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Submitted by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 24.

Reference to the Committee on Utilities suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Joy J. O'Brien'.

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator CARPENTER of York.

Cosponsored by Senator THERIAULT of Aroostook, Representative GREENLAW of Standish and Representative KILKELLY of Wiscasset.

STATE OF MAINE

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

**An Act to Change the Composition of the E-9-1-1 Advisory Committee and
the State Emergency Response Commission.**



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

3 Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §12004-G, sub-§13-A is enacted to read:

5 13-A. Environment/ State Emergency Not 22 MRSA
7 Natural Resources Response Com- Authorized §1696-H
mission

9 Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §1696-H, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1987, c.
11 763, §2, is amended to read:

13 1. Commission established. The State Emergency Response
15 Commission, as established by Title 5, section 12004, shall be
17 responsible for overseeing the implementation of a comprehensive
program of planning and training for effective emergency response
to releases of hazardous chemicals. The commission is composed
of ~~9 to 11~~ 10 to 12 members as follows:

19 A. The Commissioner of Environmental Protection or the
21 commissioner's designee;

23 B. The Commissioner of Human Services or the commissioner's
designee;

25 C. The Director of the Division of Disease Control,
27 Department of Human Services;

29 D. The Commissioner of Transportation or the commissioner's
designee;

31 E. The Director of the Maine Emergency Management Agency,
33 who shall serve as chair;

35 F. The Chief of the State Police;

37 G. A representative, appointed by the Governor, of the
Maine Fire Chiefs Association;

39 H. A representative, appointed by the Governor, of
41 municipal government; and

43 I. A representative, appointed by the Governor, of private
commerce and industry; and

45 J. A representative, appointed by the Governor, of the
47 Emergency Medical Services' Board.

49 The Governor may appoint up to 2 additional members to represent
the general public. All members appointed by the Governor to
serve on the commission shall serve for a term of 4 years.

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