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### STATE OF MAINE

 $132^{\text{ND}}$  Legislature First Regular and First Special Sessions



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dispose of a vehicle or vehicle part in a manner considered appropriate and requires any proceeds from a sale to be deposited in the Motor Vehicle Services Fund.

3. It defines the term "electronic temporary registration plate program" and enables the Secretary of State to establish an electronic temporary registration plate program and adopt rules to administer the program. It also increases the temporary registration plate fee by \$1.00 to support the electronic temporary registration plate program.

LD 862 Resolve, to Honor Scarborough Veterans by Renaming the Pine Point Crossing Bridge the Scarborough Veterans Memorial Bridge

#### **ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Resolve 2025, chapter 17 directs the Department of Transportation to designate Bridge 5260 on Pine Point Road in the Town of Scarborough the Scarborough Veterans Memorial Bridge.

LD 1182 An Act to Grant the Rockland Port District an Increase in Its Borrowing Capacity and Include Sustainable Aquaculture and Marine Industries in Its Charter

#### **ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Private and Special Law 2025, chapter 4 raises the debt limit of the Rockland Port District from \$600,000 to \$6,000,000 and allows the district to purchase, maintain and operate facilities supporting sustainable aquaculture and marine industries.

LD 1186 Resolve, Directing the Department of Transportation to Study the Feasibility of Ferry Service to Monhegan Island

#### **ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Resolve 2025, chapter 97 directs the Department of Transportation to work with island and ferry service stakeholders to study the feasibility of adding ferry service to Monhegan Island. The study must include an assessment of the economic and social benefits and challenges of implementing ferry service, the infrastructure resources and needs on the island and mainland and the overall feasibility of such a service. The department must submit a report by December 3, 2025 to the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation, which is authorized to submit legislation to the Second Regular Session of the 132nd Legislature.