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Representatives:

PIOTTI of Unity
LUNDEEN of Mars Hill
JENNINGS of Leeds
CARR of Lincoln
JODREY of Bethel
SHERMAN of Hodgdon
FLOOD of Winthrop
MAREAN of Hollis
EDGECOMB of Caribou

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same **Ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-440)**.

Signed:

Representative:

TWOMEY of Biddeford

Reports **READ**.

On motion by Senator **BRYANT** of Oxford, the Majority **OUGHT NOT TO PASS** Report **ACCEPTED**.

Sent down for concurrence.

SECOND READERS

The Committee on **Bills in the Second Reading** reported the following:

Senate

Bill "An Act To Allow the Towns of Mapleton, Castle Hill and Chapman To Deposit All Tax Revenues, Grant Revenues and Other Income and Revenues into One Depository Account"
S.P. 648 L.D. 1694

READ A SECOND TIME and **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED**.

Sent down for concurrence.

Senate As Amended

Bill "An Act Regarding Interscholastic Athletics"
S.P. 26 L.D. 84
(C "A" S-438)

READ A SECOND TIME and **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED**.

Sent down for concurrence.

Off Record Remarks

All matters thus acted upon were ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

ENACTORS

The Committee on **Engrossed Bills** reported as truly and strictly engrossed the following:

Emergency Measure

An Act to Allow Dragging in Lower Taunton Bay
S.P. 703 L.D. 1786

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 29 Members of the Senate, with no Senators having voted in the negative, and 29 being more than two-thirds of the entire elected Membership of the Senate, was **PASSED TO BE ENACTED** and having been signed by the President, was presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his approval.

Resolve

Resolve, To Fund a Study Regarding Health Care for Maine's Firefighters

H.P. 15 L.D. 10
(C "A" H-723)

On motion by Senator **ROTUNDO** of Androscoggin, placed on the **SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS TABLE**, pending **FINAL PASSAGE**, in concurrence.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Unfinished Business

The following matter in the consideration of which the Senate was engaged at the time of Adjournment had preference in the Orders of the Day and continued with such preference until disposed of as provided by Senate Rule 516.

The Chair laid before the Senate the following Tabled and Specially (1/19/06) Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act To Amend the Laws Relating to Motorized Scooters, Motor-driven Cycles and Mopeds" (EMERGENCY)
H.P. 1027 L.D. 1464
(C "B" H-730)

Tabled - January 18, 2006, by Senator **BRENNAN** of Cumberland

Pending - **PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-730)**, in concurrence

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2006

(In House, January 10, 2006, **PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-730).**)

(In Senate, January 18, 2006, **READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-730)**, in concurrence. On motion by Senator **BRENNAN** of Cumberland, **RECONSIDERED.**)

On motion by Senator **BRYANT** of Oxford, Senate Amendment "A" (S-441) **READ.**

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Oxford, Senator Bryant.

Senator **BRYANT:** Thank you, Madame President, men and women of the Senate. This amendment just follows the home rule and allows municipalities to produce their own ordinances. That's all the amendment does.

On further motion by same Senator, Senate Amendment "A" (S-441) **ADOPTED.**

PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" (H-730) AND SENATE AMENDMENT "A" (S-441), in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

Senate at Ease.

Senate called to order by the President.

At this point a message was received from the House of Representatives, borne by Representative CUMMINGS of Portland informing the Senate that the House concurred with the proposition for a Convention of the two branches of the Legislature to be held in the Hall of the House at 11:00 in the morning for the purpose of extending to the Honorable Leigh I. Sauffley, Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, an invitation to attend and make such communications as pleases her.

Senator **WESTON** of Waldo was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate off the Record.

Senator **SCHNEIDER** of Penobscot was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate off the Record.

Senate at Ease.

Senate called to order by the President.

At this point, the Senate retired to the Hall of the House, where a Joint Convention was formed.

After Convention

In Senate Chamber

Senate called to order by the President

Senator **ROTUNDO** of Androscoggin was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate off the Record.

Senator **SULLIVAN** of York was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate off the Record.

On motion by Senator **BRENNAN** of Cumberland, **ADJOURNED**, to Thursday, February 2, 2006, at 10:00 in the morning.