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## LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

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# Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

### **VOLUME II**

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FIFTH CONFIRMATION SESSION November 24, 1986 Index The Bill in NEW DRAFT READ ONCE.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title

The Committee on EDUCATION on Bill "An Act to Change the Name of the University of Maine to the State University of Maine and to Clarify the Public Policy on Higher Education"

H.P. 1665 L.D. 2347

Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title Bill "An Act to Change the Name of the University of Maine"

H.P. 1694 L.D. 2385

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Which Report was READ.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Franklin, Senator Webster.

Senator WEBSTER: I would like to pose a question through the Chair. Could I ask someone who would have knowledge on this issue, as to whether this is a unanimous report, and exactly what this legislation does?

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair would answer to the first question, that it is a unanimous report, as it appears on the calendar.

The Senator from Franklin, Senator Webster has posed a question through the Chair to any Senator who may care to respond.

The Chair recognizes the Senator from Washington, Senator Brown.

Senator BROWN: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the Senate. The rather massive document, this particular Bill, has been distributed to you. As a matter of fact, it is about 40 pages long. All this does, is as the Statement of Fact reads, and the purpose of this Bill is to change and designate the University of Maine as the University of Maine System. All this does, is to allow the University of Maine at Orono to become the University of Maine, and the rest of it to become the University of Maine System.

That was necessary in order to allow that name change. There is nothing else of substance, at all, in this Bill. The original bill that came in, did have a number of features in it, which the Committee did not have a great deal of time to look over. So, as a result, we put everything aside and simply dealt with the name change, and the name change only. There is nothing else in the bill except that.

Which Report was ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE READ ONCE.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

#### Off Record Remarks

The Committee on TAXATION on Bill "An Act Concerning Additional Administrative Changes in Maine Tax Laws"

H.P. 1472 L.D. 2075

Reported that the same Ought to Pass in New Draft under New Title Bill "An Act Providing for Administrative Changes in Maine Tax Laws"

H.P. 1690 L.D. 2381

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE. PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE READ ONCE.

The Bill in NEW DRAFT under NEW TITLE LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

### Senate

### Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw Report shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act Making Supplemental Appropriations from the General Fund to the Judicial Department for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1986, and June 30, 1987" (Emergency)

S.P. 659 L.D. 1697

Ought to Pass As Amended