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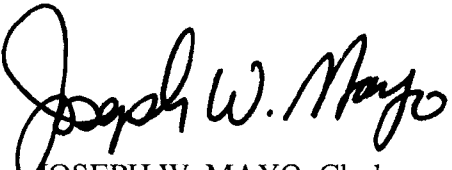
**Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 5: Standards for Continuing Professional Education for Acupuncturists and Naturopathic Doctors; Chapter 6: Standards Relating to Prescriptive Authorities and Collaborative Relationships; and Chapter 9: Fees, Section 1, Major Substantive Rules of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation.**

(EMERGENCY)

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Submitted by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 8072.

Received by the Clerk of the House on December 21, 1998. Referred to the Committee on Business and Economic Development pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401.

  
JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

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, the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, Title 5,  
chapter 375, subchapter II-A requires legislative authorization  
before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by  
8 the agency; and

10       Whereas, the above named major substantive rules have been  
submitted to the Legislature for review; and

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14       Whereas, immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to  
record the Legislature's position on final adoption of the rules;  
and

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

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24       **Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved:** That final adoption of Chapter 5:  
Standards for Continuing Professional Education for  
Acupuncturists and Naturopathic Doctors; Chapter 6: Standards  
26 Relating to Prescriptive Authorities and Collaborative  
Relationships; and Chapter 9: Fees, Section 1, provisionally  
28 adopted major substantive rules of the Department of Professional  
and Financial Regulation, and submitted to the Legislature for  
30 review pursuant to the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, is  
authorized.

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

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## SUMMARY

40       This resolve provides for legislative review of Chapter 5:  
Standards for Continuing Professional Education for  
Acupuncturists and Naturopathic Doctors; Chapter 6: Standards  
42 Relating to Prescriptive Authorities and Collaborative  
Relationships; and Chapter 9: Fees, Section 1, major substantive  
44 rules of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation.