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- LR: 2303 Resolve, Directing the Public Utilities Commission To Adopt Rules To Improve the Safety of Multiunit Rental Dwellings
- LR: 2498 An Act To Protect Maine's Integral and Historic Documents
- LR: 2499 An Act To Strengthen the Community-based Renewable Energy Pilot Program
- LR: 2500 An Act To Enhance the Independence of the Office of the Public Advocate
- LR: 2501 Resolve, Regarding Batteries and Power Sources in Alternative Vehicles

Sponsor: Senator Alford

- LR: 2251 An Act To Increase Maine's High School Graduation Rate
- LR: 2276 An Act To Improve the Availability, Efficiency and Cost of Services for Infants, Young Children and Their Families
- LR: 2277 An Act To Create Jobs and Stimulate Economic Development by Making Captive Insurers Eligible for Pine Tree Development Zone Benefits for 10 Years
- LR: 2420 An Act To Assist the University of Maine System To Achieve Its Core Mission

Sponsor: Representative Ayotte

- LR: 2294 Resolve, To Waive the Fine That the Department of Environmental Protection Imposed on Arthur Drolet in Connection with the Removal of Underground Petroleum Storage Tanks
- LR: 2295 An Act To Require Health Insurance Carriers To Allow Policyholders To Keep Their Children on Their Policies until Age 25

Sponsor: Senator Bartlett

- LR: 2055 An Act To Allow Greater Use of the Ignition Interlock Device Program
- LR: 2156 An Act To Protect Maine Citizens' Credit
- LR: 2237 An Act To Protect Individuals with Health Insurance from Catastrophic Risk
- LR: 2370 An Act To Amend the Electric Utility Industry Laws as They Relate to Renewable Resources
- LR: 2371 An Act Regarding the Tax on Candy

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- LR: 2307 An Act To Enact the Maine Substance Abuse Impairment Act
- LR: 2366 An Act To Clarify the Authority of the Department of Transportation Regarding Economic Development Projects That Involve Multiple Property Owners with Common Roadway Access
- LR: 2392 An Act To Clarify the Informed Growth Act

Sponsor: Representative Beaudoin

- LR: 2056 An Act To Prohibit Text Messaging while Driving
- LR: 2057 An Act Concerning Motorcyclist Safety
- LR: 2120 An Act To Require Full Disclosure by Insurance Carriers Using Credit Ratings

Sponsor: Representative Beaulieu

- LR: 2127 An Act To Clarify the Definition of "Employer" for Unemployment Compensation Purposes
- LR: 2385 An Act To Compensate Tagging Agents
- LR: 2386 An Act Regarding Surety Bond Exemption

Sponsor: Representative Beck

- LR: 2060 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Educational Benefits for Veterans and Their Families
- LR: 2486 Resolve, To Study Privacy Rights with Respect to the Job Application and Employment Process

Sponsor: Representative Berry

- LR: 2084 An Act To Prevent Predatory Signature Gathering and To Strengthen the Citizens Initiative and Veto Process
- LR: 2330 Resolve, Unifying Maine's Efforts To Notify Citizens of Powered Pesticide Applications
- LR: 2477 An Act To Streamline Wine Registration Requirements
- LR: 2478 An Act To Enhance Maine's Clean Energy Opportunities
- LR: 2481 An Act To Protect Victims of Catastrophic Illness or Accident

Sponsor: Senator Bliss

- LR: 2304 An Act To Clarify Licensing for Freestanding Event Halls

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LR: 2391 An Act To Protect Maine Consumers

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LR: 2049 An Act To Ensure Expedient Resolution of Cases before the Maine Human Rights Commission

LR: 2051 An Act To Ensure Access to Ferries for Persons with Physical Limitations

LR: 2052 Resolve, To Require an Independent Audit of the Maine Military Authority

Sponsor: Representative Boland

LR: 2212 An Act To Create the Children's Wireless Protection Act

LR: 2460 An Act To Ensure the Equitable Treatment of Maine's Workforce

LR: 2483 An Act To Ensure Patients Can Receive Estimates for the Cost of Treatments

Sponsor: Senator Bowman

LR: 2124 An Act To Protect Confidential Consumer Records in Self-service Storage Facilities

LR: 2151 An Act To Permit Representation by Persons Other Than Attorneys in Certain Hearings, Actions and Proceedings before the Department of Education

LR: 2152 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Parental Rights and Responsibilities

LR: 2247 An Act To Require Compliance of Maine's Insurance Laws with National Standards

LR: 2248 An Act To Allow Fines for Violations on Town Roads To Be Kept by Towns

LR: 2249 An Act To Require a Pharmacist To Provide Prior Notification or Obtain Consent from the Prescribing Physicians before Changing from One Formulation or Manufacturer to Another of an Antiepileptic Drug

LR: 2313 An Act To Expand Enhanced Automobile Emissions Inspections throughout the State

LR: 2323 An Act To Allow the Town of Wells and the Town of Ogunquit To Amend the Terms of Their Cost-sharing Agreement for Their Community School District and To Provide Each Town the Ability To Withdraw from the Wells-Ogunquit Community School District

LR: 2464 An Act To Enhance Relations between Delinquent Tenants and Property Owners

Sponsor: Representative Briggs

LR: 2046 An Act Designating March 29 Vietnam Veterans Day

LR: 2455 An Act To Allow Notaries and Justices of the Peace from Other States To Perform One-time Wedding

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Ceremonies in Maine

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LR: 2284 An Act To Clarify Service Animal Identification

LR: 2424 An Act To Designate Funds from the Highway Fund to the Highway and Bridge Light Capital Program

Sponsor: Senator Bryant, B.

LR: 2372 An Act To Require Municipal Officials To Perform Ministerial Actions

LR: 2394 An Act Regarding the Electronic Tagging of Big Game Animals

LR: 2395 An Act To Encourage Youth Participation in Maine's Hunting Heritage

LR: 2396 Resolve, Requiring the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife To Provide Greater Access to Smelting for Youth License Holders

LR: 2502 An Act To Improve the Standards of Auctioneers

Sponsor: Representative Bryant, M.

LR: 2177 An Act To Establish a Process of Determining Camp Road Ownership

Sponsor: Representative Butterfield

LR: 2349 An Act To Require the Use of Biofuel in No. 2 Home Heating Oil

LR: 2350 An Act Relating to the Membership of the Workers' Compensation Board

Sponsor: Representative Cain

LR: 2471 An Act To Increase Transparency and Accountability and Assess the Impact of Tax Incentive Programs

LR: 2485 RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Require That Direct Initiatives Be Subject to Legislative Rules Regarding Process

Sponsor: Representative Carey

LR: 2273 An Act To Clarify Maine's 3-tiered System for the Distribution and Sale of Alcoholic Beverages

LR: 2274 An Act To Provide for the Safety of Young Maine Athletes

Sponsor: Representative Cebra

LR: 2168 An Act To Require an Independent Audit of the MaineCare System

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LR: 2109 An Act To Authorize Sanitary Districts To Waive an Automatic Sewer Lien Foreclosure

Sponsor: Representative Clark

LR: 2083 Resolve, To Encourage Hunting by Reinstating Youth Hunting Day

LR: 2414 An Act Related to Distribution of Tagging Registration Fees

LR: 2441 An Act To Ensure Consistency in Rulemaking by the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission

Sponsor: Representative Cleary

LR: 2331 An Act To Protect the Privacy of Minors

Sponsor: Representative Connor

LR: 2073 An Act to Require the State To Pay the Costs of School Administration Consolidation

LR: 2357 An Act To Create Access to Dental Care throughout the State

Sponsor: Representative Cornell du Houx

LR: 2047 An Act To Clarify the State's Initiative Involving the Federal Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Act of 2008

Sponsor: Representative Cotta

LR: 2107 An Act To Allow Issuing Pharmacies To Accept Unused Prescription Medications

LR: 2108 An Act To Register Bicycles and To Establish a Safety Course for Bicyclists

Sponsor: Senator Courtney

LR: 2068 An Act To Maintain Funding for Death Benefits for Law Enforcement Personnel and Firefighters

LR: 2141 An Act To Repeal the Sales Tax on Automobile Repairs

LR: 2142 An Act To Increase the Maximum Distance from a School and a Day Care Center That May Be Set by Municipal Ordinance beyond Which a Sex Offender May Reside

LR: 2279 An Act To Dedicate Surplus Transportation Funds to Highway Maintenance and Paving

Sponsor: Senator Craven

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LR: 2297 An Act To Improve the Signature Collection Process for Citizen's Initiatives and People's Veto Petitions

Sponsor: Representative Cray

LR: 2180 An Act To Provide to Certain Municipalities a Waiver of the Requirement To Adopt a Comprehensive Plan and Allow Those Municipalities To Enforce Their Ordinances

LR: 2181 An Act To Provide Notice to a Municipality when a Mobile Home Is Moved

Sponsor: Representative Crockett, J.

LR: 2174 An Act Regarding Lands Held in Trust for the Benefit of the Citizens of Bethel

Sponsor: Representative Crockett, P.

LR: 2129 An Act To Expand the Scope of Motor Vehicle Inspection for Certain Law Enforcement Officers

LR: 2138 An Act Concerning Fees for Documents at the County Registry of Deeds

LR: 2165 An Act to Clarify the Laws Governing Extended Warranties

LR: 2187 An Act To Expedite the Small Claims Process

LR: 2188 An Act To Allow the State To Receive Full Funding under the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program

LR: 2195 An Act To Make Improvements to the Laws Governing the State Board of Corrections

LR: 2197 An Act Concerning Statewide Communications Interoperability

LR: 2253 Resolve, To Promote Efficiency and To Streamline Access to the Maine Residents Property Tax Program for Seniors, People with Disabilities and Working Families with Low Incomes

LR: 2340 Resolve, To Streamline State Vehicle Operations

LR: 2383 An Act To Provide Full Accountability for Convicted Class D Sex Offenders

LR: 2459 An Act To Increase the Affordability of Renewable Energy for Homeowners and Small Businesses

Sponsor: Representative Curtis

LR: 2169 An Act To Amend the Somerset County Budget Procedure

Sponsor: Representative Cushing

LR: 2286 An Act To Encourage Extended Stays in Maine Waters

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LR: 2287 An Act To Encourage Saving and Investing by Maine Citizens

Sponsor: Senator Damon

LR: 2364 An Act To Regulate the Use of Traffic Surveillance Cameras

LR: 2365 An Act To Eliminate the 3 Trap Limit off Hancock County

Sponsor: Representative Davis

LR: 2158 An Act To Bring Uniformity in Insurance Underwriting

Sponsor: Senator Diamond

LR: 2417 An Act To Amend the Law Pertaining to Smoke Detectors and Carbon Monoxide Detectors

LR: 2422 An Act To Establish a Sprinkler System Requirement in the Maine Uniform Building and Energy Code

Sponsor: Representative Dill

LR: 2413 An Act To Limit the Provision of Funding under the Maine Clean Election Act to Candidates That Do Not Have Political Action Committees

Sponsor: Representative Dostie

LR: 2036 An Act To Allow Legislators To Be Paid on a Monthly Basis

LR: 2130 An Act To Clarify the Laws Governing Freedom of Access to Information

Sponsor: Representative Driscoll

LR: 2093 An Act To Prohibit Smoking at Health Care Facilities

Sponsor: Representative Duchesne

LR: 2246 An Act To Reduce Human Exposure to "Deca" Brominated Flame Retardants

LR: 2278 Resolve, Directing the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife To Adopt Rules Clarifying Fish Stocking Decisions

Sponsor: Representative Eberle

LR: 2111 An Act To Prevent the Spread of Invasive Plants and Protect Maine's Lakes

LR: 2112 An Act To Amend the Coastal and Lake Watershed Districts Law To Clarify Municipal Home Rule and Interlocal Cooperation Authority

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Sponsor: Representative Edgecomb

LR: 2390 An Act To Amend the Charter of the Caribou Water District

Sponsor: Representative Eves

LR: 2096 Resolve, To Name a Bridge in North Berwick the North Berwick Veterans Memorial Bridge

LR: 2100 An Act To Prohibit Texting while Operating a Motor Vehicle

LR: 2101 An Act To Permit Telephone Companies To Provide Directories by Customer Request Only

LR: 2384 Resolve, To Establish the Maine Children's Budget

Sponsor: Representative Finch

LR: 2242 An Act To Make Certain MaineCare Rules Adopted by the Department of Health and Human Services Major Substantive Rules

Sponsor: Representative Fitts

LR: 2035 An Act To Impose Service Requirements on Railroads That Receive Funds from the Department of Transportation

LR: 2192 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Taste-testing of Alcoholic Beverages

LR: 2252 An Act To Streamline Collections for Consumer-owned Consolidated Water and Wastewater Utilities

LR: 2416 An Act To Clarify the Laws Governing Instant Redeemable Coupons Included with a Spirits Product

LR: 2466 An Act To Protect Universal Service

Sponsor: Representative Flaherty

LR: 2173 An Act To Establish a Broadband Policy for Maine

LR: 2185 Resolve, To Direct the Department of Education To Convene a Task Force To Review Educational Opportunities for English Language Learners in the State

LR: 2189 An Act To Limit the Distance from a Day Care Facility within Which a Registered Sex Offender May Reside

LR: 2339 An Act To Protect the Environment and Natural Resources of the State by Regulating the Discharge of Certain Substances into the Environment

Sponsor: Representative Flemings

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LR: 2085 An Act To Increase Financial Assets of Maine Citizens by Allowing Split Tax Refunds

Sponsor: Representative Fletcher

LR: 2388 An Act To Support the Paving and Maintenance of Maine's Highways

LR: 2465 An Act To Protect Rural Maine Telephone Ratepayers

Sponsor: Representative Fossel

LR: 2342 An Act To Establish an Insurance Fraud Division

Sponsor: Senator Gerzofsky

LR: 2103 An Act To Prevent Municipalities from Establishing Boat Moorings around State-owned Public Boat Launches

LR: 2105 An Act To Require Persons Who Commit Sex Offenses against Dependent or Incapacitated Adults To Register under the Sex Offender Registration and Notification Act of 1999

LR: 2421 An Act To Enhance the Redevelopment of the Brunswick Naval Air Station

LR: 2435 An Act To Stimulate Education and Job Creation through the Establishment of a Public Center for Higher Education at the Former Brunswick Naval Air Station

LR: 2447 An Act To Ensure That Search and Rescue Dogs Are Afforded the Same Protections and Accommodations as Service Animals

Sponsor: Representative Giles

LR: 2444 An Act To Encourage Private Enterprise by Prohibiting the University of Maine from Economically Harming Private Enterprise

Sponsor: Senator Goodall

LR: 2235 An Act To Promote Affordable Energy-efficient Housing

LR: 2240 An Act To Improve Maine's Air Quality and Reduce Regional Haze at Acadia National Park and Other Federally Designated Class I Areas

LR: 2243 Resolve, To Transfer the Ownership of the Bath Armory to the City of Bath

LR: 2244 An Act To Amend the Taste-testing Laws for the Sale of Alcoholic Beverages

Sponsor: Representative Goode

LR: 2198 Resolve, To Define High-risk Populations for the Purposes of Hospital Surveillance for

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Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus Aureus and To Implement Public Law 2009, chapter 346

Sponsor: Senator Gooley

LR: 2077 Resolve, To Name Route 27 from Kingfield to Stratton the Caleb Dalton Stevens Memorial Highway

LR: 2132 An Act To Transfer Funding for Certain Expenditures That Are Not Related to Transportation from the Highway Fund to the General Fund

Sponsor: Representative Harlow

LR: 2104 An Act To Waive the Tuition Charges of Any Postsecondary Educational Institution in the State for a Child of a Soldier Who Died or Is Disabled while on Active Duty

Sponsor: Representative Haskell

LR: 2117 An Act To Implement the Recommendations of the Juvenile Justice Task Force

LR: 2296 An Act Pertaining to Educational Benefits for Veterans and Their Dependents

Sponsor: Senator Hastings

LR: 2166 An Act To Prohibit Floating Barges on a Portion of the Saco River

Sponsor: Representative Hayes

LR: 2255 An Act To Amend the Charter of the Buckfield Village Corporation

Sponsor: Representative Hill

LR: 2497 An Act To Exempt from the Increased Lodging Tax Group Lodging Contracts That Were Entered into before June 13, 2009

Sponsor: Representative Hinck

LR: 2163 An Act To Control the Taking of Large Quantities of Water

LR: 2456 An Act To Promote Construction of Zero Net Energy Buildings

LR: 2458 An Act To Create a Smart Grid in the State

Sponsor: Senator Hobbins

LR: 2072 An Act To Strengthen the Laws against Illegal "Puppy Mill" Operators

LR: 2312 An Act To Restore the Laws Governing Operating under the Influence

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LR: 2369 An Act Regarding Maine Public Employees Retirement System Life Insurance Policies

Sponsor: Representative Innes

LR: 2090 An Act To Lower Municipal Energy Costs by the Formation of Municipal Energy Committees

LR: 2389 An Act To Provide Leadership, Tax Fairness and Responsible Recycling for Consumer Products

Sponsor: Senator Jackson

LR: 2087 An Act To Protect Maine Workers

LR: 2211 An Act Regarding Accidental Death Benefits for Beneficiaries of Deceased Firefighters

Sponsor: Representative Johnson

LR: 2078 An Act To Require Price Quotes for Telephone Service To Be in Writing prior to Service

LR: 2079 An Act To Require Counties To Provide Reasons for Decisions Issued on Hearings

LR: 2080 An Act Concerning All-terrain Vehicle Use on Town Roads

LR: 2115 Resolve, Authorizing the Transfer of State Land to the Natural Resource Education Center of Greenville

LR: 2116 An Act To Expand Eligibility of Certain Municipal Landfills To Participate in the State's Remediation and Closure Program

LR: 2190 An Act To Prohibit the Use of Jet Skis on Wilson Pond

LR: 2348 An Act To Stop Predatory Marketing Practices against Minors

Sponsor: Representative Jones

LR: 2091 Resolve, To Direct the Department of Environmental Protection To Establish By Rule Guidelines for Dam Repair and Maintenance

Sponsor: Representative Knapp

LR: 2335 An Act To Conserve Energy and Water

LR: 2336 An Act To Require That Lights in Hotels and Motels Are Turned on by Using Room Keys

LR: 2337 An Act To Conserve Water

Sponsor: Representative Knight

LR: 2150 An Act Regarding Health Insurance Coverage for Infertility Treatment

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LR: 2361 An Act To Create a Subzone for Lobstering around the Island of Matinicus

Sponsor: Representative Langley

LR: 2088 An Act To Repeal Recent Changes to the Laws Governing Taxation

Sponsor: Representative Legg

LR: 2063 An Act To Update and Modernize Maine's Floodplain Mapping for Coastal Communities

LR: 2125 An Act concerning the Use of Long-term Antibiotics for the Treatment of Lyme Disease

Sponsor: Representative Lewin

LR: 2367 An Act To Reimburse Pharmacies under the MaineCare Program Based on Wholesale Acquisition Costs

Sponsor: Representative Lovejoy

LR: 2040 An Act To Provide Greater Transparency in State Budgeting

LR: 2041 An Act To Place Limits on the Amount of Money That May Be Carried Forward in a Dedicated Revenue Account

LR: 2472 An Act To Create an Optional Local Sales Tax To Support Education

Sponsor: Representative MacDonald

LR: 2033 An Act To Stimulate the Maine Economy and Promote the Development of Maine's Priority Transportation Infrastructure Needs

LR: 2239 An Act To Amend the Law Implementing Tax Reform To Improve Household Credits and Encourage Investments and Charitable Giving and Reduce the Tax Burden for Catastrophic Medical Expenditures

Sponsor: Representative Magnan

LR: 2075 An Act To Authorize Municipal Officers To Resolve Road Naming Disputes

LR: 2393 Resolve, Relating to Indigent Legal Services

Sponsor: Senator Marrache

LR: 2038 Resolve, To Allow for the Proper Disposal of Medical Supplies

LR: 2327 An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue To Create a New Electronic Medical Records

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Infrastructure

- LR: 2329 An Act To Ensure the Continuation of the Maternal and Infant Death Review Panel
- LR: 2341 An Act To Clarify the Educational Requirements of Candidates for Examination for Licensure as Certified Public Accountants
- LR: 2362 An Act To Establish a Commission To Promote General Aviation in the State
- LR: 2443 An Act To Protect University of Maine Students from Unnecessary Tuition Increases

Sponsor: Representative Martin, J. L.

- LR: 2086 An Act To Improve Employment Opportunities for Maine Workers in the Forest Industry
- LR: 2153 An Act To Raise the Indebtedness Limit of the Eagle Lake Water and Sewer District
- LR: 2154 An Act To Transfer Funds from the Maine Emergency Management Agency to Maine Public Broadcasting
- LR: 2155 An Act To Require the Bureau of Motor Vehicles To Accept Certification of Disability from the Bureau of Maine Veterans' Services
- LR: 2254 An Act To Authorize the Issuance of "Stop Work" Orders if a Construction Contractor or Subcontractor Has Knowingly Misrepresented the Classification of Employees
- LR: 2446 An Act To Ensure That Maine's Energy Corridor Policy Does Not Harm Maine's Renewable Power

Sponsor: Representative Martin, J.R.

- LR: 2147 An Act To Exempt Certain Mobile Homes from the Radon Testing Requirement
- LR: 2148 An Act To Allow a Person To Change Cell Phone Service Providers after the First Term of a Contract
- LR: 2461 Resolve, To Create the State Veterans' Memorial Preservation Advisory Commission

Sponsor: Representative Mazurek

- LR: 2081 An Act To Allow Deer Hunting with Shotguns Only in Owls Head During Firearms Season
- LR: 2094 An Act To Expand the Opportunity for Persons To Acquire Health Care Coverage under the State's "Mini-COBRA" Program

Sponsor: Representative McCabe

- LR: 2099 An Act To Regulate the Transportation of Firewood
- LR: 2162 An Act To Exempt Certain Establishments from Maine's Outdoor Smoking Law

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- LR: 2171 An Act To Amend County Budget Procedures
- LR: 2345 An Act To Increase Efficiency in County Government
- LR: 2397 An Act Relating to Municipal Elected Officials
- LR: 2415 An Act To Amend Maine's Law Relating to Motor Vehicle License Plates

Sponsor: Senator McCormick

- LR: 2352 An Act To Make the Reid Vapor Pressure Standard for Gasoline Consistent within the State

Sponsor: Representative McFadden

- LR: 2194 An Act To Remove the Requirement That the Annual Budget of a Regional School Unit Must Be Approved at a Budget Validation Referendum
- LR: 2343 An Act To Establish a School of Practical Skills in Washington County
- LR: 2382 An Act Regarding the Acquisition of the Backscatter Radar Site in Washington County

Sponsor: Representative McKane

- LR: 2206 An Act To Amend Resource Protection Setbacks in Critical Wildlife Habitats
- LR: 2438 An Act To Amend the Lobster Licensing Laws

Sponsor: Representative McLeod

- LR: 2285 An Act To Create a Duty To Report Serious Injuries

Sponsor: Representative Miller

- LR: 2106 An Act To Allow a School To Withdraw from a Regional School Unit

Sponsor: Senator Mills, P.

- LR: 2062 An Act To Maximize Maine's Eligibility To Receive Grants from the Federal Race to the Top Fund
- LR: 2473 An Act To Establish a Commission To Approve Energy Corridor Designations in Accordance with Criteria Beneficial to the People of Maine
- LR: 2474 An Act To Require That New Sources of Electrical Generation in the State Must Provide a Tangible Benefit to Maine Ratepayers in the Form of Discounts to Future Electrical Rates
- LR: 2475 An Act To Exempt from the Sales and Use Tax Products Used in Dairy Farming

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- LR: 2492 An Act To Adopt a Drug Benefit Equity Law
- LR: 2493 An Act To Require That Hospitals Adopt Recognized Checklists and Procedures Designed To Reduce Health Care Associated Infections to Minimal Levels
- LR: 2495 An Act To Exempt from Sales Tax Rafting Trips on the Kennebec River, Penobscot River and Dead River
- LR: 2496 An Act To Require the Immediate Closure or Consolidation of Dorothea Dix Psychiatric Center

Sponsor: President Mitchell, E.

- LR: 2134 An Act To Aid in the Prevention of the Spread of H1 N1 Influenza by Ensuring the Provision of Earned Paid Sick Time
- LR: 2135 An Act To Improve the Seed Capital Investment Tax Credit Program
- LR: 2179 An Act To Provide Continued Protection of Benefits for Retirees of the Maine Public Employees Retirement System
- LR: 2193 An Act To Restore Longevity Pay

Sponsor: Representative Morrison

- LR: 2209 An Act To Establish an Early High School Graduation Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Senator Nass, R.

- LR: 2309 An Act To Reinstate Income Tax Indexing
- LR: 2338 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing County Jail Budgeting for York County
- LR: 2445 An Act To Exempt Minor Activities from the Natural Resources Protection Act

Sponsor: Representative Nelson

- LR: 2346 Resolve, To Review Certification Requirements for Installation of Solar Energy Systems

Sponsor: Senator Nutting, J.

- LR: 2310 An Act To Strengthen the Ballot Initiative Process

Sponsor: Representative O'Brien

- LR: 2067 An Act To Streamline Maine's Pesticide Notification System

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LR: 2201 An Act To Exempt from Penalties School Administrative Units That Would Lose Subsidy as a Result of Reorganization

LR: 2202 An Act To Require the Department of Education To Calculate Subsidy on the Basis of Membership in a Regional School Unit or an Alternative Organizational Structure and as if the School Administrative Unit Had Not Reorganized as of 2009

Sponsor: Representative Pendleton

LR: 2113 An Act To Allow Immediate Family Members To Assist in Lobstering

Sponsor: Representative Percy

LR: 2463 An Act To Implement Recommendations Contained in the Audit of the Maine State Library, Maine Arts Commission, Maine State Museum Commission and Maine Historic Preservation Commission

Sponsor: Representative Perry, A.

LR: 2097 An Act To Ensure Grandparents' Rights to Children

LR: 2306 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Advanced Practice Registered Nurses

LR: 2436 An Act To Ensure Fairness in Penalties for Administrative Errors in the Long-term Care Assessment Process

LR: 2437 An Act Enabling Expedited Partner Therapy

Sponsor: Senator Perry, J.

LR: 2039 An Act Regarding the Sale of Malt Liquor from a Mobile Service Bar on a Golf Course

LR: 2428 An Act To Exempt the Town of Hermon from the School Administrative Unit Consolidation Law

LR: 2429 An Act To Implement the Use of Promotional Credits

LR: 2431 An Act To Implement Comprehensive Tax Reform

Sponsor: Representative Peterson

LR: 2045 An Act To Maintain Internet Access for Maine Citizens and Businesses

LR: 2054 An Act To Clarify the Enforcement Role of the Mixed Martial Arts Authority of Maine

Sponsor: Representative Pilon

LR: 2064 An Act To Remove Restrictions on the Use of Traffic Surveillance Cameras by the State and

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Municipalities

- LR: 2069 An Act To Facilitate an Increase in Sales of Motor Vehicles
- LR: 2082 An Act To Require That a Utility Company Notify the Owner of Property prior to Disconnecting Services
- LR: 2196 An Act To Restore the Minimum Distance between Generators and Residential Structures to One Foot
- LR: 2326 An Act To Create a Cost-efficient Distribution System for Health Care
- LR: 2418 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the "We Support Our Troops" Registration Plates

Sponsor: Speaker Pingree

- LR: 2110 An Act To Amend the Unemployment Law Regarding Vacation Pay
- LR: 2182 An Act To Clarify Maine's Phaseout of Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers
- LR: 2183 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Noise Limitations on Wind Turbines

Sponsor: Representative Pinkham

- LR: 2245 Resolve, To Name the New Bridge over Gilman Stream in New Portland the Joshua Bernard Memorial Bridge

Sponsor: Representative Piotti

- LR: 2149 An Act To Amend the Current Moose Permit System and Preference Point System in Maine
- LR: 2299 An Act To Adjust the Implementation of Possible Tax Changes
- LR: 2300 An Act To Modify the Maine Tax Code To Support Renewable Energy
- LR: 2301 An Act To Prevent the Spread of Eastern Equine Encephalitis
- LR: 2442 An Act To Improve Safety and Reduce Maintenance Costs on Maine Highways

Sponsor: Senator Plowman

- LR: 2070 An Act To Decrease the Number of Plates Required To Be Displayed on a Motor Vehicle from 2 to One
- LR: 2071 An Act To Amend the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act
- LR: 2205 An Act Regarding Wine Tasting Demonstrations

Sponsor: Representative Pratt

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- LR: 2281 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Groundwater
- LR: 2282 An Act To Prohibit Significant Groundwater Well Development on Public Lands
- LR: 2283 An Act To Restrict the Purchase by State Agencies of Bottled Water
- LR: 2355 An Act To Streamline the Permitting Process for Muzzle-loading Permit Renewal

Sponsor: Representative Priest

- LR: 2272 An Act Concerning the Practice of Law by Out-of-state Attorneys

Sponsor: Senator Raye

- LR: 2133 An Act To Establish the Maine Basketball Hall of Fame
- LR: 2439 An Act To Preserve the "We Support Our Troops" Registration Plate
- LR: 2480 An Act To Repeal the Fee Increase for Copies of Vital Records

Sponsor: Senator Rector

- LR: 2280 An Act To Require State Agency Fee Increases To Be Approved by the Legislature
- LR: 2479 An Act To Enhance the Small Enterprise Growth Fund

Sponsor: Senator Rosen, R.

- LR: 2170 An Act To Amend Laws Relating to Persons Serving as Permanency Guardians

Sponsor: Representative Rotundo

- LR: 2058 An Act To Prohibit Texting While Driving
- LR: 2059 An Act To Establish a Silver Alert Program
- LR: 2311 An Act To Allow Minor Capital School Improvement Projects To Be Permitted Costs under Essential Programs and Services
- LR: 2353 An Act To Waive Certain Penalties Imposed against School Administrative Units if the State Has Not Fulfilled Its Goal of Paying 55% of Costs

Sponsor: Representative Russell

- LR: 2419 An Act To Establish a Smart Electric Grid in the State
- LR: 2433 An Act To Regulate Ultra-high-voltage Transmission Lines

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LR: 2434 An Act To Establish a New Electric Utility To Create a Smart Electric Grid in the State

LR: 2440 An Act To Ensure Existing Solar Collectors Are Not Shaded from the Sun

LR: 2462 An Act To Exempt Certain Businesses from the Alcohol Taste-testing Laws

Sponsor: Representative Sarty

LR: 2354 An Act To Amend the Standards by Which Game Wardens May Stop All-terrain Vehicles when Operating on Privately Owned Lands

Sponsor: Representative Saviello

LR: 2269 Resolve, To Give Linwood Wright His Bachelor's Degree in Forestry from the University of Maine

LR: 2270 An Act To Extend the Maternal and Infant Death Review Panel

LR: 2271 An Act To Form a Western Maine Regional School Unit

Sponsor: Representative Schatz

LR: 2191 An Act To Allow a Deputy District Attorney or an Assistant District Attorney Designated by the District Attorney To Request Utility Records

LR: 2289 Resolve, To Reduce the Use and Abuse of Solitary Confinement

LR: 2290 An Act To Restore the Notification Process for the Annual Registration of a Corporation

LR: 2291 An Act To Increase Payments to Agents Who Provide Tags for Wild Game

LR: 2292 An Act To Reduce the Required Setback in a Resource Protection Zone from 250 Feet to 100 Feet

Sponsor: Senator Schneider

LR: 2092 An Act To Protect Minors from Unscrupulous Marketing Practices

LR: 2172 An Act To Allow the Board of Dental Examiners To Grant Permits To Qualified Individuals To Practice as Dental Residents

LR: 2288 An Act Regarding the Law Governing Recreational Vehicle Manufacturers, Distributors and Dealers

LR: 2305 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Predatory Marketing Practices against Minors

LR: 2324 An Act To Provide the Finance Authority of Maine with Flexible Health Care Options

LR: 2325 Resolve, To Ensure Consistency in the Scheduled Expiration of Terms of the Board Members of the

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LR: 2430 An Act To Improve Health Insurance Security

Sponsor: Representative Shaw

LR: 2200 An Act To Increase the Penalties for Writing Bad Checks

Sponsor: Senator Sherman

LR: 2234 Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation To Review the Fiscal Impact on the State of the Closure of the Railroad Track between Madawaska and Millinocket

LR: 2250 An Act To Amend the Law Governing Sales Tax Exemptions for Certain Nonprofit Youth Organizations

Sponsor: Senator Simpson

LR: 2344 An Act To Create a Statewide Nuisance Animal Ordinance

LR: 2358 An Act To Increase the Financial Stability of Low-income Families

Sponsor: Senator Smith, D.

LR: 2143 An Act To Require That Elected County Treasurers Be Qualified in Business Administration and Finance Matters

LR: 2144 Resolve, Requiring the Office of Program Evaluation and Government Accountability To Look at the Structure and Management of the Department of Transportation

LR: 2145 An Act To Establish a Rural Highway Authority

LR: 2159 An Act To Repeal the Laws Requiring the Coordination of State and County Correctional Services

LR: 2160 An Act To Conduct a Maine Management and Cost Survey

LR: 2161 An Act To Allow the Purchase of Health Insurance from New Hampshire Insurers

LR: 2423 Resolve, To Direct the Public Utilities Commission To Report the Electric Rate Impact of Climate Change Regulations

LR: 2425 Resolve, To Establish a Study Commission To Review and Analyze the State's Role in Climate Change Policy

LR: 2426 Resolve, To Establish a Study Commission To Recommend a State Policy on Offshore Petroleum Exploration

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Sponsor: Representative Smith, N.

LR: 2457 An Act To Establish an Office of Administrative Law Judges for Licensing Boards

Sponsor: Representative Soctomah

LR: 2203 An Act To Develop a Policy of Communication on Issues Affecting Tribal Communities of the Passamaquoddy Tribe

LR: 2432 An Act Related to Qualified Waste-to-energy Power

Sponsor: Representative Stevens

LR: 2139 An Act To Amend the Housing Exceptions in the Maine Human Rights Act

Sponsor: Representative Strang Burgess

LR: 2207 An Act To Require MaineCare To Provide Coverage for Genetic Testing for Cancer

LR: 2334 An Act To Reduce Road Noise within Posted Areas

LR: 2470 An Act To Change Operating after Suspension to a Civil Violation

LR: 2490 An Act To Amend the Laws That Provide an Exemption for Agricultural Guard Dogs from Municipal Ordinances Governing Barking Dogs

Sponsor: Senator Sullivan

LR: 2053 An Act To Reduce Noise Caused by Motorcycles and Improve Public Health

LR: 2368 An Act To Require the Department of Health and Human Services To Represent the Child in All Proceedings on Protection from Abuse Orders Involving a Child

LR: 2487 An Act To Allow the Direct Deposit of an Income Tax Refund into a Maximum of 3 Checking or Savings Accounts

LR: 2488 An Act To Encourage Personal Savings

LR: 2489 An Act To Allow a Maine-chartered Financial Institution To Conduct a Savings Promotion Raffle

Sponsor: Representative Sutherland

LR: 2351 Resolve, To Develop a Model Academic Year Calendar

Sponsor: Representative Sykes

LR: 2186 An Act To Require That All Rules Adopted by the Bureau of Labor Standards Concerning Fire and Rescue Issues Benefit from Legislative Review

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Sponsor: Representative Tardy

LR: 2293 An Act To Amend the Charter of the Corinna Water District

LR: 2360 An Act Regarding the Placement of a Sign at Saddleback Mountain

Sponsor: Representative Theriault

LR: 2076 An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue To Purchase and Upgrade Trackage of the Montreal, Maine and Atlantic Railway, Ltd.

Sponsor: Representative Thibodeau

LR: 2167 An Act To Increase Consumer Choice Regarding the Purchase of Extended Warranties

Sponsor: Representative Thomas

LR: 2121 An Act To Encourage Tourism by Ensuring the Safety, Accessibility and Availability of Highway Rest Stops and Scenic Overlooks

LR: 2123 Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation To Install a Flashing Stop Light at the Intersection of Route 201 and Route 43 in Madison

LR: 2136 An Act To Prohibit Mandatory Vaccinations

LR: 2137 An Act To Allow Members of a Road Association To Appeal an Assessment Made by the Association to the Local Appeals Board

LR: 2140 An Act To Authorize School Bus Driver Trainees To Use Flashing Lights during Training

LR: 2184 An Act To Amend the Charter of the Dexter Utility District

LR: 2333 An Act To Improve Maine's Roads

Sponsor: Representative Tilton

LR: 2373 An Act To Discourage Drunk Driving

LR: 2374 An Act To Clarify Retirement Benefits

Sponsor: Senator Trahan

LR: 2034 An Act To Prohibit an Agency from Accepting Funds To Implement a Federal Registry for Saltwater Recreational Fishing

LR: 2042 An Act To Make Retroactive the Sales Tax Exemption for Meals Served to Residents of Retirement

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- LR: 2128 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Monhegan Lobster Conservation Area To Establish a Process for a Person Who Holds a Lobster Fishing License To Petition the Legislature or a Regional Lobster Council To Change Those Laws
- LR: 2131 An Act To Reform Maine's Referendum Process
- LR: 2164 An Act To Repeal the Laws Governing the Coordination of State and County Correctional Services
- LR: 2208 An Act To Establish Emergency Zones
- LR: 2356 An Act To Strengthen Consumer Protection against Financial and Identity Theft

Sponsor: Representative Treat

- LR: 2048 An Act To Clarify the Application of Certain Statutory Requirements to Foreclosures
- LR: 2199 An Act To Maintain Compliance of Maine's Insurance Laws with National Standards
- LR: 2328 Resolve, To Protect Information Maintained by Registries

Sponsor: Representative Trinward

- LR: 2210 An Act Regarding the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices

Sponsor: Representative Tuttle

- LR: 2043 An Act To Reinstate a System of Parole and To Implement a Program Designed To Reintegrate Former Prisoners into the Community
- LR: 2308 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Alcohol Taste-testing Activities

Sponsor: Representative Van Wie

- LR: 2098 An Act To Define Texting or Keyboarding while Operating a Motor Vehicle as a Reckless Act

Sponsor: Representative Wagner

- LR: 2241 Resolve, To Adjust the State Educational Funding Assistance Formula
- LR: 2363 An Act To Adjust Eligibility for Grants through the Efficiency Maine Trust

Sponsor: Representative Watson

- LR: 2157 An Act to Make a Minor Technical Change in the Tax Laws Governing the Sales Tax Exemption for Snowmobile Trail Grooming Equipment

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- LR: 2175 An Act To Require Seasonal Use of Personal Flotation Devices
- LR: 2176 An Act To Provide Tax Relief
- LR: 2178 An Act To Avoid Unnecessary Removal of Land from the Tree Growth Tax Law Program
- LR: 2238 An Act To Improve the Law Implementing Tax Reform

Sponsor: Representative Webster

- LR: 2065 An Act To Delay the Effective Date of the Requirement that Alcoholic Beverage Tastings Take Place in a Place Not Observed by Children
- LR: 2066 An Act To Amend the Laws Pertaining to the Taste Testing of Alcoholic Beverages
- LR: 2387 An Act To Create Fair Education Funding for Regional School Units

Sponsor: Representative Welsh

- LR: 2095 An Act To Authorize Maine Media College To Confer the Degree of Master of Fine Arts
- LR: 2236 An Act To Amend the Alcoholic Beverage Tasting Laws

Sponsor: Senator Weston

- LR: 2204 An Act To Create the Lincolnville Sewer District

Sponsor: Representative Wheeler

- LR: 2126 An Act To Remove the Age Limit Governing When a Court Must Consider the Wishes of a Child in a Proceeding for the Termination of Parental Rights

Sponsor: Representative Willette

- LR: 2061 An Act To Allow Competitions at Fairs for Homemade Wine and Beer

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