

Reports due to the Transportation Committee during the 124th First Regular Session (2009)

Leg Session	Type	Auth or Req'd by	Auth for Leg	Citation-Statute, Law, LD	Description	Due Date	From	To	Frequency	Subject	Reed
1	124-1	Repeal	Statute	no	29-A §2360-A, sub-§3 (PL 2007, c. 453)	<u>Repeal Axle Fines Midwinter Season</u> : Extends the repeal date for laws regarding exceptions to axle fines during the midwinter season.	9/15/2009	n/a	n/a	n/a	Weight limits
2	123-2, 124-1	Report	Law-PL	no	PL 2007, c. 329, Pt. I	<u>Highway Fund Savings Transfers</u> : Report detailing DOT's transfer of Highway Fund Personal Services savings to the Highway and Bridge Improvement and Maintenance and Operation programs for capital needs.	9/15/2008 9/15/2009	DOT	TRA	Twice	Highway Fund savings
3	124-1	Report	Statute	no	29-A §2354-B, sec. 3	<u>Canadian Weight Limits Pilot Project</u> : Report on the status and impacts of the pilot project to allow commercial vehicles at Canadian weight limits to travel from the Canadian border to specific points in the State	124th 1st	DOT	TRA	One-Time	Weight limits
4	124-1	Report	Law-PL	no	P.L. 2007, c. 648, sec. 7	<u>Driver's licenses</u> : Report on the most cost-effective way to ensure that an applicant does not have more than one driver's license or id card issued by the State.	10/1/09	Secretary of State	TRA, Governor	One-Time	Driver's licenses
5	124-1	Report	Law-PL	no	P.L. 2007, c. 648, sec. 8	<u>Driver's licenses</u> : Report on the most cost-effective way to develop and implement policies and procedures in order to take and maintain photographs of applicants at the time an application for a driver's license or id card is submitted.	10/1/09	Secretary of State	TRA, Governor	One-Time	Driver's licenses
6	124-1	Report	Law-Res	yes	Resolve 2005, c. 189, §3	<u>Timber Harvesting Equipment</u> : Report on the status of a pilot project to allow timber harvesting equipment to be moved during nighttime	1st Mon. Feb. 2009	SOS (consult w/DOT and State Police)	TRA	One-Time	Overlimit movement permits
7	124-1, 124-2	Report	Law-Res	yes	Resolve 2007, c. 86, §2	<u>Distracted Driving</u> : Report on the analysis of the relationship between distracted driving behavior and motor vehicle accidents.  *Authority for Legislation 124th 1st and 2nd	1/15/2009 (interim) 1/15/2010 (final)	DPS	TRA	Twice	Distracted driving
8	All	Report	Law-PL	no	PL 2007, c.4, §D-1	<u>Highway Fund Charges</u> : Report detailing charges made to each Highway Fund allocation to support Department of Transportation operations pursuant to PL 2005, c. 12, Pt. G, §2 for the prior state fiscal year.	1/30	DAFS	TRA	Annual	Highway Fund
9	All	Report	Law-PL	no	PL 2005, c. 664, Pt. N, §N-1	<u>DOT Service Center</u> : Report of all Highway Fund allocations necessary to support the Department of Transportation Service Center.	1/30 (In conjunction with presentation of HF Budget)	DAFS	TRA	Annual	Highway Fund
10	All	Report	Statute	no	23 §1966, sub-§4	<u>Turnpike Authority</u> : Report on the authority's activities for the preceding fiscal half, including a detailed report of its receipts and expenditures from all sources.	Not specified	MTA	TRA	Semi-annual	Administrative/Financial
11	All	Report	Statute	no	23 §8116	<u>Passenger Rail Authority</u> : Report on Northern New England Passenger Rail Authority's previous year fiscal activities.	1/1 beg 1996	Northern N.E. Passenger Rail Authority	TRA	Annual	Railroad

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12	All	Report	Statute	no	29-A §456-D, sub-§8 P.L. 2007, c. 703, sec. 7	<u>We Support Our Troops License Plate</u> : Detailed account of funds for each fiscal year and include the number of loans and grants awarded, the names of those who received loans and grant money, a description of the process for warding loans and grants and the total amount of loan and grant money awarded.	6/30	We Support Our Troops Advisory Board	TRA	Annual	License plates, decals	
13	Odd	Report	Statute	no	23 §73, sub-§6 P.L. 2007, c. 470, Part B	<u>Capital Transportation Program</u> : Report on progress realized since goals were set towards establishing a capital transportation program.	1/15 (odd years)	DOT	TRA	Odd-numbered years	Transportation plan	
14	124-1	Report	By Letter	no	RE: LD 2112	Report on possible impacts and ramifications if the State of Maine were to change the current annual enhanced inspection requirement to a one-time two-year safety inspection for new motor vehicles.	1/31/2009	DEP	TRA	One-Time	Motor vehicle inspections	
15	124-1	Report	By Letter	no	By letter	Opinion and analysis regarding the options available under the Feeder Railroad Development Program (FRDP) of the Surface Transportation Board. Report on the ramifications of and possibilities for utilizing the FRDP as a means to improve railroad freight service in Maine.	1/15/2009	Attorney General	TRA and UTE	One-Time	Railroad freight service	1/5/2009
16	124-1	Report	By Letter	no	RE: LD 2204	Report on commercial vehicle laws and fine structure - an evaluation of state and federal gross vehicle weight and axle weight laws, and federal motor carrier safety regulations.	1/15./2009	DOT (w MSP, BMV, MMTA, Coalition to Lower Fuel Prices in Maine, FMCSA)	TRA	One-Time	Commercial motor carriers	
17	All	Report of interest	Statute	no	38 §451-A, sub-§1-B	<u>Sand/Salt Storage</u> : Report to DEP on the status of available funds pertaining to a sand and salt storage area owned by the DOT	Not specified	DOT	DEP	Annual	Sand and salt storage	
18	All	Report of interest	Statute	no	23 §7301	<u>Railroad conditions</u> : Report to Governor on the condition of tracks, rolling stock, bridges, viaducts and culverts of any railroad.	Not specified	DOT	Governor	Annual	Railroad	
19	All	Report of interest	Statute	no	23 §4304	<u>State Ferry Service</u> : Report to DOT on recommendations for changes to the Maine State Ferry Service.	Not specified	State Ferry Advisory Board	DOT	Annual	Maine State Ferry Service	