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An Act to Provide for Consistent Data Collection.

Submitted by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 24.

Received by the Secretary of the Senate on December 29, 1993. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance and 1200 ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 14.

JOY J. O'BRIEN Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator KIEFFER of Aroostook. Cosponsored by Senator: McCORMICK of Kennebec.

2 Sec. 1. 24-A MRSA §2384-B, sub-§10, as enacted by PL 1991, c. 885, Pt. B, §12 and affected by §13, is amended to read: 4 6 Claims covered. This section applies to all claims 10. occurring on or after January 1, 1989 except that subsection 2 does not apply to claims for injuries or illnesses occurring on 8 or after January 1, 1993; to all death, permanent total and major permanent partial claims occurring between January 1, 1987 and 10 December 31, 1988; and to a reasonable sample, as approved by the superintendent, of all other indemnity claims occurring between 12 January 1, 1987 and December 31, 1988. The superintendent may suspend the reporting requirements of specific items for periods

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

14 suspend the reporting requirements of specific items for periods when information that is to be obtained from the Workers' 16 Compensation Commission or Workers' Compensation Board is temporarily unavailable from those entities. For claims of 18 injuries or illnesses occurring on or after January 1, 1993, the superintendent shall adopt rules to establish the nature and 20 content of the data collection and reporting system.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires the Superintendent of Insurance to modify the data collection procedures and content to reflect recent law changes.

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34This document has not yet been reviewed to determine the
need for cross-reference, stylistic and other technical36amendments to conform existing law to current drafting standards.

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