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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative DUFFY of Bangor. Cosponsored by Representative GOULD of Greenville, Senator ERWIN of Oxford and Representative JACQUES of Waterville.

STATE OF MAINE

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

Resolve, to Study and Consolidate the Laws and Rules Regulating Campgrounds.

Sec. 1. Study of campground regulation. Resolved: That the Commissioner of Conservation shall undertake a study of all the laws and rules regulating campgrounds, with the goal of creating a bureau or division, within the Department of Conservation, which consolidates campground regulation. The commissioner shall develop proposed legislation to:

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Establish this bureau or division as the sole agency of
the State responsible for all regulation of campgrounds; and

11 2. Ensure that the regulation adequately differentiates between those campgrounds which are open and used year round and 13 those which are purely seasonal or targeted to the tourist industry; and be it further

Sec. 2. Report. Resolved: That the commissioner shall submit a report on this study, including any necessary implementing legislation, to the 114th Legislature by December 1, 1989.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

23 This resolve requires the Commissioner of Conservation to study campground regulation. The goals of this study are to 25 consolidate all campground regulation within one bureau and to adequately differentiate between year-round and seasonal 27 campgrounds in this regulation.

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