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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

January 8 - April 2, 1986

Senate Amendment "A" (S-411) to Committee Amendment "A" (H-565) ADOPTED.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-565) as Amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-411), thereto ADOPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled Unassigned, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, the Senate removed from the Tabled and Later Today assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Extend the Trust Land Designation of the Penobscot Nation"

S.P. 721 L.D. 1844
(C "A" S-402)

Tabled - March 12, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED

(In Senate, March 11, 1986, READ A SECOND TIME.)

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

On motion by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot, the Senate RECONSIDERED its action whereby it ADOPTED Committee Amendment "A" (S-402).

On further motion by same Senator, Senate Amendment "A" (S-412) to Committee Amendment "A" (S-402) READ.

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Penobscot, Senator Pearson.

Senator PEARSON: Mr. President, Men and Women of the Senate. This does for the Penobscot Nation, the same as the previous Amendment did for the Passamaquoddy Tribe. It allows them to continue to be able to purchase land that we promised would be available for them to purchase, if they could find a willing seller. It allows them to continue what they have been promised that they could do, under Federal Legislation, State Legislation and Tribal approval, under the Indian Land Claims Settlement Act.

It allows them to continue to be able to purchase land, specifically in the Bottle Lake area, that is now being considered for a nuclear high level repository, both in Hancock, Washington and Penobscot Counties. It will be Tabled after the induction of this Amendment, pending the approval of the Tribal State Commission. It is our promise to keep our word, just as we expect the Federal Government will keep their word.

Senate Amendment "A" (S-412) to Committee Amendment "A" (S-402) ADOPTED.

Committee Amendment "A" (S-402) as Amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-412), thereto ADOPTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled Unassigned, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED.

Off Record Remarks

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today assigned matter:

HOUSE REPORTS - from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION on Bill "An Act Relating to a New Registration Plate Issue."

H.P. 229 L.D. 263

Majority Report - Ought to Pass in New Draft under same title (Emergency)

H.P. 1540 L.D. 2171

Minority Report - Ought to Pass in New Draft under same title (Emergency)

H.P. 1541 L.D. 2172

Tabled - March 12, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending - ACCEPTANCE OF EITHER REPORT

(In Senate, March 12, 1986, Reports READ.)

(In House March 12, 1986, Majority OUGHT TO PASS IN NEW DRAFT (H.P. 1540) (L.D. 2171) Report READ and ACCEPTED and the NEW DRAFT PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-568).)