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H.P. 1539 House of Representatives, January 20, 1988 Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26. Reference to the Committee on Utilities suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk Presented by Representative PRIEST of Brunswick. Cosponsored by Senator KANY of Kennebec.

#### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT

1 2 3	AN ACT to Clarify Late Charges for Residential Dwelling Units.
<b>4</b> 5	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
6 7	<pre>14 MRSA §6028, first ¶, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 215, is amended to read:</pre>
8 9 10	A landlord may assess a penalty against a residential tenant for late payment of rent for a residential dwelling unit according to this section.

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### STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to clarify that a law that was enacted by the Legislature last session, which limited penalties a landlord may assess for the late payment of rent, was intended to apply only in the context of residential rents.

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