

SENATE BILL NO. 398
INTRODUCED BY PINSONEAULT

IN THE SENATE

FEBRUARY 11, 1989	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.
	FIRST READING.
FEBRUARY 16, 1989	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.
FEBRUARY 17, 1989	PRINTING REPORT.
FEBRUARY 18, 1989	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
FEBRUARY 20, 1989	ENGROSSING REPORT.
FEBRUARY 21, 1989	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 50; NOES, 0.
	TRANSMITTED TO HOUSE.

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FEBRUARY 21, 1989	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES & AGING.
	FIRST READING.
MARCH 16, 1989	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
MARCH 27, 1989	SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.
MARCH 29, 1989	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 96; NOES, 1.
	RETURNED TO SENATE.

MARCH 29, 1989

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RECEIVED FROM HOUSE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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