opting In To Permit Adult Use Marijuana Establishments (HP 873)	Tiffany ROBERTS of South Berwick	This bill allocates 5% of the gross sales and excise tax revenue generated by adult use marijuana establishments in the State to the municipalities where the revenue was generated and makes a reduction to the amount deposited in the Adult Use Marijuana Public Health and Full Summary	TAX	NFNA	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 645 (4/20)	Submitted testimony
1227	An Act To Provide Equity In The State	Janice DODGE of Belfast	This bill establishes an income tax exemption for taxpayers who receive civil service	TAX	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the	

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	Income Tax Deduction For Certain Public Employees Retirement System Pensions (HP 898)		retirement plan benefits who do not participate in the federal Social Security program in recognition of the fact that the current law provides an income tax exemption for all Social Security benefits Full Summary			Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
1273	An Act To Establish A Conviction Integrity Unit In Maine (HP 933)	Jeffrey EVANGELOS of Friendship	This bill requires the Attorney General and every district attorney to maintain a conviction integrity unit to review convictions in cases they prosecuted to determine whether there is plausible evidence of innocence, a constitutional violation or prosecutorial misconduct or when the facts and circumstances require Full Summary	JUD	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Could impose costs through support staff if passed.
1300	An Act To Require County Governments To Coordinate With Municipalities To Create Plans To Address	Laura SUPICA of Bangor	This bill requires the county commissioners of each county, in consultation and coordination with the Statewide Homeless Council, regional homeless councils and the municipalities in the county, to develop and implement a plan with protocols to address	SLG		In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	

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	Homelessness (HP 956)		homelessness within the county.				
1338	An Act To Prohibit Employers From Retaliating Against The Use Of Earned Paid Leave (HP 989)	Rebecca MILLETT of Cape Elizabeth	<p>This bill repeals the sections of law concerning prohibited acts and judicial enforcement under the laws governing family medical leave employment practices in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 26, chapter 7 and enacts similar provisions that apply to all laws in the same chapter governing</p> <p>Full Summary</p>	LAH	Monitor	<p>This Bill, having been returned by the Governor, together with objections to the same pursuant to Article IV, Part Third, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Maine, after reconsideration , the House proceeded to vote on the question: "Shall this Bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Governor?"</p> <p>ROLL CALL NO. 615V58 having voted in the affirmative and 59 in the</p>	

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						negative, 4 Vacancies with 30 being absent, and accordingly it was the vote of the House that the Bill not become a law and the veto was sustained. Placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD)ORDER SENT FORTHWITH. (5/9)	
1413	An Act To Provide Equity In The State Income Tax Deduction For Certain Public Employees Retirement System Pensions (SP 463)	Joseph RAFFERTY of York	This bill establishes an income tax exemption for civil service retirement plan benefits for recipients who do not participate in the federal social security program in recognition of the fact that the current law provides an income exemption for all social security benefits in addition Full Summary	TAX	Support	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Submitted testimony
1430	An Act Regarding The Waiting Period	Mark BRYANT of Windham	This bill amends the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 by allowing an	LAH	NFNA	In possession of the Senate when the	Submitted testimony

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	For Compensation For Incapacity To Work Under The Maine Workers' Compensation Act Of 1992 (HP 1046)		employee of the State or a county whose place of employment is a correctional facility and an employee of a county or municipality whose place of employment is a county or municipal Full Summary			Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
1447	Resolve, To Study Training In Racial Issues, Racial Justice And Social Issues At The Maine Criminal Justice Academy And Additional Requirements For Law Enforcement Officers And Candidates (HP 1063)	Lori GRAMLICH of Old Orchard Beach	This bill requires basic law enforcement training to include training in racial issues and racial justice, regarding persons with substance use disorder and regarding social issues and law enforcement responses to challenging social situations. The bill requires in-service training for law enforcement officers to include Full Summary	CJPS	NFNA	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Submitted testimony
1448	An Act To Increase The Homestead Property Tax	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	This bill increases the state reimbursement for the property tax revenue lost by a municipality due to the Maine resident homestead property	TAX		In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine	MCCA will research

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	Exemption (HP 1064)		tax exemption to 100% beginning with property tax years beginning on or after April 1, 2022. This bill also specifies that the property Full Summary			Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
1513	An Act To Establish The Maine Abandoned And Discontinued Roads Commission (HP 1121)	Daniel NEWMAN of Belgrade	This bill requires that when a road or a discontinued town way pursuant to section 3026-A in which a town holds a public easement is the only road or way that can be used to access one or more residences and the town issues permits Full Summary	SLG	Monitor	Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 743 (5/7)	
1529	Resolution, Proposing An Amendment To The Constitution Of Maine To Create A Right To Privacy (HP 1133)	Margaret O'NEIL of Saco	This resolution proposes to amend the Constitution of Maine by creating a natural and inherent right to privacy in which a person's personal life and affairs are free from governmental and private intrusion and not diminished by a person's interaction with an Internet, communication or Full Summary	JUD	Monitor	The RESOLUTION was in the possession of the House when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Check with MSA.
1552	An Act To Provide	Rachel TALBOT	This bill: 1. Establishes the Community-based Reentry	CJPS	Monitor	The Bill was in the possession	

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	Reentry Services To Persons Reentering The Community After Incarceration (HP 1157)	ROSS of Portland	Services Account as a special nonlapsing account within the Department of Corrections to issue grants to community-based nonprofit and faith-based organizations that provide or seek to provide reentry services to adults or juveniles reentering the community after incarceration, Full Summary			of the House when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
1586	An Act To Strengthen Statewide Mental Health Peer Support, Crisis Intervention Mobile Response And Crisis Residential Services (HP 1175)	Charlotte WARREN of Hallowell	This bill provides funding for mental health services in the 8 public health districts. These services include peer support, crisis lines, crisis intervention mobile response and crisis stabilization unit services. The bill also provides funding for ancillary services for mobile response services, including necessary travel Full Summary	HHS	Support	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Submitted testimony
1654	An Act To Stabilize State Funding For County Corrections (HP 1225)	Charlotte WARREN of Hallowell	This bill stabilizes the state funding of county jails by establishing funding levels calculated with reference to either the total jail operating costs or \$50 per day per state-sanctioned prisoner, whichever	CJPS	Support	Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) Public Law Chapter 732 (5/5)	Submitted testimony

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			is greater. The bill requires that at least 25% of state funding be Full Summary				
1683	Resolve, To Compensate Certain Department Of Corrections Employees And Department Of Health And Human Services Employees For Hazardous Work (HP 1252)	William PLUECKER of Warren	This resolve requires the Department of Corrections to use federal funding to pay eligible employees a hazard duty stipend related to the COVID-19 pandemic. The stipend must be paid retroactively from when the previous hazard duty stipend ended until the state of civil emergency due Full Summary	CJPS	Monitor	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
1721	An Act Regarding Dignity For Women In Correctional Facilities (HP 1276)	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services to report annually on the current number and case specifics of children served by the department's Office of Child and Family Services, including where the department is in the reunification process of children with whom	CJPS		Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 620 (4/17)	

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1753	An Act Regarding The Retirement Of Law Enforcement Officers Under The Participating Local District Retirement Program (SP 613)	Paul DAVIS of Piscataquis	This bill changes special plans under the Participating Local District Retirement Program so that law enforcement officers may retire after 25 years of creditable service regardless of age, instead of after reaching 55 years of age as in current law.	LAH	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (2/16)	
1756	Resolve, Authorizing The Department Of Agriculture, Conservation And Forestry To Convey Certain Land In Penobscot County (HP 1307)	John MARTIN of Eagle Lake	This resolve authorizes the Director of the Bureau of Parks and Lands within the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry to sell interest in specific parcels of land held in common and undivided interest in T. 12, R. 13 in Aroostook County and T. 4, Full Summary	ACF		Signed by the Governor Resolve Chapter 134 (3/25)	
1757	An Act To Make Technical Changes To Maine Tax	Maureen TERRY of Gorham	Part A of this bill repeals a provision that authorizes the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Maine Revenue Services to divulge certain taxpayer information to	TAX	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 531 (3/31)	

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	Laws (HP 1308)		the Treasurer of State for the purpose of administering the Maine unclaimed or abandoned property law. This information would Full Summary				
1772	An Act To Amend The Remote Meeting Law In Maine's Freedom Of Access Act (HP 1323)	Thom HARNETT of Gardiner	This bill amends the law governing remote participation in public meetings in the Freedom of Access Act to remove the requirement that a remote meeting policy adopted by a public body must include an expectation that members of the public body be physically present. It Full Summary	JUD	Monitor	Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 666 (4/26)	
1774	An Act Clarifying The Rights To Legal Representation And To Communicate With Others For Individuals Subject To Guardianship (HP 1325)	Thom HARNETT of Gardiner	Under the probate code, an adult subject to guardianship is entitled to retain counsel or seek court-appointed counsel in a proceeding to terminate a guardianship. This bill specifies that an adult subject to guardianship is entitled to retain counsel and to communicate with other advocates Full Summary	JUD	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 500 (3/16)	

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1780	An Act To Allow Unorganized Territory School Staff To Receive Annualized Pay (HP 1331)	Michelle DUNPHY of Old Town	This bill would allow unorganized territory school staff to have the option to receive annualized pay.	EDU	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 699 (5/2)	
1785	Resolve, To Examine Recruitment And Retention Programs And Incentives For Public Safety Workers (SP 623)	Joseph BALDACCI of Penobscot	This bill establishes the Fund To Provide Public Service Student Loan Forgiveness in the Finance Authority of Maine to provide funds for student loan forgiveness for local and county law enforcement officers, firefighters, emergency medical services persons, dispatchers and public health workers. It appropriates \$5,000,000 Full Summary	IDEA	Support	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Testimony submitted
1797	An Act To Amend The Laws Governing The Maine Length Of Service Award Program (HP 1338)	Timothy THERIAULT of China	This bill provides 2 additional members who are licensed emergency medical services persons to the Maine Length of Service Award Program Board of Trustees. The bill also provides statutory guidelines for calculating service credit within the program for	CJPS	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 556 (4/4)	

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			firefighters and emergency medical services persons.				
1799	An Act To Require Law Enforcement Agencies To Retain Serial Numbers Of Stolen Firearms (HP 1340)	Richard MASON of Lisbon	This bill would require a law enforcement agency to make a record of the serial number of a stolen firearm if the owner of the firearm provides the serial number to the law enforcement agency and to maintain that record until the firearm is recovered Full Summary	CJPS		Reports ReadOn motion by Senator DESCHAMBA ULT of York the Majority Ought Not to Pass Report ACCEPTED. in concurrence Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (2/16)	Check w/ MSA
1803	An Act To Attract And Retain Firefighters And Emergency Medical Services Personnel Through The Maine Length Of Service Award Program (HP 1345)	Timothy THERIAULT of China	This bill provides funding to the Maine Length of Service Award Program to provide length of service awards to eligible volunteer firefighters and emergency medical services personnel.	CJPS	Monitor	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 721 (5/3)	

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1806	An Act To Clarify The Boundary Between Waldo County And Knox County In Penobscot Bay (SP 632)	Glenn CURRY of Waldo	This bill clarifies and describes a portion of the common boundary between Waldo County and Knox County in Penobscot Bay in order to include the entire archipelago of Islesboro in Waldo County.	SLG	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (3/22)	
1832	An Act To Correct The Year Of The Expiration Of The Terms Of 2 County Commissioners In Sagadahoc County (SP 649)	Joseph BALDACCI of Penobscot	This bill corrects the expiration year of the terms of the commissioners in Sagadahoc County Commissioner Districts 2 and 3.	SLG	Monitor	Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) Public Law Chapter 506 (3/16)	
1859	An Act To Establish The Maine Emergency Medical Services Community Grant Program (SP 645)	Glenn CURRY of Waldo	This bill directs the Emergency Medical Services' Board to establish a public education program for the purpose of educating a community, or a group of communities, including public and civic leaders, on the current capacity and costs of emergency medical services in the State. The Full Summary	CJPS	Support	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 700 (5/2)	Testimony submitted

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1860	An Act To Address Maine's Suicide And Opioid Crises Through The Construction Of Affordable Recovery Facilities In Underserved Areas Of The State (SP 652)	Marianne MOORE of Washington	This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208. This bill proposes to direct new federal money to construct affordable recovery facilities in underserved areas in order to better address the State's suicide and opioid crises.	HHS	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (3/22)	
1879	An Act To Support Law Enforcement Officers, Corrections Officers, E-9-1-1 Dispatchers, Firefighters And Emergency Medical Services Persons Diagnosed With Post-traumatic Stress	Michael SYLVESTER of Portland	This bill repeals the provision of law repealing, on October 1, 2022, the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 39-A, section 201, subsection 3-A, paragraph B, which establishes a rebuttable presumption that, for law enforcement officers, corrections officers, E-9-1-1 dispatchers, firefighters and emergency medical services persons diagnosed Full Summary	LAH	NFNA	Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 629 (4/18)	Testimony submitted

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	Disorder (HP 1389)						
1886	An Act To Repeal The Law Regarding The County Jail Reimbursement Fee (HP 1396)	Jeffrey EVANGELOS of Friendship	This bill repeals the law authorizing a court to assess a county jail reimbursement fee.	CJPS	Monitor	Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 591 (4/13)	
1936	An Act To Codify The Senate And House Legislative Districts, The Congressional Districts And The County Commissioner Districts As Enacted By The Legislature (HP 1448)		The Legislature, in Public Law 2021, chapters 487, 488, 489 and 490, reapportioned Maine's congressional districts, county commissioner districts and districts of the State Senate and State House of Representatives, respectively. Each of the public laws adopted the unanimous plans for reapportionment submitted by the Full Summary	SLG		Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) Public Law Chapter 552 (4/4)	
1946	Resolve, Establishing The Committee To Ensure Constitutionall	Thom HARNETT of Gardiner	This bill ensures constitutionally adequate contact with counsel for residents of Department of Corrections correctional and detention facilities, for persons	JUD	Monitor	Became Law without Governor's Signature (Emergency Measure)	

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	y Adequate Contact With Counsel (HP 1451)		who are incarcerated in county jails and other county correctional facilities and for clients and their counsel in court facilities. The bill addresses telephone, video Full Summary			Resolve Chapter 182 (5/8)	
1950	An Act To Implement The Recommendations Of The Commission To Create A Plan To Incorporate The Probate Courts Into The Judicial Branch (HP 1453)		This bill implements the recommendations of the Commission To Create a Plan To Incorporate the Probate Courts into the Judicial Branch, referred to in this summary as "the commission." The report is available online at https://legislature.maine.gov/doc/7703 . Maine's county Probate Courts occupy a unique position in Full Summary	JUD	Oppose	In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	Testimon y submitted
1968	An Act To Ensure Appropriate Placement Of Defendants With Mental Illness And Intellectual Disabilities (HP 1463)	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208. This bill proposes to create pathways to alleviate the crisis of individuals experiencing homelessness and individuals languishing in the county jail system who are suffering from acute mental health crises and substance use disorder	HHS	Monitor	Became Law without Governor's Signature Public Law Chapter 757 (5/8)	

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1971	An Act To Implement The Recommendations Of The Right To Know Advisory Committee Concerning Remote Participation (HP 1466)		This bill implements the recommendations of the Right To Know Advisory Committee concerning remote participation by members of a public body subject to the Freedom of Access Act. Current law does not authorize members of a public body to participate in a public proceeding when Full Summary	JUD		Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 611 (4/14)	
1973	An Act To Support Frontline Health Care Workers By Waiving Professional Licensing Fees (SP 705)	President Troy JACKSON of Aroostook	This bill waives professional licensing fees for emergency medical services persons, registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, respiratory care practitioners, midwives and persons associated with those practices for the period from March 1, 2020 to December 31, 2022. It requires that any professional licensing fees paid Full Summary	HCIFS	Monitor	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (3/9)	
1987	An Act To Establish Municipal Cost Components		This bill establishes municipal cost components for state and county services provided to the unorganized territory that	TAX		Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) Public	

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	For Unorganized Territory Services To Be Rendered In Fiscal Year 2022-23 (HP 1473)		would normally be paid for by a municipality. The municipal cost components constitute the property tax for the unorganized territory.			Law Chapter 624 (4/18)	
1988	An Act To Establish That The Provision Of Emergency Medical Services By An Ambulance Service Is An Essential Service And To Establish The Blue Ribbon Commission To Study Emergency Medical Services In The State (HP 1474)	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	This bill provides that for purposes of eligibility for federal funding, emergency medical services provided by an ambulance service are essential services. It also establishes the Blue Ribbon Commission To Study Emergency Medical Services in the State. The commission must examine and make recommendations on Full Summary	CJPS	Support	Became Law without Governor's Signature (Emergency Measure) Public Law Chapter 749 (5/8)	Testimony submitted
1995	An Act To Make Supplemental Appropriations	Teresa PIERCE of Falmouth	This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208 and Joint Order 2021, Senate Paper 620. This bill as	AFA		Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) Public	

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	And Allocations For The Expenditures Of State Government, General Fund And Other Funds And To Change Certain Provisions Of The Law Necessary To The Proper Operations Of State Government For The Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 2022 And June 30, 2023 (HP 1482)		emergency legislation proposes to make supplemental appropriations and allocations for the expenditures of State Government and to change certain provisions of the law necessary Full Summary			Law Chapter 635 (4/20)	
1999	An Act To Prohibit Profiling And To Strengthen Civil Rights In Maine (HP 1486)	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	This bill amends the provision in law that requires law enforcement agencies to adopt written policies regarding procedures to deal with hate or bias crimes by adding a requirement that such a policy must require the law	CJPS		In possession of the Senate when the Legislature adjourned Sine Die and was placed in the	

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			enforcement agency to select, assign and secure training Full Summary			Legislative Files. (DEAD) (5/9)	
2016	Resolve, To Implement The Crisis Response Services Recommendations Identified Pursuant To Resolve 2021, Chapter 29 (HP 1498)		This bill requires the Public Utilities Commission to include developments in the delivery of crisis response services in the commission's annual report to the Legislature. The bill defines "crisis response services" as services offered to individuals experiencing mental health emergencies, emergencies relating to substance use Full Summary	EUT		Signed by the Governor Resolve Chapter 162 (4/18)	
2022	An Act To Amend The Judicial Districts And Divisions For York County (SP 733)	Donna BAILEY of York	This bill changes provisions of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 4 to align the statutes with the future locations of the District Court in York County.	JUD		Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 633 (4/18)	
2023	An Act To Implement The Recommendations Of The Secretary Of State Regarding		This bill implements the recommendations of the Secretary of State's study on remote and online notarization pursuant to Public Law 2021, chapter 337. The bill is based on the Revised Uniform Law	JUD		Signed by the Governor Public Law Chapter 651 (4/21)	

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	Notarial Acts (HP 1503)		on Notarial Acts as approved by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform Full Summary				
2024	An Act To Allow County And Regional Communications Centers To Request Polygraph Examinations For Employees And Applicants For Employment (HP 1504)	Rachel TALBOT ROSS of Portland	Under current law, law enforcement employees and applicants for positions with law enforcement agencies are subject to polygraph examinations as a condition of obtaining or holding employment; this includes persons who operate as dispatchers. Other emergency service dispatch employees or applicants for employment as emergency Full Summary	CJPS		Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) Public Law Chapter 574 (4/7)	
http://legislature.maine.gov/LawMakerWeb/summary.asp?ID=	An Act To Support Health Care Workers By Providing Hazard Reimbursements And Hazard Pay (LR 2416)	President Jackson, T of Aroostook					