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## STATE OF MAINE SENATE 115TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1174, L.D. 1715, Bill, "An Act to Establish State Selective Purchasing Standards"

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Amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "**§1827.**" in subsection 1 by striking out all of paragraph A (page 2, lines 13 to 15 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'A. "Distribution agreement" includes any agreement by any person to provide commodities to any other person or organization that directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, resells, distributes or otherwise provides those commodities, with or without the logo of the provider.'

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated 28 "<u>§1827.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B in the first line (page 2, line 17 in L.D.) by inserting after the underlined word 30 "<u>means</u>" the following: '<u>any foreign or domestic person or</u> <u>organization</u>'

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated 34 "<u>§1827.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B in subparagraph (3) in the last line (page 2, line 34 in L.D.) by striking out the 36 following: "<u>and</u>"

38 Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "<u>\$1827.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B in subparagraph (4) in 40 the last line (page 2, line 39 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "<u>purpose.</u>" and inserting in its place the following: 42 '<u>purpose; or</u>'

44 Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated
"<u>\$1827.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B by inserting after
46 subparagraph (4) the following:

48 '(5) Having an agreement to distribute or sell, with or without the logo of the manufacturer, commodities
50 manufactured by a person or organization that is doing business with the Republic of South Africa.'

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Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "<u>§1827.</u>" in subsection 3 in paragraph C in the last line (page 4, line 22 in L.D.) by striking out "<u>supplies.</u>" and inserting in its place the following: '<u>supplies; or</u>'

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "<u>§1827.</u>" in subsection 3 by adding at the end the following:

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'D. The person or organization doing business with the Republic of South Africa adheres to and is a signatory to the Sullivan Principles with respect to its business with and operations in the Republic of South Africa.'

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated 16 "<u>\$1828.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B in subparagraph (1) in the last line (page 4, line 45 in L.D.) by inserting at the end 18 the following: 'and'

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "<u>§1828.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B by striking out all of subparagraph (2) (page 4, line 47 in L.D.)

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated
"<u>\$1828.</u>" in subsection 1 in paragraph B in subparagraph (3) in
the first line (page 2, line 49 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "(3)" and inserting in its place the following: '(2)'

## STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment removes the definition of "comparable low bid or offer" and deletes the requirement that the State Purchasing Agent update the list of companies doing business with the Republic of South Africa every 3 months. This amendment adds a definition of "distribution agreement" and expands the definition of "doing business with the Republic of South Africa."

The amendment also clarifies the prohibition on state 40 purchases from companies doing business in the Republic of South Africa, but exempts companies that adhere to or are signatories 42 to the Sullivan Principles.

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