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the value described in subsection 1, paragraph A, including the adjustment for inflation.

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CHAPTER 77

H.P. 147 - L.D. 224

An Act to Expand the Definition of "Terrorism" in the Laws Governing the Maine Emergency Management Agency

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 1 MRSA §402, sub-§3, ¶L, as amended by PL 2003, c. 614, §1, is further amended to read:

L. Records describing security plans, security procedures or risk assessments prepared specifically for the purpose of preventing or preparing for acts of terrorism, but only to the extent that release of information contained in the record could reasonably be expected to jeopardize the physical safety of government personnel or the public. Information contained in records covered by this paragraph may be disclosed to the Legislature or, in the case of a political or administrative subdivision, to municipal officials or board members under conditions that protect the information from further disclosure. For purposes of this paragraph, "terrorism" ~~means conduct that is designed to cause serious bodily injury or substantial risk of bodily injury to multiple persons, substantial damage to multiple structures whether occupied or unoccupied or substantial physical damage sufficient to disrupt the normal functioning of a critical infrastructure has the same meaning as in Title 37-B, section 703, subsection 8;~~

Sec. 2. 37-B MRSA §703, sub-§1-A is enacted to read:

1-A. Cyberattack. "Cyberattack" means activity targeting information and communications technology infrastructure, systems or services affecting the State or the State's critical infrastructure, whether physical or non-physical, for the purpose of disrupting, disabling, destroying or maliciously controlling such infrastructure, systems or services or destroying the integrity of the data or stealing the information residing thereon.

Sec. 3. 37-B MRSA §703, sub-§8, as enacted by PL 2013, c. 146, §6, is amended to read:

8. Terrorism. "Terrorism" means the unlawful use of force or violence against persons or property to intimidate or coerce a government or civilian population. "Terrorism" includes conduct that is designed to cause serious bodily injury or substantial risk of bodily

injury to multiple persons, substantial damage to multiple structures whether occupied or unoccupied or substantial physical damage sufficient to disrupt the normal functioning of a critical infrastructure; or conduct that constitutes a cyberattack on information and communications technology infrastructure, systems or services affecting the State or the State's critical infrastructure, whether physical or non-physical.

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CHAPTER 78

S.P. 48 - L.D. 31

An Act Regarding School Enrollment for Military- connected Students

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §5205, sub-§12, ¶A-1 is enacted to read:

A-1. If the parent of a military-connected student is transferred or pending transfer within the State, a school administrative unit shall:

- (1) Allow the student to continue attending the student's current school;
- (2) Allow the student to enroll in the student's prospective school prior to establishing residence; or
- (3) Allow the student to enroll at a school located where the student will reside with a non-custodial guardian.

Student transfers under this paragraph that take place during a student's final year of high school must conform with section 20107.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 79

H.P. 75 - L.D. 110

An Act to Require Reporting on the Expenditure of Opioid Settlement Funds by Certain Municipalities and County Governments

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §203-D is enacted to read:

§203-D. Reporting on funds received by direct share subdivisions pursuant to court settlement of opioid crisis litigation