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Resolve, to Require the Special Commission to Erect a Plaque in the Hall of Flags Honoring Medal of Honor Recipients from Maine to Submit 2 Reports and to Appoint Members by May 1, 1995.

(EMERGENCY)

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

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

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2 **Emergency preamble. Whereas,** Acts and resolves of the
Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after
adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

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6 **Whereas,** it is imperative that the members authorized to be
appointed by Resolve 1993, chapter 1 be appointed immediately; and

8 **Whereas,** the work authorized by Resolve 1993, chapter 1 must
be started and a report must be submitted by the commission by
10 September 1, 1995; and

12 **Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
14 Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
16 safety; now, therefore, be it

18 **Sec. 1. Resolve 1993, c. 1, §2; amended. Resolved:** That Resolve
1993, c. 1, §2 be amended to read:

20 **Sec. 2. Commission membership. Resolved:** That the commission
22 consists of 5 members: three members appointed by the Governor,
one member appointed by the President of the Senate and one
24 member appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
The members of the commission serve without pay or expenses. The
26 members must be appointed by May 1, 1995; and be it further

28 ; and be it further

30 **Sec. 2. Resolve 1993, c. 1, §4; amended. Resolved:** That Resolve
1993, c. 1, §4 be amended to read:

32 **Sec. 4. Funding. Resolved:** That the commission may seek
34 outside sources of funding. Expenditures may not be incurred
that have an impact on the General Fund; and be it further

36 ; and be it further

38 **Sec. 3. Resolve 1993, c. 1, §5; enacted. Resolved:** That Resolve
40 1993, c. 1, §5 be enacted to read:

42 **Sec. 5. Initial report; final report. Resolved:** That the commission
44 shall submit its initial report to the Executive Director of the
Legislative Council by September 1, 1995. A final report must be
46 submitted to the Executive Director of the Legislative Council by
October 30, 1995.

48 **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the
preamble, this resolve takes effect when approved.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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4 This resolve sets dates when the members of special
6 commission to erect a plaque in the Hall of Flags honoring Medal
 of Honor recipients from Maine must be appointed and when its
 initial and final reports to the Executive Director of the
 Legislative Council must be submitted.