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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-FOUR

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**AN ACT to Provide for the Use of Building Code Standards in the Design  
of State Buildings.**

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

**R. S., T. 5, § 1742, sub-§ 6-A, additional.** Section 1742 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 6-A, to read as follows:

**6-A. Building code.** To adopt for design purposes for all public improvements one of the following published compilations of rules which has been prepared by the American Insurance Association, the Building Officials and Code Administrators International, the International Conference of Building Officials, the National Fire Protection Association or the Southern Building Code Congress, except that where an administrative unit has adopted one of the above codes, such code shall be used for the design of a school building in that administrative unit.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill provides for the adoption of an established building code by the Bureau of Public Improvements to be used for the design of public improvements.