

New to Maine in the 123rd

- Bill Drafting - MELD
- Cameras in House and Senate
- Bill Status / Tracking
- Chamber support system for House and Senate

Bill Drafting system replaced

- WANG VS system out
- Windows system in
 - SQL
 - XML

Cameras in the House and Senate

- House went with IRC and Digital Video Group
 - Automatic targeting on active microphone
 - 85% Effective w/staff member correcting

Cameras in the House and Senate

- Senate went with Advanced Technologies
 - Automatic targeting on active microphone
 - 95% Effective w/Assistant Secretary correcting

Chamber support system for House and Senate

- RFP issued
- Very tight timeline



Chamber support system for House and Senate

- Objectives
 - Reduction of paper
 - Faster and more accurate information to the members
 - Improved communication