

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE

*One Hundred and Sixth  
Legislature*

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Bill, "An Act Reducing Tax on Pari- Mutuel Pools." (H. P. 898) (L. D. 1186)

Tabled — May 18, 1973 by Senator Danton of York.

Pending — Enactment.

On motion by Mr. Berry of Cumberland, retabled and Tomorrow Assigned, pending Enactment.

#### Reconsidered Matter

On motion by Mr. Berry of Cumberland, the Senate voted to reconsider its previous action whereby Bill, "An Act Prohibiting the Acceptance of Money for Enrollment of Voters", (H. P. 1270) (L. D. 1645), was Passed to be Enacted.

On further motion by the same Senator, tabled and Specially Assigned for May 23, 1973, pending Enactment.

On motion by Mr. Berry of Cumberland, the Senate voted to take from the table the fourth tabled and unassigned matter:

Bill, "An Act to Correct Errors and Inconsistencies in the Education Laws." (S. P. 417) (L. D. 1378)

Tabled — May 17, 1973 by Senator Berry of Cumberland.

Pending — Passage to be Engrossed. Committee Amendment "A" (S-127).

Mr. Katz of Kennebec then presented Senate Amendment "B" and moved its Adoption.

Senate Amendment "B", Filing No. S-147, was Read.

The PRESIDENT: The Senator has the floor.

Mr. KATZ: Mr. President and Members of the Senate: This errors and inconsistencies bill will be languishing around here for several weeks, and there may be additional amendments. I want the Senate to know I have a specific explanation of every facet of every amendment that is going on in case any of you have questions.

The PRESIDENT: Is the Senate Ready for the question?

Senate Amendment "B" was Adopted.

Thereupon, on motion by Mr. Berry of Cumberland, tabled pending Passage to be Engrossed.

Out of Order and under suspension of the rules, the Senate voted to take up the following:

#### Joint Order

WHEREAS, David H. Stevens, Commissioner of the Maine Department of Transportation, is one of the 10 leading men of the nation in the field of public works; and

WHEREAS, he will be so honored nationally the week of May 20th for his work which "reflects the highest standards of professional conduct;" and

WHEREAS, the roads and bridges spanning our State stand in silent tribute to the characteristic courage and industrious determination of their attentive guardian since 1954; and

WHEREAS, the State is justifiably proud of this man and his many worthy accomplishments which are indelibly marked in over 30 years of distinguished service in its behalf; now, therefore, be it

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that We, the Members of the One Hundred and Sixth Legislature of the State of Maine, now assembled, pause for a moment in our deliberations to congratulate David H. Stevens on this national honor and acclaim and express our gratitude for his excellent service given so generously to his State for more than thirty years; and be it further

ORDERED, that our presiding officers shall cause a copy of this Order to be appropriately presented to Commissioner Stevens on our behalf in full honor of the occasion. (H. P. 1519)

Comes from the House Read and Passed.

Which was Read and Passed in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Berry of Cumberland,

Adjourned until 9:30 tomorrow morning.