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No. 254

H.P. 195

House of Representatives, January 27, 1995

**An Act to Ensure Coordination of State and Municipal Business
Attraction Efforts.**

Reference to the Committee on Business and Economic Development suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative TREAT of Gardiner.
Cosponsored by Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, BIRNEY of Paris, BUNKER of Kossuth Township, GOULD of Greenville, HEESCHEN of Wilton, KONTOS of Windham, LIBBY of Buxton, NASS of Acton, O'NEAL of Limestone, POULIOT of Lewiston, STEVENS of Orono, VIGUE of Winslow, Senators: PARADIS of Aroostook, PINGREE of Knox.

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

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Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §13061, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 534, Pt. A, §§17 and 19, is amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

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The Office of Business Development shall coordinate whenever possible its business attraction and development efforts with the efforts of local and regional economic development activities.

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Sec. 2. 5 MRSA §13062, sub-§2, ¶C is enacted to read:

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C. When a potential new business specifies a particular municipality in its request for information, the office shall notify that municipality and coordinate its activity with the municipality under consideration.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This bill specifies that the Office of Business Development coordinate its business attraction and information efforts with local municipalities.

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