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LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE

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PUBLISHED BY THE REVISOR OF STATUTES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED, TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

Augusta, Maine 2025

shall designate Bridge 5260 on Pine Point Road, which crosses the Boston and Maine Railroad and Snow Canning Road in the Town of Scarborough and is currently known as the Pine Point Crossing Bridge, the Scarborough Veterans Memorial Bridge.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 18 H.P. 385 - L.D. 617

Resolve, to Rename a Bridge in the Town of Waterboro the Waterboro Veterans Memorial Bridge

Sec. 1. Bridge in Waterboro renamed. Resolved: That the Department of Transportation shall designate Bridge 3830 on Main Street in the Town of Waterboro, which crosses Hamilton Brook and is currently known as the School Bridge, the Waterboro Veterans Memorial Bridge.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 19 H.P. 492 - L.D. 750

Resolve, Regarding Legislative
Review of Portions of Chapter
27: Standards for Timber
Harvesting and Timber
Harvesting Related Activities
Within Unorganized and
Deorganized Areas of the State,
a Major Substantive Rule of
the Department of Agriculture,
Conservation and Forestry,
Bureau of Forestry

Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved: That final adoption of portions of Chapter 27: Standards for Timber Harvesting and Timber Harvesting Related Activities Within Unorganized and Deorganized Areas of the State, a provisionally adopted major substantive rule of the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Bureau of Forestry that has been submitted to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized as long as the effective date of the rule is January 1, 2026.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 20 S.P. 362 - L.D. 796

Resolve, to Rename a Bridge in Windham and Gorham the Little Falls Veterans Memorial Bridge

Sec. 1. Bridge in Windham and Gorham renamed. Resolved: That the Department of Transportation shall designate Bridge 2787 on Route 202, which crosses the Presumpscot River between the Town of Windham and the Town of Gorham and is currently known as the South Windham Bridge, the Little Falls Veterans Memorial Bridge.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 21 H.P. 54 - L.D. 90

Resolve, Regarding Legislative
Review of Chapter 6:
Delegation of Nursing
Activities and Tasks to
Unlicensed Assistive Personnel
by Registered Professional
Nurses, a Major Substantive
Rule of the Department of
Professional and Financial
Regulation, State Board of
Nursing

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by the agency; and

Whereas, a major substantive rule has been submitted to the Legislature for review; and

Whereas, immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to record the Legislature's position on final adoption of the rule; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved: That final adoption of Chapter 6: Delegation of Nursing Activities and Tasks to Unlicensed Assistive Personnel by Registered