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## MMA's Legislative Policy Committee January 29, 2025

## **Supplemental Agenda**

- I. MMA platform bills printed since the distribution of the agenda
  - **a.** LD 283 An Act to Expand Local Revenues by Including Meals and Lodging Sales Tax Revenue Under the State-Municipal Revenue Sharing Program (Sponsored by Rep. Hepler of Woolwich)
- II. Proposed legislation. The following bills and amendments to bills of municipal interest have been moved into the hopper since the distribution of the agenda for Thursday's LPC meeting. Summary descriptions of these amendments have been provided in the LD List 2025 (Attachment #S-1). For your convenience when voting on LD 210, the governor's biennial budget parts on the original notice and agenda, we are providing a document to use as a guide at Attachment #S-2.
  - **A. Rebecca Graham** will provide information for full LPC consideration on the following legislative initiatives.
    - i. Agriculture, Conservation & Forestry-related legislation.
      - 1. <u>LD 261</u> An Act Regarding the Authority of Municipalities to Regulate Timber Harvesting
    - ii. Transportation-related legislation.
      - 1. <u>LD 287</u> An Act to Require and Encourage Safe and Interconnected Transportation Construction Projects
  - **B.** Rebecca Lambert will provide information for full LPC consideration on the following legislative initiatives.
    - i. State & Local Government-related legislation.
      - 1. <u>LD 286</u> An Act to Allow County Commissioners Greater Flexibility When Establishing a Payment Schedule for Municipalities to Pay County Tax Bills
    - ii. Veterans & Legal Affairs-related legislation.
      - 1. <u>LD 266</u> An Act to Require the Updating of Voter Registration Signatures

- **C. Amanda Campbell** will provide information for full LPC consideration on the following legislative initiatives.
  - i. Taxation-related legislation.
    - 1. <u>LD 264</u> An Act to Remove the 12-month Waiting Period for the Maine Resident Homestead Property Tax Exemption