

Legislative Studies (Interim 2008)

#	Policy Area	LD/chaptered law	Study Name	Number of Meetings	Report Dates/Reports to:	Total Members	Staff (lead, co-staff and researcher)	Secretarial Support
1	ACF	PL 2007, c. 649	Committee to Study the Protection of Farms and Farmland	4 meetings	Final report to ACF by 11/5/08	11	Jill, Anna, Julie (Brenna)	Charlene
2	ACF	PL 2007, c. 660	ACF Committee review of the recommendations of the Agricultural Creative Economy Study	3 meetings	Committee to report to 124th Legislature	13	Karen, Elizabeth (Alison) [with Jill as a committee resource]	Charlene
3	CRJ	SP 933	Committee Study of Sex Offender Registry	3 meetings	11/5/2008	13	Marion, Anna (Darlene)	Charlene
4	EDU	Title 3, sec. 168-A as amended by PL 2007, c. 679	Legislative Youth Advisory Commission	Not more than 9 times annually (including two public hearings)	Biennially to the Legislature	20	Danielle, Brenna	Kathy
5	EDU	PL 2007, c. 666	OPLA staff study on teacher confidentiality	n/a	11/5/08 to EDU	0	Phil, Carolyn (Darlene) [with assistance from Susan if necessary]	Kathy
6	HHS	Resolve 2007, c. 209	Blue ribbon commission to study long-term home-based and community based care	4 meetings	11/5/08 to the Legislature	11	Jane, Natalie (Alison)	Donna
7	HHS	PL 2007, c. 629	HHS committee study to review the Fund for a Healthy Maine	3 meetings	10/1/08 to AFA committee	13	Jane, Lucia, Chris Nolan (Alison)	Donna
8	IFS	LD 1072, Sec. 1	Single payer feasibility study	N/A	12/3/08 to 124th Legislature	N/A	Colleen (Darlene) [primarily contract oversight]	Kathy
9	JUD	PL 2005, c. 631)	Right to Know Advisory Commission	At least 4 times annually	1/15 annually to JUD Committee and Chief Justice	15	Peggy, Colleen (Darlene)	Donna
10	LAB	PL 2003, c. 699	Citizen Trade Policy Commission	At least twice annually plus two annual public hearings	Annually to Legislature, Gov and others	22	Curtis, Natalie, Judy Gopaul (Alison)	Kathy
11	NAT	PL 2001, c. 648	Community Preservation Advisory Committee	No more than 4 times annually	Annually to NAT Committee	13	State Planning Office (with OPLA drafting assistance from Susan)	Charlene