## REPORT DATE: **05/26/2025**

## **MAR LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE** REPORT SUMMARY (LD #1-1983)



## 132<sup>ND</sup> LEGISLATURE/ FIRST SESSION

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		LEGISLATIVE	COMMITTEE KEY	
ACF	Agriculture, Conservation & Forestry	IFW	Inland Fisheries & Wildlife	
AFA	Appropriations & Financial Affairs	JUD	Judiciary	
CJ	Criminal Justice & Public Safety	LBHS	Labor	
EDU	Education & Cultural Affairs	MR	Marine Resources	
EUT	Energy, Utilities & Technology	PER	Personnel Committee	
ENR	Environment & Natural Resources	SLG	State & Local Government	
GOV	Government Oversight	RUL	Rules	
HHS	Health & Human Services	TAX	Taxation	
HCIFS	Health Cov, Insurance & Financial Services	TRA	Transportation	
HOU	Housing & Econ Development	VLA	Veterans & Legal Affairs	

BILL#	Sponsor	Title	LC Review	Committee	Status	MAR Position
1	President Mattie Daughtry	An Act to Increase Storm Preparedness for Maine's Communities, Homes and Infrastructure	1/8/2025	AFA	Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) (in the Senate).  Public Law Chapter 33 (4/22/25)  Amdnement	3M
3	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Adopt Eastern Daylight Time Year-round Contingent on Federal Approval	1/8/2025	SLG	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	4
4	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Adopt Eastern Standard Time Year-round	1/8/2025	SLG	Reported Out - OTP-AM/ONTP (in the joint)  AMENDMENT (not adopted)	4
7	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Increase the Homestead Property Tax Exemption for Residents 65 Years of Age or Older	1/8/2025	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
9	Senator Craig Hickman	An Act Regarding Campaign Finance Disclosure	1/8/2025	VLA	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	4
10	Senator James Libby	An Act to Add Political Affiliation as a Protected Class to the Maine Human Rights Act	1/8/2025	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M

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24	Senator Russell Black	Resolve, Authorizing the Director of the Bureau of Parks and Lands to Convey Public Land Parcels in Lincoln Plantation and Sandy River Plantation	1/8/2025	ACF	Signed by the Governor (in the Senate). Resolve Chapter 22 (5/2/25)  Amendment	4
27	Senator Anne Carney	An Act to Amend and Simplify Certain Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Licensing and Permitting Laws	1/8/2025	IFW	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-108). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  Amendment	3M
29	President Mattie Daughtry	Resolve, to Require the Department of Transportation to Implement the Recommendations of the Lower Road Rail Use Advisory Council	1/8/2025	TRA	Unfinished Business (in the House)  Title change: Resolve, to Require the Department of Transportamtion to Implement the Recommendation of the Lower Road Rail use Advisory Council and the Calais Branch Rail Use Advisory Council Two amendments - neither adopted yet	4
30	President Mattie Daughtry	Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation to Implement the Recommendations of the Portland to Auburn Rail Use Advisory Council Regarding the Rail Line from Portland to Yarmouth	1/8/2025	TRA	Unfinished Business (in the House)  Title Change: Resolve, to Direct the Department of Transportation to Implement the Recommendations of the Portland to Auburn Rail Use Advisory Council Two amendments – neither adopted yet	4
36	Senator Denise Tepler	An Act to Clarify Processes of the Board of Environmental Protection	1/8/2025	ENR	Signed by Governor. Public Law Chapter 52  Amendment	3M
39	Representative William Pluecker	An Act to Require Forest Landowners to Report the Registration or Sale of Their Forest Carbon Credits	1/8/2025	ACF	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Title Change: An Act to Require Landowners to Report Their Partricipation in a Forest Carbon Program or Project  Amendment	4
41	Representative Kristen Cloutier	Resolve, Authorizing the State Tax Assessor to Convey the Interest of the State in Certain Real Estate in the Unorganized Territory	1/8/2025	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	4

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50	Representative Janice Dodge	An Act to Provide the Right of First Refusal to Towns in Which the University of Maine System and Similar Quasi- independent State Entities Are Selling Property	1/8/2025	SLG	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	30
53	Representative Jennifer Poirier	An Act to Establish the November General Election Day as a State Holiday	1/8/2025	SLG	Taken from the table by the President On motion by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot to ACCEPT The Minority Ought Not To Pass Report In NON-CONCURRENCE Ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence  Title Change: An Act to Establish the November General Election Day as a School Holiday Applicable Only to Public School Buildings Used as Voting Places  Amendment (adopted in House)	4
65	Representative Victoria Doudera	An Act to Update the Definition of 'Coastal Wetlands' Under the Natural Resources Protection Act	1/8/2025	ENR	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-161), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith.  Title Change: An Act to Update the Definition of "Coastal Wetlands" Under the Natural Resources Protection Act and the Mandatory Shoreland Zoning Laws  AMENDMENT	3M
68	Representative Kristen Cloutier	An Act to Amend the State Tax Laws	1/8/2025	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
103	Representative William Pluecker	An Act to Reorganize and Simplify Certain Exceptions in the Use Regulation Law	1/16/25	ACF	Signed by the Governor. Public Law, Chapter 11 (3/25/25)	3M
121	Senator Russell Black	An Act to Include Brush and Yard Debris in the Definition of "Litter"	1/16/25	CJPS	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Title Change: An Act to Amend the Maine Litter Control Act  AMENDMENT	3M
124	Senator Craig Hickman	An Act to Protect the Right to Food	1/16/25	ACF	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M

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128	Senator Teresa Pierce	An Act to Support Permitting of Certain Multifamily Housing Developments Under the Site Location of Development Laws	1/16/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved	2S
130	Senator Henry Ingwersen	An Act to Establish the PFAS Response Program and to Modify the Fund To Address PFAS Contamination	1/16/25	ACF	Sign by the Governor. Public Law Chapter 65 5/9/25  Amendment	3M
133	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Nuisance Dogs	1/16/25	ACF	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
140	Senator Joseph Baldacci	An Act to Incrementally Increase the Homestead Property Tax Exemption	1/29/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	2S
146	Senator Peggy Rotundo	An Act to Increase the Maximum Amount of the Historic Property Rehabilitation Tax Credit That May be Taken in a Year	1/29/25	TAX	On motion by Senator ROTUNDO of Androscoggin PLACED ON THE SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE pending ENACTMENT in concurrence. (in the Senate)  AMENDMENT IS A FISCAL NOTE	38
161	Representative John Ducharme	Resolve, Directing the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry to Convene a Stakeholder Group Tasked with a Comprehensive Overhaul and Modernization of the State Subdivision Laws	1/29/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
169	Representative Tavis Hasenfus	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Estate Recovery and Planning for Long- term Care	1/29/25	HHS	On motion by Senator DUSON of Cumberland placed on the SPECIAL STUDY TABLE pending FINAL PASSAGE - Emergency - 2/3 Elected Required, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Title Change: Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study MaineCare Estate Recovery  Amendment	3M
183	Representative Billy Bob Faulkingham	An Act to Cap Publicly Owned Land Area at No More than 50 Percent of Any County	1/29/25	ACF	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
184	Representative John Ducharme	Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study the Foreclosure Process	1/29/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M

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191	Representative Tavis Hasenfus	An Act to Support Maine Businesses by Establishing a Pass-through Entity Tax and Tax Credit	1/29/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (5/23)	3M
209	Representative Drew Gattine	An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations from the General Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and to Change Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Yea	1/29/25	AFA	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
210	Representative Drew Gattine	An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations from the General Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Endi	1/29/25	AFA	Work Session; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); May 27, 2025 2:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 228	3M 3O (2/5/25) (oppose section QQ around sweeping of RETT funds to general \$10 Mil over 2- yrs)
215	Representative Tavis Hasenfus	An Act to Establish a Program to Assist Residents of Large Recovery Residences	1/29/25	HHS	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
223	Representative Kristen Cloutier	An Act to Amend the Mining Excise Tax Laws	1/29/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
225	Representative Michael Brennan	An Act to Reduce Property Taxes and Finance Public School Construction and Education Through a 3 Percent Sales Tax on Hotel and Lodging Place Rentals	1/29/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
226	Representative Reagan Paul	An Act to Protect the Cultural Resources and Historical Heritage of Sears Island in Searsport by Extending Conservation Easement Protections	1/29/25	ENR	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
228	Representative Robert Foley	An Act to Allow Coastal Seawalls to Be Raised by up to 2 Feet in Order to Accommodate Predicted Sea Level Rise	1/29/25	ENR	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED	38

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					BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-164), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith.	
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229	Representative Ann Matlack	An Act to Bring Fairness in Income Taxes to Maine Families by Adjusting the Tax Brackets and Tax Rates	1/29/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
244	Senator Rachel Talbot Ross	An Act to Provide Safe, Short-term Housing to Indigent Individuals Recently Released from Correctional Facilities	1/29/25	CJPS	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
255	Senator Joseph Baldacci	An Act to Support Mobile Home Residents in Purchasing Their Mobile Home Parks	1/29/25	HOU	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-121). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.	3M
					AMENDMENT (adopted by Senate)	
260	Representative Holly Sargent	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Establish That All Maine Residents Have Equal Rights Under the Law	1/29/25	JUD	On motion by Senator ROTUNDO of Androscoggin PLACED ON THE SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE pending FINAL PASSAGE - 2/3 Present Required In NON- CONCURRENCE (in the Senate)	3M
261	Representative Stephan Bunker	An Act Regarding the Authority of Municipalities to Regulate Timber Harvesting	1/29/25	ACF	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
264	Representaative Allison Hepler	An Act to Remove the 12-month Waiting Period for the Maine Resident Homestead Property Tax Exemption	1/29/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
269	Representative Victoria Doudera	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 375: No Adverse Environmental Effect Standards of the Site Location of Development Act, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Environmental Protection	1/29/25	ENR	Voted Divided Report (in the joint)  Reconsidered on 5/19  Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3М
274	Representative Lydia Crafts	An Act Making Unified Allocations from the Highway Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law	1/29/25	TRA	Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) (in the Senate).  Public Law Chapter 9 (3/21/25)	3M

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275	Representative Lydia Crafts	An Act to Make Supplemental Allocations from the Highway Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and to Change Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2	1/29/25	TRA	Signed by the Governor (Emergency Measure) (in the Senate).  Public Law Chapter 3 (3/21/25)	3M
276 (Concept)	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act Regarding Inland Fisheries and Wildlife	1/29/25	IFW	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
287	Representative Adam Lee	An Act to Require and Encourage Safe and Interconnected Transportation Construction Projects	2/11/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
288	Representative Kristen Cloutier	An Act to Make Technical Changes to Maine's Tax Laws	2/11/25	TAX	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  AMENDMENT(C-A H-147)	3M
291	Representative Jennifer Poirier	An Act to Eliminate the Lodging Tax on Campground Sites and Revert to Using the Current Sales Tax	2/11/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
319	Representative Traci Gere	An Act to Allow Residential Housing on Church Property Located in Commercial Zones	2/11/25	HOU	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	38
326	Representative William Bridgeo	An Act to Increase the Property Tax  Exemption Provided to Individuals Who  Are Legally Blind	2/11/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
353	Senator Henry Ingwersen	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Recommend Methods for Preventing Deed Fraud in the State	2/11/25	JUD	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY Committee Amendment "A" (S-129). Ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.  AMENDMENT(adopted in Senate)	2S

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356	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Require Notification of Certain Outdoor Pesticide Applications	2/11/25	ACF	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-88). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  Title Change: Resolve, Directing the Board of Pesticides Conrol to Prohibit the Use of Rodenticides in Outdoor Residential Settings  AMENDMENT	3M
358	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Increase Fees Paid to Registers of Deeds	2/11/25	SLG	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	20
362	Senator Russell Black	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Replenish the Land for Maine's Future Program	2/11/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); April 10, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 228	4
365	Senator Chip Curry	An Act to Respond to the Housing Affordability and Accessibility Crisis in Maine	2/11/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M-2O Based on amendment, changed 5/14/25
381	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Enable Mortgage Portability and Promote Housing Affordability in the State	2/11/25	HCIFS	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
383	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Facilitate the Consolidation of the Department of Environmental Protection and the Maine Land Use Planning Commission into a Single Combined Entity	2/11/25	ENR	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
398	Representative Timothy Guerrette	An Act to Amend the Definition of "Transient Occupancy" in the Laws Governing the Maine Land Use Planning Commission	2/11/25	HOU	Signed by the Governor. Pubic Law Chapter 21 (5/9/25)	3M
399	Representative Mathew McIntyre	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding the Retention of Proceeds from Municipal Foreclosures	2/11/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
401	Representative Allison Hepler	An Act to Support Removal of Overboard Discharge Systems	2/11/25	ENR	Signed by Governor. Public Law Chapter 44 (4/25/25)	20

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403	Representative Daniel Ankeles	An Act to Protect Holders of Distressed  Mortgages from Fraud	2/11/25	JUD	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
413	Representative John Ducharme	An Act Regarding Disclosure by Sellers of Residential Real Property of Notices of Shoreland Zoning Ordinance Violations	2/11/25	HOU	Became Law without Governor's Signature (in the Senate).  Public Law Chapter 69 (5/13/25)  AMENDMENT	28
414	Representative Amy Roeder	An Act to Prohibit Deceptive Pricing	2/11/25	HOU	Reported Out - OTP-AM (in the joint)  Title Change: An Act to Prohibit Deceptive Pricing in the Rental of Short-term Lodging and in the Sale of Tickets  AMENDMENT (not adopted yet)	3M
426 (concept)	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Protect the Human Rights of Individuals in the State	2/11/25	JUD	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
427	Representative Amy Roeder	An Act to Prohibit Mandatory Parking Space Minimums in State and Municipal Building Codes	2/11/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
432	Representative Anne-Marie Mastraccio	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Allow Municipalities to Apportion Real and Personal Property Taxes on the Basis of Property Classification	2/11/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
435	Representative Tavis Hasenfus	An Act to Expand the Historic Property Rehabilitation Tax Credit	2/11/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
438	Representative Benjamin Hymes	An Act to Allow Municipalities to Limit Nonprofit Property Tax Exemptions	2/11/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
439	Representative Donald Ardell	An Act to Preserve Maine's Sporting Heritage and Enhance Sporting Opportunities for Maine's Youth by Allowing Maine's Youth to Hunt on Sunday	2/11/25	IFW	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	4
445	Representative John Ducharme	An Act to Stimulate Housing Production by Increasing the Threshold Before Participation in the Maine Uniform Building and Energy Code Is Mandatory	2/11/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S

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469	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Prioritize State Access to Electricity Generated in Canada via High- impact Electric Transmission Lines	2/11/25	EUT	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
472	Senator Peggy Rotundo	Resolve, Directing the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission and the New England and Eastern Canada Legislative Commission to Examine Restoring Passenger Rail from Boston to Montreal	2/11/25	TRA	Became Law without Governor's Signature. Resolve Chapter 30 (5/20/25)  AMENDMENT	4
474 (concept)	Representative Denise Tepler	An Act to Improve Maine's Environment and Protect Natural Resources	2/11/25	ENR	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
483	Speaker Ryan Fecteau	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Secure Prosperity for Maine Families and Businesses	2/11/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); April 9, 2025 10:00am (EDT); State House, Room 228	3S
487	Representative Tavis Hasenfus	Resolve, Directing the Northern New England Passenger Rail Authority to Apply for Federal Funding for the Purpose of Identifying the Rail Corridor Connecting Portland to Orono as an Intercity Passenger Rail Corridor	2/11/25	TRA	Unfinished Business (in the House)  AMENDMENT (not adopted yet)	4
488	Representative Randall Hall	An Act to Protect Coastal Property by Allowing Property Owners to Protect Their Existing Dwellings	2/11/25	ENR	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
490	Representative Katrina Smith	An Act to Provide for a 5-year Automatic Repeal of Agency Rules	2/11/25	SLG	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
491	Representative Sally Cluchey	Resolve, Authorizing the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry to Convey and Release the State's Interest in Certain Real Property Located in the Town of Richmond	2/11/25	ACF	Signed by the Governor. Resolve Chapter 24 (5/2/25)  AMENDMENT	4
493	Representative Laurie Osher	An Act to Expand Testing for Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances to Private Drinking Water Wells	2/11/25	HHS	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	2NFNA

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497 (concept)	Representative Victoria Doudera	An Act Regarding the Department of Environmental Protection	2/11/25	ENR	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
500	Representative Williamm Pluecker	An Act to Ensure Access to Safe Drinking Water from Household Wells in Rural Areas by Expanding Testing	2/11/25	HHS	Reported Out - OTP-AM/ONTP (in the joint)	3M
502	Representative Donald Ardell	An Act to Promote Clean and Affordable  Maine-sourced Bioenergy by Amending the Law Regarding Outdoor Wood Boilers and Outdoor Pellet Boilers	2/11/25	ENR	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
505	Senator Anne Carney	An Act to Update Processes and Fees in the Probate Court System	2/11/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
509	Senator Jeffrey Timberlake	An Act to Allow a Journeyman Electrician to Supervise 3 Helper Electricians	2/11/25	LAB	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
511	Senator Jill Duson	Resolve, to Direct the Department of Transportation to Implement the Recommendations of the Portland to Auburn Rail Use Advisory Council	2/11/25	TRA	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
521	Representative Cassie Julia	An Act to Prohibit Discrimination in Housing Based on Source of Income, Veteran Status or Military Status	2/26/25	JUD	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	2M
526	Representative Rachel Henderson	An Act to Reduce the Time Period for Challenging the Validity of a Property Tax Lien on Commercial Real Estate	2/26/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
529(concept)	Representative Nina Milliken	An Act Regarding Dams	2/26/25	ENR	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
530(Concept)	Representative David Boyer	An Act Regarding Occupational Licensing Reform	2/26/25	JUD	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED by Committee Amendment "A" (H-166) in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Title change: An Act to Eliminate a Rebuttable Presenption Against the Adminission of Certain Applicatnts to the Bar  AMENDMENT(	3M

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531(Concept)	Representative Nina Milliken	An Act Regarding Dam Ownership	2/26/25	ENR	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
536 (Concept)	Representative Christopher Kessler	An Act to Establish Net Neutrality	2/26/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
542	Representative Jeffrey Adams	An Act Regarding Municipal Property Tax Levy Limits	2/26/25	SLG	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
545	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act to Exempt a Person Making Electrical Installations in the Person's Existing Bona Fide Personal Abode from Licensing and Permitting Requirements	2/26/25	LAB	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Amendment	3S
546	Representative Traci Gere	Resolve, to Require the Preparation of Preapproved Building Types	2/26/25	HOU	Committee Amendment "A" (H235) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-235), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith.	38
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553	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Assert State Sovereignty over Ocean Waters and Marine Resources up to 12 Nautical Miles off the State's Coast	2/26/25	MAR	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
554	Senator Cameron Reny	An Act to Encourage Resident-owned Communities and Cooperatives and Preserve Affordable Housing Through Tax Credits	2/26/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
556	Senator Matt Harrington	An Act to Preserve Heating and Energy Choice by Prohibiting a Municipality from Prohibiting a Particular Energy System or Energy Distributor	2/26/25	SLG	Unfinished Business (in the Senate)	3M
559	Senator Donna Bailey	An Act to Provide Property Tax Stabilization for Older Maine Residents	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
560	Senator Donna Bailey	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Improve Coastal Climate Resiliency	2/26/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); April 10, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 228	3M
564 (Concept)	Senator Joseph Baldacci	An Act to Improve the Operations of State Government	2/26/25	SLG	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M

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565	Senator Joseph Baldacci	An Act to Amend the Definition of "Homestead" Under the Homestead Property Tax Exemption Laws	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
570	Senator Cameron Reny	An Act to Provide an Additional Maine Resident Homestead Property Tax Exemption Based on Income	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
591	Senator Joseph Baldacci	Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study MaineCare Estate Recovery	2/26/25	HHS	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
593	Senator Russell Black	An Act to Extend Funding for the Land for Maine's Future Program	2/26/25	ACF	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-83). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  AMENDMENT FOR FISCAL NOTE	3M
595 (Concept)	Senator Anne Carney	An Act to Update Privacy Protections for Maine Consumers	2/26/25	JUD	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
596	Senator Mark Lawrence	Resolve, to Provide Legislative Approval of Northern Maine Transmission Infrastructure	2/26/25	EUT	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
597 (Concept)	Senator Mark Lawrence	An Act Concerning Energy, Utilities and Technology	2/26/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
603	Representative Mark Cooper	An Act to Ensure That the Exemption of Certain Agricultural Buildings from the Maine Uniform Building and Energy Code Includes Maple Sugarhouses	2/26/25	HOU	Signed by Governor. Public Law Chapter 46 (4/25/25)	3M
608 (Concept)	Representative Drew Gattine	An Act Making Certain Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations and Changing Certain Provisions of Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government	2/26/25	AFA	The Bill was REFERRED to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401. (in the House)	3M
609 (Concept)	Representative Drew Gattine	An Act Making Certain Appropriations and Allocations and Changing Certain Provisions of Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government	2/26/25	AFA	Signed by the Governor (in the Senate). Public Law Chapter 2 (3/21/25)	3M

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614 (Concept)	Representative Steven Foster	An Act to Modify Current Property Tax Assessment Methods to Make Property Taxes Affordable for Longtime Property Owners	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	2M
619 (Concept)	Representative Allison Hepler	An Act Related to Marine Resources and Maine's Working Waterfront	2/26/25	MAR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
630 (Concept)	Representative Robert Foley	An Act to Implement Portions of the "Protecting Maine's Beaches for the Future: 2017 Update" Report Regarding Beach Nourishment and Dune Restoration Projects	2/26/25	ENR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
632	Representative Charles Skold	An Act to Allow a Local Option Sales Tax on Short-term Lodging to Fund Affordable Housing	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
634	Represenative William Tuell	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Reduction of Unfunded and Outdated Municipal and County Mandates	2/26/25	SLG	Reported Out - OTP-AM/ONTP (in the joint)  AMENDMENT (not adopted yet)	3M
641	Representative Marc Malon	An Act to Support Diversion Efforts to Address Homelessness in Maine	2/26/25	HOU	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-227). Sent for concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  TITLE CHANGE: An Act to Support Diversion Efforts to Prevent Homelessness in Maine  AMENDMENT (adopted by the House)	3M
652	Representative David Rollins	An Act to Provide Qualifying Downtown Businesses and Developments with Assistance Paying Flood Insurance Premiums	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
654	Representative Christopher Kessler	An Act to Adjust the Maximum Small Claim Limit Based on the Consumer Price Index	2/26/25	JUD	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M

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658	Representative Billy Bob Faulkingham	An Act to Lower Property Taxes by Increasing the Homestead Property Tax Exemption	2/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
659	Representative Lydia Crafts	An Act to Reduce Housing Costs by Not Requiring Fire Sprinkler Systems for Single-family Homes and Duplexes	2/26/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	2S
671	Representative Laurel Libby	An Act to Abolish the Maine Income Tax and Establish a Zero-based Budget	2/26/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
676	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Fund the Recommendations of the Mountain Division Rail Use Advisory Council	2/26/25	TRA	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
678	Senator Chip Curry	An Act to Provide for the 2025 and 2026 Allocations of the State Ceiling on Private Activity Bonds	2/26/25	HOU	Signed by Governor. Private & Special Law Chapter 3. (April 25, 25)  AMENDMENT	3M
687 (Concept)	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Assert State Ownership over Ocean Waters up to 12 Nautical Miles and Submerged Lands and Marine Resources up to 24 Nautical Miles off the State's Coast and to Direct the Attorney General to Study That Ownership	2/26/25	MAR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	2M
690	Senator Teresa Pierce	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Provide Funding for Affordable and Low-income Housing Programs	2/26/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); April 9, 2025 10:00am (EDT); State House, Room 228	3S
694	Senator Teresa Pierce	An Act to Require Petitions for Interstate Transmission Lines to Include Provisions for Conservation Funding	2/26/25	EUT	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
695	Senator Teresa Pierce	An Act Regarding the Laws of the State of Maine	2/26/25	SLG	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
699 (Concept)	Senator Peggy Rotundo	An Act Providing Appropriations and Allocations for State Government Operations	2/26/25	AFA	Received by the Secretary of the Senate on February 20, 2025 and REFERRED to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 (in the Senate)	3M

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705 (Concept)	Representative Drew Gattine	An Act to Provide Appropriations and Allocations for the Operations of State Government	2/26/25	AFA	The Bill was REFERRED to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401. (in the House)	3M
708	Representative William Bridgeo	An Act to Allow for Rescission of a Site Location of Development Permit When a Development Is Decommissioned	2/26/25	ENR	Signed by Governor. Public Law Chapter 49 (4/25/25)	3M
713 (Concept)	Representative Kristen Cloutier	An Act Regarding Taxation	2/26/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
714 (Concept)	Representative Kristen Cloutier	An Act to Amend the Tax Laws	2/26/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
715	Representative Nina Milliken	An Act to Provide Property Tax Relief by Increasing the Availability of the Property Tax Fairness Credit Based on a Resident's Age and Income	2/26/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
720	Representative Robert Foley	An Act to Protect Federal Home Loan Banks That Lend Money to Insurer Members That Become Delinquent	2/26/25	HCIFS	Signed by the Governor (in the Senate). Public Law Chapter 17 (3/25/25)	3M
724	Representative Mana H. Abdi	An Act to Recognize Eid al-Fitr and Eid al-Adha as State Holidays	2/26/25	SLG	Reported Out - ONTP/OTP (in the joint)	3M
731	Representative Grayson Lookner	An Act to Prohibit Municipalities from Barring the Creation of Homeless Shelters	3/12/25	SLG	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-176), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith.  AMENDMENT	3M
733 (Concept)	Representative Samuel Zager	An Act to Make Changes to the Law Based on a Pilot Project Conducted by the Maine State Housing Authority Regarding Efforts to Improve Access to Credit for Lowincome Renters	3/12/25	HOU	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-236), in concurrence.Odered sent down forthwith.  TITLE CHANGE: Resolve, to Requier the Maine State Housing Authority to Submit a Report on the Pilot Project to Improve Access to Credit forLow-income Individuals  AMENDMENT	3M

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735	Representative Reagan Paul	An Act to Protect Sand Dunes on Sears Island and to Establish Criteria for Legislation Regarding Land Development	3/12/25	ENR	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
741	Representative Charles Skold	An Act to Increase Preparedness for Solar Power Adoption in Maine	3/12/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
744	Representative Daniel Ankeles	An Act to Remove Certain Wharves and Piers from the Laws Governing the Current Use Valuation of Working Waterfront Land	3/12/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
745	Representative Michael Lemelin	An Act to Allow a Municipality to Sell Tax-acquired Property in Any Manner Authorized by the Municipality's Legislative Body	3/12/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
746	Representative Gary Friedmann	An Act to Authorize a Local Option Sales Tax on Short-term Lodging to Fund Municipalities and Affordable Housing	3/12/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
747	Representative Michael Brennan	An Act to Provide Funds to Reduce Student Homelessness	3/12/25	HOU	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-228). Sent for concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  AMENDMENT (adoped by the House)	3M
750	Representative William Pluecker	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 27: Standards for Timber Harvesting and Timber Harvesting Related Activities Within Unorganized and Deorganized Areas of the State, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Agriculture, Co	3/12/25	ACF	Signed by Governor. Resolve Chapter 19 (4/25/25)  AMENDMENT	3M
757	Senator Richard Bennett	Resolve, to Study and Oversee Water in the State of Maine	3/12/25	ENR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
758	Senator Russell Black (R)	Resolve, to Update Flood Mapping in the Sandy River Watershed to Federal Emergency Management Agency Standards	3/12/25	ACF	The Resolve was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-89). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  Title Change: Resove, to Conduct a Study to Update Flood Hazard Data in the Sandy River Watershed	3M

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760 (Concept)	Senator Mark Lawrence	An Act Establishing the Maine Common Interest Ownership Act	3/12/25	HOU	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-122). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  Title change: Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Need to Codify or Recodify Laws Regarding Residential Community Ownership Associations by Adopting the Uniform Common Interest Ownership Act  AMENDMENT	3M
780 (Concept)	Senator Peggy Rotundo	An Act to Fund State Government	3/12/25	AFA	Received by the Secretary of the Senate on February 27, 2025 and REFERRED to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 (in the Senate)	3M
781 (Concept)	Senator Peggy Rotundo	An Act to Provide for Appropriations and Allocations	3/12/25	AFA	Received by the Secretary of the Senate on February 27, 2025 and REFERRED to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 (in the Senate)	3M
785	Representative Rachel Talbot Ross	An Act to Enact the Remaining Recommendations of the Task Force on Changes to the Maine Indian Claims Settlement Implementing Act	3/12/25	JUD	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
795	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Exempt Pegmatite Mining from the Maine Metallic Mineral Mining Act and Establish a Permit-by-rule Process	3/12/25	ENR	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Title Change: An Act to Establish a Waiver Process from the Permit Requirements for the Use of Explosives in Recreational or Hobby Mining Activities  Amendment	3M
804	Representative Donald Ardell	An Act to Encourage Election Involvement by Making Election Day a State Holiday in Even-numbered Years	3/12/25	SLG	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M

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810	Representative Christopher Kessler	An Act Regarding the Approval of Transmission Lines	3/12/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
820	Representative Elizabeth Caruso	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Establish the Right to Hunt and Fish	3/12/25	IFW	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
824	Senator Donna Bailey	An Act Regarding Pet Fees in Rental Housing	3/12/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	30
830	Representative David Haggan	An Act to Protect Maine's Scenic Beauty by Requiring Solar Panel Fields to Be Hidden from View	3/12/25	ENR	Unfinished Business (in the Senate)  Title Change: An Act to Protect Maine's Scenic Beauty Through the Regulation of Solar Energy Developments Under the Site Location of Development Laws  AMENDMENT (not adopted yet)	3M
845	Resentative Kenneth Fredette	An Act to Establish a First-time Home- buyer Program Administered by the Finance Authority of Maine	3/12/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
846	Representative Mark Blier	An Act to Protect Natural Resources by Clarifying Hydropower Dam Removal Requirements	3/12/25	ENR	Carry Over Requested (in the joint) (May 16, 2025)	3M
847	Representative Cheryl Golek	An Act to Prohibit Housing Discrimination	3/12/25	JUD	Work Session Held - TABLED (in the joint)	2M 2O (3.26.25
856	Representative David Boyer	An Act to Phase Out the Income Tax	3/12/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
870	Representative William Bridgeo	An Act Regarding the Membership of the Maine Land Use Planning Commission	3/12/25	ACF	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	4
879	Representative Christopher Kessler	An Act to Increase Maximum Small Claim Limits for Home Construction Contracts	3/12/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
883	Representative Tracy Quint	An Act to Reduce the Tax Burden on Maine Citizens	3/12/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
888	Representative Benjamin Hymes	An Act to Expand Property Tax Relief for Veterans and Survivors of Veterans	3/12/25	TAX	On motion by Senator ROTUNDO of Androscoggin PLACED ON THE SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE pending ENACTMENT in concurrence. (in the Senate)  AMENDMENT FOR FISCAL NOTE	3M

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892	Senator Bradlee Farrin	An Act to Expand Property Tax Relief for Veterans and Their Surviving Spouses. Minor Children and Parents	3/12/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
894	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Paid Family and Medical Leave	3/12/25	LAB	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
901	Senator Joseph Baldacci	Resolve, Directing the Maine State Housing Authority to Negotiate for the Purchase of or Acquire by Eminent Domain the Land and Buildings Commonly Known as the Bangor Mall	3/12/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
907	Senator James Libby	An Act to Amend the Law Governing Zoning Ordinance Variances for Persons with Permanent Disabilities	3/12/25	HOU	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Amendment	3M
909	Senator Teresa Pierce	An Act to Expand Property Tax Relief for Veterans and Their Survivors	3/12/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
915	Representative Suzanne Salisbury	An Act to Modernize Deed Duplication from Microfilm to a Digital Image	3/12/25	SLG	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
916 (Concept)	Representative Traci Gere	An Act to Promote Investment in Housing	3/12/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
928	Representative James White	An Act to Maintain Public Access to Town Ways in Maine	3/12/25	SLG	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
934	Representative Stephen Wood	An Act to Provide 100 Percent of the  Maine Resident Homestead Property Tax  Exemption Amount to Seniors and  Veterans	3/12/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
935	Representative Tracy Quint	Resolve, Directing the Department of Environmental Protection to Report on Air and Soil Chemical and Metal Levels and on Soil Testing on Solar Panel Farm Sites	3/12/25	ENR	Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
936	Representative Tavis Hasenfus	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding the Mining Excise Tax	3/12/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M

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945	Representative Melanie Sachs	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing the Powers and Responsibilities of the Maine Redevelopment Land Bank Authority	3/12/25	HOU	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Amendment	3S
946	Representative Sophia Warren	Resolve, to Increase Access to Energy Efficiency Programs by Low-income and Moderate-income Residents	3/12/25	EUT	Reported Out - OTP-AM/ONTP (in the joint)	3M
949	Representative Cheryl Golek	An Act to Clarify Licensing Jurisdiction for Manufactured Housing Communities	3/12/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
951	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Require Disclosure of Campaign Funding Sources	3/12/25	VLA	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
956	Senator Marianne Moore	Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation to Implement the Recommendation of the Calais Branch Rail Use Advisory Council to Create a Multi- use Trail	3/12/25	TRA	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
958	Representative Billy Bob Faulkingham	An Act to Prohibit Eminent Domain on Tribal Lands	3/12/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
963	Representative Alicia Collins	An Act to Standardize Subsidized Housing Application Forms	3/12/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S 3M (3.26.25)
965	Representative Laurel Libby	An Act to Require the Automatic Repealing of Agency Rules	3/12/25	SLG	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
970	Representation Marc Malon	An Act to Prioritize Affordable Housing by Expediting Reviews for Affordable Housing Projects Applying for Funding from the Maine State Housing Authority	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
990	Senator Chip Curry	Resolve, Requiring the Office of the Attorney General to Develop and Promote an Optional Online Registry Informing Landlords of Their Rights and Obligations	3/26/25	JUD	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
992	Senator Timothy Nangle	An Act to Protect Consumers from Hidden Fees and Ensure Transparent Pricing for Live Event Tickets and Short-term Lodging	3/26/25	HOU	Placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (in the House)	3M

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994	Representative Allison Hepler	An Act Regarding the Enforcement Provisions of the Law Governing Private Road Maintenance	3/26/25	JUD	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
996	Representative Marc Malon	An Act to Create the Weatherization Plus Program and Weatherization Plus Fund	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
997	Representative Marc Malon	An Act to Allow Residential Use Development in Commercial Districts	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	2S
1004 (Concept)	Representative Marc Malon	An Act to Ensure the Proper Operation of the State	3/26/25	SLG	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1016	Senator Cameron Reny	An Act to Establish the Manufactured Housing Community and Mobile Home Park Preservation and Assistance Fund	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1020	Senator Stacy Brenner	An Act to Repeal the Laws Providing for the Construction of a Connector to Gorham and to Resell Land Taken Under Those Laws to Previous Property Owners	3/26/25	TRA	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1026	Senator Cameron Reny	An Act to Provide Mapping Services for Aquaculture Lease Siting	3/26/25	MAR	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
1027	Senator Trey Stewart	An Act to Strengthen the Law Regarding Relief for Improvident Transfers of Title	3/26/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1031	Representative Joshua Morris	An Act to Allow Time-share Associations to Charge Credit Card Surcharges	3/26/25	HCIFS	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1036	Representative Ambureen Rana	An Act to Protect Recipients of Public Assistance from Housing Discrimination	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1041	Representative Grayson Lookner	An Act to Preserve Affordability in Publicly Assisted Housing Developments	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1044	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Clarify the Qualifying Use of Tax Increment Financing for Extension of a Development District	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1047	Representative Grayson Lookner	An Act to Impose an Additional Tax on Certain Unearned Income	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	20

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1067	Representative Richard Bradstreet	An Act to Improve the Process for Mobile Home Owners to Purchase Their Mobile Home Park	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1072	Senator Stacy Brenner	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing the Land for Maine's Future Program and to Authorize the Use of Options to Purchase at Agricultural Value	3/26/25	ACF	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1073	Representative Ambureen Rana	An Act to Amend Provisions of the Maine Metallic Mineral Mining Act to Advance Health Equity and Improve the Well-being of Vulnerable Populations	3/26/25	ENR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1082	Representative Ryan Fecteau	An Act to Invest in Maine's Families and Workforce by Amending the Real Estate Transfer Tax	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	10
1083	Representative Richard Mason	Resolve, to Require the Department of Environmental Protection to Assess Existing Water Retention Structures and Water Levels	3/26/25	ENR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1088	Representative Rachel Henderson	An Act to Enact the Maine Consumer Data Privacy Act	3/26/25	JUD	Work Session; Judiciary Committee– Friday, May 30 @ 1pm	3M
1089	Representative Cheryl Golek	An Act to Permanently Fund 55 Percent of the State's Share of Education by Establishing a Tax on Incomes of More than \$1,000,000	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
1106	Representative Holly Eaton	An Act to Provide Funds for the Redevelopment of the Island Nursing Home in Hancock County into Affordable Senior Housing	3/26/25	HOU	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-230). Sent for concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  AMENDMENT (adopted by the House)	ЗМ
1107 (Concept)	Representative Melanie Sachs	Act to Create a Working Group to Support  Tax Expenditure Evaluation Efforts	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1112	Representative Ann Matlack	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine Requiring Not	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M

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		Less Than 90 Percent State Reimbursement for Residential Real Estate Property Tax Exemptions and to Establish a Minimum Homestead Exemption				
1116(concept)	Representative Grayson Lookner	An Act to Protect the Constitutional Rights of Petition Circulators	3/26/25	VLA	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1117	Representative Kilton Webb	An Act to Strengthen Maine's Workforce Through Certified Preapprenticeship Training Programs	3/26/25	LAB	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
1132	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry	An Act to Further Protect Low-impact Landscaping	3/26/25	JUD	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1133	Senator Mike Tipping	An Act to Allow Electric Vehicle Charging Stations by Condominium and Residential Associations	3/26/25	JUD	Voted - OTP-AM/ONTP (in the joint)	3NFNA
1137	Senator Trey Stewart	An Act to Expand Landowner Liability Protections to Include Sport Shooting Ranges	3/26/25	JUD	Placed in the Legislative Files. (DEAD) (in the House)	4
1140	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Strengthen the Resilience and Growth of Maine's Agricultural Economy	3/26/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); April 9, 2025 10:00am (EDT); State House, Room 228	4
1143	Senator James Libby	An Act to Update Language on Setback Variances for Single-family Dwellings and Variances from Dimensional Standards	3/26/25	HED	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
1144	Senator James Libby	An Act to Reinstate the Property Tax Stabilization Program	3/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1145	Senator Timothy Nangle	An Act to Protect Residents Living in Mobile Home Parks	3/26/25	HED	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint) OTP-AM/ONTP/OTP-AM, 4-22-25	20
1158	Representative Arthur Bell	An Act to Expand Appliance Energy and Water Standards	3/26/25	ENR	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-157), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith.	3M

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1167	Representative Julia McCabe	Resolve, to Create a Pilot Program to Assist Nonprofit Housing Developers in Rehabilitating Existing Aging Housing Stock for First-time Home Buyers	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1168	Representative Billy Bob Faulkingham	An Act to Amend the Law Regarding the Current Use Valuation of Certain Working Waterfront Land with Respect to Commercial Boat Yards	3/26/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1170	Representative Cassie Julia	An Act to Make the Maine Redevelopment Land Bank Authority Responsible for the Transfer and Development of State-owned Surplus Land	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1181	Representative Traci Gere	An Act Regarding the Designation of Short-term Rental Units as Commercial or Residential in Use	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
1183	Representative Traci Gere	An Act to Ensure Rent-to-own Protections Apply to Mobile Home Park Tenants	3/26/25	HOU	PASSED TO BE ENACTED. Sent for concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.	30
1184	Representative Traci Gere	An Act to Require Municipal Reporting on Residential Building Permits, Dwelling Units Permitted and Demolished and Certificates of Occupancy Issued	3/26/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1196	Senator Mark Lawrence	Resolve, to Require the Towns of Kittery and York to Develop a Boundary Description	3/26/25	SLG	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	4
1206	Representative Denise Tepler	An Act to Control Property Taxes by Increasing the Percentage of the Business Equipment Tax Exemption That Municipalities May Recover	3/26/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1207	Senator Russell Black	An Act to Require the Department of Environmental Protection to Monitor Air and Water Temperatures Around Commercial Solar Energy Developments	3/26/25	ENR	PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence. (in the Senate)	3M

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					<b>Title change:</b> An Act to Amend the Site Location of development Laws to Require a 100-foot Buffer Between Solar Energy Development and Rivers, Streams and Brooks	
					Amendment	
1224	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act to Comprehensively Protect Consumer Privacy	4/9/25	JUD	Work Session Held - TABLED (in the joint)	3M
1226	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act to Protect Consumers by Licensing Residential Building Contractors	4/9/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3 NFNA
1229	Representative Billy Bob Faulkingham	An Act to Create Equity in Maine's Campaign Finance Laws Between Enrolled and Unenrolled Candidates	4/9/25	VLA	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	4
1232	Represenative Shelley Rudnicki	An Act to Require Radon Testing for Certain Commercial and Residential Construction	4/9/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
1238	Representative Marshall Archer	An Act to Establish a Small-cap Loan Guarantee Program for Affordable Housing Investments	4/9/25	HOU	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	3S
1245	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Create a Fund to Spread Awareness of Maine's Working Waterfronts	4/9/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1246	Representative Traci Gere	Resolve, Directing the Department of Economic and Community Development to Convene a Working Group to Review the Process of Setting Impact Fees	4/9/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1247	Representative Traci Gere	An Act to Restrict Municipal Ordinance Requirements Regarding Housing Developments	4/23/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	2S
1264	Representative Ann Matlack	Resolve, Requiring the Director of the Bureau of Parks and Lands in the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry to Modify the Deed That Conveyed Montpelier, the General Henry	4/9/25	ACF	FINALLY PASSED - 2/3 Elected Required, in concurrence. (in the Senate)  Amendment	4

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		Knox Museum in Thomaston, to the Friends of Montpelier				
1270	Representative Walter Runte	An Act to Establish the Department of Energy Resources	4/9/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1272	Representative Ryan Fecteau	An Act to Address the Housing Crisis by Reducing Barriers to Building More Accessory Dwelling Units	4/9/25	HOU	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	2S
1278	Representative Joseph Underwood	An Act to Change the Property Tax Appeal Process	4/9/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	30
1282	Senator Craig Hickman	An Act Regarding Eligibility for Historic Preservation Bond Proceeds	4/9/25	EDU	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-96). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  AMENDMENT	3M
1287	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry	An Act to Support Workforce Development by Establishing the Housing Stability Fund	4/9/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	2S
1300	Senator Mike Tipping	An Act to Strengthen Maine's Implied Warranty Laws	4/9/25	HCIFS	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1304	Senator Joseph Baldacci	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Limit Property Tax Increases for Individuals 65 Years of Age or Older and Shift the Tax Burden to State Gaming Revenues	4/9/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1308	Senator Joseph Baldacci (D)	Resolve, Directing the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to Establish a Working Group to Explore Opportunities to Maintain Public Access of Land	4/9/25	IFW	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1312 (Concept)	Senator Teresa Pierce	An Act to Provide a Source of Revenue for School Construction and for the Land for Maine's Future Trust Fund	4/9/25	EDU	Reported Out - REFFERED TO AFA (in the joint)	3M
1325	Representative Lucien Daigle	An Act to Create Clarity in the Laws Regarding Property Tax Abatement Appeals	4/9/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	30

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1326	Representative Daniel Shagoury	An Act to Protect the Drinking Water for Consumers of Certain Water Systems by Establishing Maximum Contaminant Levels for Certain Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances	4/9/25	HHS	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M 3NFNA (4/30/25)
1338	Representative Melanie Sachs	Resolve, Directing State Agencies and Semiautonomous State Agencies to Provide a List of Surplus Properties and Properties Eligible for Redevelopment to the Maine Redevelopment Land Bank Authority	4/9/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1343	Senator Craig Hickman	An Act to Protect the Right to Harvest Wildlife	4/9/25	IFW	Reported Out - OTP-AM/ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1344	Senator James Libby	An Act to Improve the Response Time to Tenant Mold Complaints	4/9/25	JUD	Work Session; Judiciary (Joint); May 23, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 438	3M
1350	Senator Mike Tipping	An Act to Ban Corporate Contributions to Candidates	4/9/25	VLA	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
1368	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Provide a Property Tax Exemption for Allowing Shellfish Harvester Access to the Intertidal Zone	4/9/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1375	Senator Chip Curry (D)	Resolve, to Establish a Working Group to Address Regulatory Barriers to Housing Construction	4/9/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1396	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act to Amend Maine's Municipal Subdivision Standards to Increase the Number of Dwelling Units on or Divisions of a Tract of Land Before the Tract is Considered a Subdivision	4/9/25	HOU	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	3S
1415	Representative David Haggan	An Act to Expand Reporting Requirements for Legislators and Lobbyists	4/9/25	SLG	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	4
1417	Senator James Libby (R)	An Act to Strengthen the Authority of Local Officials to Enforce Provisions Regarding Dangerous and Nuisance	4/9/25	SLG	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M

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		Properties that Constitute a Threat to Public Health and Safety				
1419	Senator Richard Bennett (R)	An Act to Provide a Sales Tax Exemption for Housing Constructed Off-site Similar to That for On-site Construction	4/9/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1424	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry (D)	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue for Investment in Workforce Housing and Raise Certain Income Eligibility Limits in the Affordable Homeownership Program	4/9/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); April 9, 2025 10:00am (EDT); State House, Room 228	3S
1432	Representative Michael Soboleski	An Act to Remove Consideration of Gender Identity from the Maine Human Rights Act	4/9/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1440	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Amend the Maine Uniform Probate Code	4/9/25	JUD	Under suspension of the Rules, <b>READ A SECOND TIME</b> and <b>PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY</b> Committee Amendment "A" (H-200), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith. <b>AMENDMENT</b>	3M
1441	Senator Russell Black (R)	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Future of Recreational Access in Maine	4/9/25		Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1444	Senator Anne Carney (D)	An Act to Prevent Foreclosures Without Strict Compliance with Notice Requirements	4/9/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1450	Senator Mike Tipping (D)	An Act Regarding the Voluntary Municipal Farm Support Program	4/9/25		Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1453	Senator Richard Bennett (R)	Resolve, to Establish the Innovative Factory-made Housing Working Group	4/9/25		Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1464	Representative Marc Malon	An Act to Provide for an Alternative Municipal Property Tax Assessment Rate	4/9/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
1471	Representative John Eder	An Act to Require Energy Efficiency Disclosure Statements and Energy	4/9/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30

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		Efficiency Standards for Certain Rental Housing in the State				
1472	Representative Sophia Warren	An Act to Address Climate Change	4/9/25	ENR	Reported Out - LTW (in the joint)	3M
1476	Representative Lynn Copeland	An Act to Support Maine's Homeless Shelters by Imposing a Fee for Booking Hotels, Short-term Rentals and Recreational Vehicle Camping Reservations	4/9/25	HHS	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
1479	Representative Katrina Smith	An Act to Protect Senior Homeowners in Home-sharing Agreements by Providing for an Expedited Eviction Process	4/9/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1481	Representative Wayne Parry	An Act to Amend the Law Governing Stabilization of Property Taxes on Homesteads of Individuals 65 Years of Age or Older	4/9/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1486	Representative Yusuf Yusuf	An Act to Provide Financing Assistance for Down Payments for First-generation Homeowners	4/9/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	38
1498	Representative Billy Bob Faulkingham	An Act to Limit Municipal Impact Fees on Housing Development	4/23/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1499	Representative Rafael Macias	An Act to Revoke the Tax-exempt Status of an Organization That Fails to Report Sexual Assaults Committed by Employees, Board Members, Volunteers or Affiliates	4/23/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1500	Representative Melanie Sachs	An Act to Establish the Maine Community  Development Financial Institution Fund to  Support Small Businesses, Rural Economic  Development and Affordable Housing	4/23/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	38
1513	Representative Sophia Warren	An Act to Study the Role of Natural Gas in an Equitable Clean Energy Transition for Maine and to Establish a Commission to Study the Establishment of a Just and Equitable Transition for Maine's Workforce	4/23/25	EUT	Reported Out - LTW (in the joint)	3M

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1514	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act to Change the Laws Regarding Real Estate Appraisers	4/23/25	LAB	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	38
1522	Representative Ambureen Rana	An Act to Establish the Maine Eviction Prevention Program	4/23/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1529	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Enhance the Protection of High- value Natural Resources Statewide	4/23/25	ACF	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	4
1534	Senator Donna Bailey	An Act Enabling Municipalities to Protect Tenants and Stabilize Rents	4/9/25	HOU	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	10
1535	Representative David Haggan	An Act to Reduce Illegal Cannabis Operations by Requiring Permits for High Electrical Usage	4/23/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1537	Senator Timothy Nangle	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study Lowering Property Taxes by Revising the State-Municipal Revenue Sharing Program	4/23/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1541	Representative Joseph Martin	An Act to Provide Property Tax Relief for Senior Residents	4/23/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1552	Senator Mike Tipping	An Act to Prohibit Landlords from Setting Rents Through the Use of Artificial Intelligence	4/23/25	JUD	Work Session Held - TABLED (in the joint)	30
1569	Representative Christopher Kessler	Resolve, to Direct the Department of Economic and Community Development to Form a Stakeholder Group to Analyze and Improve Home Repair Funding Programs in the State	4/23/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1591	Represenative Daniel Ankeles	An Act to Grant a Municipality Authority to Tax Property According to Use	4/23/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
1595	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Strengthen Working Waterfronts Against Nuisance Complaints Regarding Aquaculture	4/23/25	MAR	Voted - OTP (in the joint)	3M
1596	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Support Maine's Sea Farmers	4/23/25	MAR	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M

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1604	Senator Mike Tipping (D)	An Act to Protect Groundwater and Surface Waters from Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances from Landfill Leachate	4/23/25	ENR	The Bill was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-128). In concurrence. ORDERED SENT FORTHWITH.  AMENDMENT	3M
1610	Represenative Daniel Ankeles	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Apportion Differentiated Tax Rates on Real Property According to Use	4/23/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
1612	Representative Cheryl Golek	Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation to Solicit Proposals for the Utilization of Unused State-owned Railroad Lines	4/23/25	TRA	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	4
1617	Representative Cheryl Golek	An Act to Lower the Exclusion Amount for the Estate Tax and Create an Exclusion for Family Farms and Aquaculture, Fishing and Wood Harvesting Businesses	4/23/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1619	Representative Walter Runte	Resolve, to Establish a Commission to Study Pathways for Creating a Thermal Energy Networks Program in Maine	4/23/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1623	Representative James Dill	An Act to Amend Certain Fish and Wildlife Laws Related to Landowner Representation Regarding Abandoned Property	4/23/25	IFW	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1625	Representative Kristi Mathieson	An Act Regarding the Preservation of Working Waterfronts	4/23/25	MAR	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1628	Representative Tracy Quint	An Act to Allow Municipalities to Regulate Exterior Lights	4/23/25	SLG	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	30
1630	Representative Daniel Sayre	An Act to Amend the Open Space Tax Law	4/23/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1641	Senator Timothy Nangle (D)	An Act to Allow Municipalities to Implement a Local Option Sales Tax	4/23/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	20
1655	Representative Jennifer Poirier	An Act to Allow the Keeping of Chickens on Private Residential Property	4/23/25	ACF	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED	30

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					BY Committee Amendment "A" (H-173), in concurrence. Ordered sent down forthwith.	
					AMENDMENT	
1657	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Expand the Use of Tax Increment Revenue for Affordable Housing by Adding Authorized Project Costs	4/23/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
1662	Representative Michael Soboleski	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Zoning and Land Use Restrictions to Limit Certain Requirements to Municipalities with Populations of More than 10,000	4/23/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1665	Senator Anne Carney (D)	An Act to Provide Property Tax Relief to Maine Families	4/23/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3S
1670	Representative Christopher Kessler	An Act to Establish the Maine Public Employees Retirement System Home Repair and Energy Upgrade Loan Program and Fund	4/23/25	LAB	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3S
1675	Representative Paul Flynn	An Act to Provide Just Compensation in Cases of Taking by Eminent Domain by Transmission and Distribution Utilities	4/23/25	EUT	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1682	Representative Laurie Osher	An Act to Increase Fairness in the Income Tax by Adding Higher Tax Brackets and Tax Rates	4/23/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	20
1693	Representative Rafael Macias	An Act to Establish a Sustainable Housing Development Prison Work Program	4/23/25	CJPS	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1694	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Provide an Income Tax Credit for Certain Disaster Mitigation Projects for Working Waterfront Property	4/23/25	TAX	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1696	Representative Lori Gramlich	Resolve, to Study Maine's Absolute Dominion and Beneficial Use Laws Relating to Water Rights	4/23/25	ENR	Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED by Committee Amendment "A" (H-156) in concurrence. (in the Senate)  AMENDMENT FOR FISCAL NOTE	3M

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1697	Representative Victoria Doudera	An Act to Increase Penalties to Deter Violations of the Laws Regarding Improper Pesticide Use	4/23/25	ACF	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1722	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Simplify the Regulation of Aquaculture Leases	4/23/25	MAR	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1723	Representative Cheryl Golek	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing  Manufactured Housing Communities to  Prevent Excessive Rent and Fees Increases	4/23/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1724	Representative Cheryl Golek	Resolve, Authorizing the Baxter State Park Authority to Convey Certain Land in Cumberland County	4/23/25	ACF	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	4
1727	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Ensure Transparency in Consumer Transactions Involving Artificial Intelligence	4/23/25	HCIFS	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1729	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Increase the Rate of Reimbursement to Municipalities for Revenue Lost as a Result of the Maine Resident Homestead Property Tax Exemption	4/30/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1730 (Concept)	Senator Nicole Grohoski	An Act Regarding the Beneficial Electrification Policy of the State	4/30/25	EUT	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1737	Senator Trey Stewart	An Act to Ensure the Future of Maine's Sporting Camp Heritage	4/30/25	IFW	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1739	Representative William Pluecker	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Support Maine's Agricultural Sector, to Create an Agricultural Buildings Property Tax Exemption and to Direct the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry to Study Barriers to Its Financial Assi	4/30/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); May 13, 2025 3:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 228	3M
1750	Representative David Boyer	An Act to Require the Attorney General to Create and Update Biennially a Model Residential Lease	4/30/25	JUD	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3NFNA

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1751	Representative Tiffany Roberts	An Act to Improve the Growth Management Program Laws	4/30/25	HOU	Work Session; Housing and Economic Development (Joint); May 27, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); Cross Building, Room 206	3M
1755	Representative Laura Supica	An Act to Increase the Maine Historic Property Rehabilitation Tax Credit in Rural Areas	4/30/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	38
1761	Representative Joshua Morris	An Act to Prohibit Indemnification Agreements	4/30/25	HCIFS	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1762	Representative Mark Blier	An Act to Protect Recreational Trails by Establishing the Trails for the Future Program	4/30/25	ACF	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	4
1763	Representative Allison Hepler	An Act to Regulate Nonwater-dependent Floating Structures on Maine's Waters	4/30/25	IFW	Work Session; Inland Fisheries and Wildlife (Joint); May 28, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); Cross Building, Room 206	3M
1765	Representative Cassie Julia	An Act to Ensure Affordability and Stability in Housing for Mobile Home Park Residents	4/30/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	20
1768	Senator Donna Bailey	An Act to Protect Residents of Mobile Home Parks by Amending the Real Estate Transfer Tax	4/30/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1770	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry	An Act to Provide Immediate and Long- term Property Tax Relief to Maine Households	4/30/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1778	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Update Provisions of the Maine Administrative Procedure Act	4/30/25	JUD	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1783	Representative Suzanne Salisbury	An Act to Clarify Municipal Affordable Housing Tax Increment Financing	4/30/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1786	Representative Poppy Arford	An Act to Require the Department of Environmental Protection to Provide Certain Information Regarding Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances to the Public and Private Drinking Water Well Owners	4/30/25	ENR	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M

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1792 (Concept)	Senator Nicole Grohoski	An Act Regarding the Energy Policy of the State	4/30/25	EUT	Work Session; Energy, Utilities and Technology (Joint); May 27, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); Cross Building, Room 211	3M
1795	Senator Marianne Moore	An Act to Change the Calculation for Municipal Service Charges for Tax-exempt Organizations	4/30/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1798	Senator Joseph Baldacci	An Act to Increase Revenue Sharing and to Control Property Taxes	4/30/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1806	Representative Ambureen Rana	An Act to Create a Residential Rental Unit Registry	4/30/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	10
1807	Representative Charles Skold	An Act to Expand the Sales Tax to Luxury Services and Adjust the Sales Tax on Rental Cars	4/30/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1812	Representative Russell White	An Act to Provide Low-interest Loans for Accredited College Graduates Entering Trade Professions and an Employer Tax Credit for Trade Tool Reimbursements	4/30/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3S
1814	Senator Craig Hickman	An Act to Increase Transparency in State Government by Amending Laws Regarding Persons Attempting to Influence the Competitive Bidding Process and Lobbyist Reporting During Rule-making Processes	4/30/25	VLA	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3М
1818	Representative Steven Foster	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Limit Taxes, Spending or Debt Without Approval by the Voters	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1822	Representative Amy Kuhn	An Act to Enact the Maine Online Data Privacy Act	5/14/25	JUD	Work Session; Judiciary Committee – Friday, May 30, 2025 at 1pm	3M
1829	Speaker Ryan Fecteau	An Act to Build Housing for Maine Families and Attract Workers to Maine Businesses by Amending the Laws Governing Municipal Land Use Decisions	5/14/25	HOU	Work Session; Housing and Economic Development (Joint); May 27, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); Cross Building, Room 206	30
1841	Senator Marianne Moore	An Act to Modify the Process of Selling Tax-acquired Properties	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M

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1845	Rep. Morgan Rielly	An Act to Establish the Working Waterfront Advisory Council	5/14/25	HOU	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	3M
1852	Rep. Benjamin Hymes	An Act to Promote Equitable Property Taxation by Reducing Valuation Based on Nearby Clean Energy Projects	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1857	Senator Mike Tipping	An Act to Expand Property Tax Relief for Veterans and Their Survivors and to Modify Certain Corporate Tax Expenditures	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1864	Senator Matthea E. L. Daughtry	An Act to Facilitate the Reconstruction of Storm-damaged Commercial Fisheries Facilities and Infrastructure	5/14/25	HOU	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1869	Senator Timothy Nangle	An Act to Lower Property Taxes by Allowing a Local Option Sales Tax on Recreational Cannabis Sales	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1879	Representative William Pluecker	An Act to Support Maine's Agricultural Economy by Increasing Revenue from the Corporate Income Tax and Providing Property Tax Exemptions	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1882	Representative Sally Cluchey	Resolve, Directing the Department of Environmental Protection to Conduct Rulemaking Regarding Significant Vernal Pools	5/14/25	ENR	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1885	Representative Valli Geiger	An Act to Create a State Property Tax  Directed Toward 2nd Homes for the  Purposes of Funding Education, Early Childhood Programs and the Land for  Maine's Future Trust Fund	5/14/25	TAX	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	10
1895	Representative Amy Arata	An Act to Require the Removal from a Property Tax Lien the Name of a Previous Owner Who Paid Prorated Property Taxes	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1898	Representative Matt Moonen	An Act to Correct Outdated References Regarding the Maine Human Rights Act	5/14/25	JUD	Voted - OTP (in the joint)	3M

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1901	Representative Arthur Bell	An Act to Regulate Shared Appreciation Agreements Relating to Residential Property	5/14/25	HCIFS	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1903	Senator Jeffrey Timberlake	An Act to Conform the State's Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Laws to Federal Standards	5/14/25	ENR	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1904	Senator Timothy Nangle	An Act to Establish the Municipal Shoreline Protection Legal Fund	5/14/25	ENR	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3M
1905	Senator Donna Bailey	An Act Regarding the Authority of the Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation and the Licensing Boards and Commissions Within That Office to Pursue Complaints	5/14/25	HCIFS	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1910	Representative Rachel Talbot Ross	An Act to Strengthen Housing Stability Services by Increasing Support and Outreach	5/14/25	HOU	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1912	Senator Richard Bennett	An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Address Maine's Housing Shortage	5/14/25	AFA	Public Hearing; Appropriations and Financial Affairs (Joint); May 13, 2025 3:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 228	3S
1914	Representative Holly Stover	An Act to Address Housing Density Requirements in Sole Source Aquifer Island and Peninsular Communities	5/14/25	HOU	Reported Out - ONTP (in the joint)	3M
1921	Representative Traci Gere	An Act to Create a Statewide Housing Resolution Board	5/14/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	2M
1924	Representative Mark Walker	An Act to Encourage New Residential Housing Through a Tax Exemption for the Sale or Rental of Such Housing	5/14/25	TAX	Voted - ONTP (in the joint)	3S
1926	Representative Holly Stover	An Act to Require Increased Housing Density or Lower Minimum Lot Sizes for Workforce Housing	5/14/25	HOU	Carry Over Approved (in the joint)	3S
1927	Representative Christopher Kessler	An Act to Protect Housing Quality by Enacting Mold Inspection, Notification and Remediation Requirements	5/14/25	JUD	Work Session; Judiciary (Joint); May 27, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); State House, Room 438	20

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1929	Representative Holly Eaton	An Act to Improve Public Utility Service by Addressing Seasonal Property Hazards	5/14/25	EUT	Pursuant to Joint Rule 310.3 Placed in Legislative Files (DEAD) (in the Senate)	30
1934	Representative Laurie Osher	An Act to Promote Responsible Outdoor Lighting	5/14/25	SLG	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	30
1940	Representative Melanie Sachs	An Act to Revise the Growth Management Program Laws	5/14/25	HOU	Work Session; Housing and Economic Development (Joint); May 27, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); Cross Building, Room 206	3S
1943	Representative Dylan Pugh	Resolve, to Establish a Commission to Study the Role of Private Equity in Maine's Economy and in Key Economic Sectors	5/14/25	HOU	Work Session; Housing and Economic Development (Joint); May 27, 2025 1:00pm (EDT); Cross Building, Room 206	3M
1946	Representative Sophia Warren	An Act to Clarify the Eligibility of Certified Recovery Residences for Bridging Rental Assistance Program Housing Vouchers	5/14/25	HHS	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1953	Senator Stacy Brenner	An Act to Ensure Public Access to Conservation Land by Providing Protections from Liability to Landowners	5/14/25	ACF	Voted - OTP-AM (in the joint)	3M
1958	Senator Nicole Grohoski	An Act to Ensure Due Process for Recipients of No Trespass Orders on Certain State Properties	5/14/25	JUD	Reported Out - AWD (in the joint)	3M
1967	Representative Christopher Kessler	Resolve, to Establish the Maine Home Energy Navigator and Coaching Pilot Program	5/28/25	EUT	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M
1969	Representative Morgan Rielly	An Act to Amend the Maine Revised Unclaimed Property Act	5/28/25	SLG	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1975	Representative John Ducharme	An Act to Eliminate the ConnectMaine Authority by Repealing the Advanced Technology Infrastructure Act	5/28/25	EUT	Carry Over Requested (in the joint)	3M
1976	Representative Lori Gramlich	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 379: Compensation for Impacts to High-Value Agricultural Land from Solar Energy Development, a Late-filed Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Environmental Protection	5/28/25	ENR	Voted - OTP (in the joint)	3M

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1982	Representative Amy Arata	An Act to Ensure Uniformity in the Regulation of PFAS	5/28/25	ENR	Voted - Divided Report (in the joint)	3M