

126th Maine State Legislature
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Agency and Department Bills By Subject
As of Friday, December 14, 2012

Subject: ACF

LR 381 An Act To Protect the Public Health from Mosquito-borne Diseases

LR 382 An Act To Improve Funding of Agricultural Development Projects

LR 383 An Act To Eliminate the Requirement That the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry Provide Technical Services for Direct-marketing Agricultural Products

LR 384 An Act To Reduce Reporting Responsibilities of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

LR 385 An Act To Remove the Requirement That the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry Maintain Inventory and Distribute Brucellosis Vaccine to Accredited Veterinarians

LR 386 An Act To Clarify the Authority and Responsibility of Forest Rangers

LR 388 An Act To Amend the Duties of the Division of Forestry

LR 389 An Act To Eliminate the Forest Certification Incentive Cost-share Fund

LR 390 An Act To Repeal the Elm Tree Restoration Fund

LR 391 An Act To Repeal the Commercial Standard for White-Cedar Shingles

LR 460 An Act To Repeal Certain Data Collection Requirements of the Forest Health and Monitoring Program of the Division of Forestry

LR 462 An Act To Revise the Animal Welfare Laws

LR 487 An Act To Make Technical Changes to the Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry Laws

LR 545 An Act To Amend the Laws of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

LR 546 An Act To Clarify the Laws Establishing the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Subject: AFA

LR 464 An Act To Provide for the 2013 and 2014 Allocations of the State Ceiling on Private Activity Bonds

Subject: CJPS

LR 371 An Act To Amend Provisions Relating to the Department of Corrections To Clarify Certain Enforcement Powers

LR 372 An Act To Amend the County Jail Inspection Requirement for Nationally Accredited Facilities

LR 373 An Act To Allow Young Adult Offenders To Be Confined in Juvenile Correctional Facilities

LR 374 An Act To Prohibit Prisoners from Filing Protection from Harassment Complaints against Corrections Personnel

LR 434 An Act To Update the Maine Emergency Management Laws

LR 438 An Act To Revise the Laws of the Maine Criminal Justice Academy

LR 439 An Act To Require That Firearms Used in the Commission of Certain Acts Be Civilly Forfeited to the State and Destroyed

LR 440 An Act Concerning the Destruction of Computers Used in the Commission of a Crime

LR 445 An Act To Make a Minor Technical Correction to a Provision of the Statutes Regulating Professional Investigators

Subject: CJPS

LR 446 An Act To Amend the Law Regarding Fireworks Technician License Qualifications
LR 447 An Act To Amend the Law Regulating the Use of Explosives
LR 508 An Act Regarding the Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner Advisory Board
LR 516 An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Mental Responsibility for Criminal Conduct
LR 527 An Act Criminalizing Trafficking in Hospital Contraband or Alcoholic Beverages in State Hospitals Serving Adults
LR 541 An Act To Protect Title to Real and Personal Property of Public Employees
LR 542 An Act To Strengthen the Integrity of Nonresident Concealed Handgun Permits
LR 544 An Act To Amend Probation Provisions

Subject: EDU

LR 392 An Act To Improve Maine's Charter School Laws
LR 450 An Act To Amend and Clarify Certain Education Laws

Subject: ENR

LR 387 An Act To Electronically Issue Permits for Burning
LR 556 An Act Regarding Working Waterfront Projects
LR 557 An Act To Provide Clarity To Priority Chemical Reporting Requirements
LR 558 An Act To Prohibit the Sale of Gasoline with Corn-based Ethanol as an Additive in Levels Greater than 10 Percent
LR 559 An Act To Make Minor Changes and Corrections to Statutes Administered by the Department of Environmental Protection
LR 560 An Act To Amend the Mandatory Shoreland Zoning Laws

Subject: EUT

LR 442 An Act To Make Certain Changes to the Laws Regarding the Bureau of Consolidated Emergency Communications at the Department of Public Safety
LR 443 An Act To Protect the Privacy of Persons Calling for Emergency Assistance and To Further Protect Investigative Information That Is Already Protected by Maine Law
LR 501 An Act Regarding Next Generation 9-1-1 and Making Changes in Surcharge Remittance for Certain Providers
LR 502 Resolve, Regarding a Fire and Police Protocols Pilot Program for E-9-1-1 Processing
LR 503 An Act To Clarify Certain Sections of the Electric Industry Restructuring Statutes
LR 537 An Act To Increase Renewable Sources of Energy and Lower Price
LR 538 An Act To Clarify the Goals of the Efficiency Maine Trust
LR 539 An Act To Lower the Price of Electricity
LR 555 An Act To Streamline the General Permit Process for Tidal Power

Subject: HHS

LR 505 An Act To Enhance Public Safety

LR 506 An Act To Improve the Unused Pharmaceutical Disposal Program

LR 507 An Act To Improve Law Enforcement Access to Prescription Monitoring Program Data

LR 512 An Act To Grant the Commissioner of Health and Human Services and the Commissioner's Designees the Independent Authority To Issue Adjudicatory Subpoenas

LR 513 An Act Regarding Registration and Correction of Death Information on Death Certificates

LR 514 An Act Regarding Registration of Fetal Deaths

LR 515 An Act Regarding Permits for Final Disposition of Dead Human Bodies

LR 517 An Act To Eliminate Institute Councils for Mental Health Institutions

LR 518 An Act To Remove References to State Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities

LR 519 An Act To Protect Newborns Exposed to Harmful Substances

LR 520 An Act To Provide Clarity and Consistency in Routine Public Health Licensing Activities

LR 522 An Act To Amend Licensing and Certification Requirements

LR 525 An Act To Make Convicted Drug Felons Ineligible for TANF Assistance

LR 526 An Act To Strengthen Mandatory Reporting Laws

LR 528 Resolve, To Require the Department of Health and Human Services To Request a Waiver To Prohibit the Use of Food Supplement Benefits for the Purchase of Soft Drinks and Taxable Food Items

LR 529 An Act Regarding Delayed Birth Registration

LR 530 An Act To Clarify Civil Liability of Persons Making False Claims

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LR 531 An Act Relating to Employee Leasing Company Registration

LR 547 An Act To Ensure Consistency between the State's Fair Credit Reporting Act and the Federal Fair Credit Reporting Act

LR 548 An Act To Make a Minor Substantive Change to the Regulations Involving the Sale of Business Opportunities

LR 549 An Act Concerning Hurricane Deductibles

LR 550 An Act To Allow the Adjustment of the Assessment Rate for the Rural Medical Access Program

LR 551 An Act To Repeal an Insurance Reporting Requirement

LR 561 An Act To Amend and Clarify the Maine Uniform Securities Act

LR 563 An Act To Correct Errors in the Maine Insurance Code

LR 565 An Act To Make Records of External Review Proceedings Overseen by the Bureau of Insurance Confidential

LR 569 An Act Relating to Insurance Company Formation and Dissolution

LR 570 An Act To Update the Maine Insurance Code To Maintain Conformance with Uniform National Standards

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LR 475 An Act To Strengthen the Wildlife Laws

LR 476 An Act To Clarify Provisions of the Whitewater Rafting Laws

Subject: IFW

- LR 477 An Act To Amend Certain Provisions of the Fish and Wildlife Laws
 - LR 478 Resolve, Concerning Rights of Way over Eastern Road in Scarborough
 - LR 479 An Act To Strengthen Maine's Assent Language for Participation in the Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration Act
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Subject: JUD

- LR 397 An Act To Amend Judicial Branch Laws
 - LR 485 An Act To Amend the Limited Liability Company Laws
 - LR 510 An Act To Allow the Chief Medical Examiner To Appoint Medicolegal Death Investigators
 - LR 521 An Act To Increase Child Support Collections by Requiring the Interception of Certain Gambling Winnings
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Subject: LCED

- LR 364 An Act To Amend the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992
- LR 395 An Act To Make Changes to the Maine College Savings Program
- LR 396 An Act To Authorize the Provision of Insurance on Student Loans
- LR 444 An Act To Update the Polygraph Examiner Licensing Laws
- LR 454 An Act Regarding Treatment of Employees of Temporary Staffing Agencies under Unemployment Insurance
- LR 455 An Act To Streamline the Work Permit Process for Minors and Conform Allowable Places of Work to Federal Law
- LR 456 An Act To Ensure Conformity with the Federal Trade Adjustment Assistance Extension Act of 2011
- LR 457 An Act To Correct an Inconsistency in Maine's Apprenticeship Law
- LR 481 An Act To Avoid Conflicts of Interest in State Government Labor Relations
- LR 482 An Act To Permit Reimbursement of Public Employers for Collection Services
- LR 488 An Act To Amend the Reporting Requirements of the Workers' Compensation Management Fund
- LR 493 An Act To Address Maine's Immediate Workforce Needs
- LR 494 An Act To Create the Office of Marketing
- LR 504 An Act To Clarify the Laws Governing Energy Efficiency Building Performance Standards
- LR 523 An Act To Amend the Maine Registry of Certified Nursing Assistants and Direct Care Workers
- LR 532 An Act To Update the Medical Board Statutes
- LR 533 An Act To Recodify the Land Surveyor Licensing Statute
- LR 534 An Act To Streamline, Amend and Clarify Certain Professional and Occupational Licensing Statutes
- LR 535 An Act To Modify Administration of the Fund Insurance Review Board
- LR 536 An Act To Clarify Decision-making Authority Regarding Energy Infrastructure Corridors
- LR 540 An Act To Increase Renewable Sources of Energy and Lower Energy Prices
- LR 552 An Act To Allow Complainants To Attend Informal Conferences Held in Executive Session

Subject: LCED

LR 553 An Act To Describe Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Requirements To Be Effective January 1, 2015
LR 554 An Act To Amend Licensing Requirements for Professional Engineers
LR 564 An Act To Reorganize the Board of Boilers and Pressure Vessels and the Board of Elevator and Tramway Safety
LR 566 An Act To Establish a Uniform Quorum Requirement for Professional and Occupational Licensing Boards
LR 568 An Act Relating to Health Care Provider Liability Claim Reports

Subject: MAR

LR 465 An Act To Make Technical Changes to Maine's Marine Resources Laws
LR 466 An Act To Cap Certain Marine Resources Licenses Issued by the Passamaquoddy Tribe
LR 467 An Act To Require the Development of a Statewide Approach to Seaweed Management
LR 468 An Act To Provide Guidance for the Development of State Fisheries Management Plans
LR 469 An Act To Provide for the Effective Marketing and Promotion of Maine Lobster
LR 470 An Act To Provide for Passage of River Herring on the St. Croix River in Accordance with an Adaptive Management Plan
LR 471 An Act To Improve the Quality of the Data Used in the Management of Maine's Fisheries

Subject: SLG

LR 376 Resolve, Authorizing the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services To Sell or Lease the Interests of the State in Certain Real Property Located in Bangor, Boothbay Harbor, Augusta and Hallowell
LR 483 An Act To Amend the Bureau of General Services Laws
LR 509 An Act Regarding Acts of Good Faith in Criminal Procedures

Subject: TAX

LR 375 An Act To Amend the Tax Appeals Laws
LR 378 Resolve, Authorizing the State Tax Assessor To Convey the Interest of the State in Certain Real Estate in the Unorganized Territory
LR 379 An Act To Amend the Tax Laws
LR 380 An Act To Conform the Maine Tax Laws for 2012 to the United States Internal Revenue Code
LR 489 An Act To Improve the Accuracy of Fuel Tax Reporting
LR 490 An Act To Sustain Maine's Aviation Industry
LR 491 An Act To Provide Greater Access to Capital for Certain Businesses
LR 492 An Act To Clarify the Property Tax Exemption for Municipally Owned Airports

Subject: TRA

LR 441 An Act To Amend Provisions of the Law Pertaining to Motor Vehicles
LR 451 An Act To Amend or Repeal Outdated or Underutilized Laws Related to Transportation

Subject: TRA

LR 452 An Act To Streamline Processes Related to Transportation
LR 484 An Act To Amend the Motor Vehicle Laws
LR 511 An Act Regarding the Fee for the World Acadian Congress Commemorative Plate
LR 543 An Act Regarding Maine Commercial Motor Vehicle Safety Regulations

Subject: VLA

LR 377 An Act To Update the Laws Relating to the Tri-state Lotto and the Payment of Prizes to Minors
LR 435 An Act To Improve the Military Bureau Laws
LR 436 An Act To Improve the Bureau of Maine Veterans' Services
LR 437 An Act To Amend the Laws of the Gambling Control Board
LR 486 An Act To Amend the Election Laws and Other Related Laws

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