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MAY M. ROSS, Secretary

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-EIGHT

**AN ACT to Exempt the Industrial Accident Commission from the Administrative  
Procedure Act.**

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

**Sec. 1.** 5 MRSA § 8002, sub-§ 2, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 551, § 3, is amended to read:

**2. Agency.** "Agency" means any body of State Government authorized by law to adopt rules, to issue licenses or to take final action in adjudicatory proceedings, including, but not limited to, every authority, board, bureau, commission, department or officer of the State Government so authorized; but the term shall not include the Legislature, Governor, courts, University of Maine, Maine Maritime Academy, school districts, special purpose districts or municipalities, counties or other political subdivisions of the State, or organizations listed in subchapter VIII.

**Sec. 2.** 5 MRSA c. 375, sub-c. VIII is enacted to read:

**SUBCHAPTER VIII**

**EXEMPT AGENCIES**

**§ 110051. Exemptions**

**The following agencies shall be exempt from the Maine Administrative Procedure Act:**

- 1. Industrial Accident Commission.**

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to exempt the Industrial Accident Commission from the Administrative Procedure Act.

This bill is a recommendation of the Joint Select Committee on Workmen's Compensation.