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Submitted by the Department of Corrections pursuant to Joint Rule 24.
Reference to the Committee on Aging, Retirement and Veterans suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

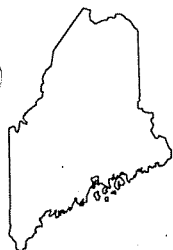
Presented by Senator WEBSTER of Franklin

Cosponsored by Representative CARROLL of Gray, Representative JALBERT of Lisbon and Representative OTT of York.

STATE OF MAINE

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

Resolve, to Provide a Special Exemption to the Maine State Prison Advocate for Service Retirement Benefits.



State retirement benefits of Advocate at the Maine State Prison.

2 **Resolved:** That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the
4 person employed as the Advocate at the Maine State Prison on the
6 date of transfer of and assignment to the Department of
8 Corrections, Office of Advocacy, who would have qualified for a
10 service retirement benefit had that employee remained within the
12 administrative responsibility of the Maine State Prison, may not
14 be denied such a benefit by virtue of the transfer of that
16 responsibility to the Office of Advocacy.

12 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

14 The employee in the position of Advocate at the Maine State
16 Prison has over 15 years of service at the Maine State Prison and
18 in its service retirement system. Under the present retirement
20 system, the employee is eligible to retire with 20 years of
service at age 50. Absent this resolve, this person's retirement
would be reduced because of the change in the administrative
reporting structure. This resolve ensures that that person's
retirement benefit is protected.