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House of Representatives, January 30, 1989

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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative McSWEENEY of Old Orchard Beach.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend the Real Estate Licensure Laws.

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

32 MRSA §13239, sub-§5, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 395, Pt. A, §212, is amended to read:

5. Applications processed. All license applications shall be processed according to the laws in effect on the date the application is received by the commission. License applications shall be processed according to former chapter 59 if the applicant has satisfactorily completed all-requirements-of the examination required by that chapter by July 1, 1988, and applies for that license prior to July 1, 1989, if that application is made within one year of the examination.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill is intended to change the transition provisions relating to the changes in real estate licensing. Under the provisions enacted during the second regular session, some individuals passed the examination and all other requirements for a real estate broker's license prior to the deadline date of June 30, 1988, but failed to meet other requirements, such as filing their application. In many instances, the failure to meet the deadline was because of unfortunate, uncontrollable reasons. This bill would allow these few persons to complete the application process.

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