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Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26. Reference to the Committee on Legal Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative TOWNSEND of Eastport.

#### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-TWO

Resolve, Authorizing David Boone to Bring a Civil Action against the Town of Princeton.



Authorization to sue the State. Resolved: That, notwithstanding any statute or common law to the contrary, David Boone of Eastport, who claims to have suffered damages as a result of being dismissed from the Maine Criminal Justice Academy, or his legal representative, is authorized to bring a civil action against the Town of Princeton, but not against individual past or present employees of the Town of Princeton.

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This action may be brought in the Washington County Superior Court within one year from the date this resolve is approved. Liability and damages, including punitive damages, must be determined according to state law as in litigation between individuals. The action may be heard by a Justice of the Superior Court or by a jury. The Maine Rules of Civil Procedure govern the conduct of the action. The Attorney General shall appear, answer and defend the action.

The Treasurer of State shall pay any judgment, including costs and interest, on final process issued by the Superior Court or, if applicable, the Supreme Judicial Court.

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#### STATEMENT OF FACT

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This resolve authorizes David Boone to sue the Town of Princeton for damages resulting from being dismissed from the Maine Criminal Justice Academy.

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