

SENATE BILL NO. 246

INTRODUCED BY STORY

IN THE SENATE

January 23, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
February 20, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted.
February 21, 1981	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February 23, 1981	Second reading, do pass.
February 24, 1981	Correctly engrossed.
February 25, 1981	Third reading, passed. Ayes, 48; Noes, 0. Transmitted to House.

IN THE HOUSE

March 2, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
March 27, 1981	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 28, 1981	Second reading, concurred in.
March 30, 1981	On motion rules suspended and bill allowed to be transmitted on 71st legislative day. Motion adopted.
March 31, 1981	Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 84; Noes, 15.

IN THE SENATE

April 1, 1981	Returned from House. Concurred in. Sent to enrolling. Reported correctly enrolled.
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