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COMMISSIONER OF  
FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION

OFFICE OF  
THE GOVERNOR

NO. 35 FY 74-75  
DATE December 20, 1974

AN ORDER AMENDING THE SYSTEM OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT  
DISTRICTS PREVIOUSLY ESTABLISHED

WHEREAS, it is the policy of this administration to encourage the development of a planning and development system in which Federal, State and local interests work together in proper planning for and development of the State as authorized by existing provisions of the law; and

WHEREAS, the Act Relating to Regional Planning and the Establishment of Regional Councils of Governments as codified in Title 30, Chapter 239, Sections 4501-4503, of the Maine Revised Statutes, authorizes the Governor to designate regional planning and development districts; and

WHEREAS, a system of planning and development districts was established by Executive Order dated January 26, 1972; and

WHEREAS, responsible public officials in the communities of Newport, Corinna, and Plymouth have indicated an interest in being in the Penobscot Planning and Development District rather than the Kennebec Planning and Development District as heretofore established; and

WHEREAS, the responsible officials in the communities of Cambridge and Ripley have expressed a willingness to be included in the Kennebec Planning and Development District rather than the Penobscot Planning and Development District as heretofore established; and

WHEREAS, the North Kennebec Regional Planning Commission, the Penobscot Valley Regional Planning Commission and the Director of the State Planning Office have concurred in such readjustments of boundaries;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Kenneth M. Curtis, Governor of the State of Maine, by virtue of the authority vested in me do hereby order and direct:

1. That the territorial jurisdiction of the Kennebec Planning and Development District, as heretofore established, be adjusted to include the towns of Cambridge and Ripley and to exclude the towns of Newport, Corinna, and Plymouth.

*For subsequent status, see  
AG binder for memorandum  
on Mar. 13, 1975.*

2. That the territorial jurisdiction of the Penobscot Planning and Development District, as heretofore established, be adjusted to include the towns of Newport, Corinna, and Plymouth and to exclude the towns of Cambridge and Ripley.

  
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KENNETH M. CURTIS