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**123rd Legislature (2006-2008)**

**History and Final Disposition**

HP1233

Joint Order Directing the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation to Submit Legislation on Tax Reform. Presented by Representative PIOTTI of Unity. Final Disposition: Passed in Concurrence 03/29/07. (See LD 1925 and LD 2310)

LD 1925 / HP1362

An Act To Cut Taxes on Maine Residents by over \$140,000,000. House: (Reported by the Majority from the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation pursuant to Joint Order 2007, HP 1233.) Engrossed as Amended Without Reference by HJ 06/21/07. Senate: Adhere to Indefinitely Postponed 06/21/07. Final Disposition: Died Between Houses 06/21/07.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1925 \(123rd Legis. 2007\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

[LD 1925](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Taxation

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

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[SENATE, June 15, 2007 \(S1059-1088\)](#)

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Real tax reform (Bangor Daily News, 6/12/2007) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD19xx/nc123-ld-1925/SB1231686.pdf)

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