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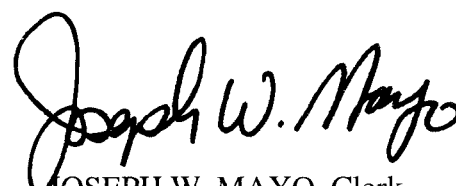
H.P. 1478

House of Representatives, March 30, 1999

**Resolve, to Establish the Study Commission to Create and Submit a  
Master Plan for the Future Use of the Existing Land and Buildings at the  
Maine Youth Center.**

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Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice suggested and ordered printed.

  
JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative QUINT of Portland.  
Cosponsored by Senator RAND of Cumberland and  
Representatives: BERRY of Livermore, DAVIDSON of Brunswick, McALEVEY of  
Waterboro, MUSE of South Portland, THOMPSON of Naples, TOWNSEND of Portland,  
Senators: PARADIS of Aroostook, PINGREE of Knox.

2           **Sec. 1. Study commission established. Resolved:** That the Study  
Commission to Create and Submit a Master Plan for the Future Use  
4 of the Existing Land and Buildings at the Maine Youth Center,  
referred to in this resolve as the "commission," is established;  
and be it further

6           **Sec. 2. Members. Resolved:** That the commission is composed  
8 of 15 members as follows:

10           1. Six members appointed by the Governor;

12           2. Three members of the House of Representatives, one from  
the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice, one from the  
14 Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services and one  
from the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural  
16 Affairs, appointed by the Speaker of the House;

18           3. Two members of the Senate, one from the Joint Standing  
Committee on Criminal Justice and one from the Joint Standing  
20 Committee on Health and Human Services, appointed by the  
President of the Senate;

22           4. The Commissioner of Administrative and Financial  
24 Services or the commissioner's designee;

26           5. The Commissioner of Corrections or the commissioner's  
designee;

28           6. The Commissioner of Human Services or the commissioner's  
30 designee; and

32           7. The Commissioner of Mental Health, Mental Retardation  
and Substance Abuse Services or the commissioner's designee; and  
34 be it further

36           **Sec. 3. Duties of commission. Resolved:** That the commission  
shall study the future use of the existing land and buildings at  
38 the Maine Youth Center and create a master plan for their use;  
and be it further

40           **Sec. 4. Appointments; meetings. Resolved:** That all  
42 appointments must be made no later than 30 days from the  
effective date of this resolve. Within 15 days after all members  
44 have been appointed, the commission shall meet at a time and  
place the Governor designates to elect a chair. The commission  
46 may meet as often as necessary at the call of the chair; and be  
it further

48           **Sec. 5. Staffing. Resolved:** That the Department of Corrections  
50 shall provide staff assistance to the commission; and be it  
further

2           **Sec. 6. Reporting date established. Resolved:** That the  
commission shall report its findings, including the master plan,  
4 to the Second Regular Session of the 119th Legislature by January  
15, 2000.

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### SUMMARY

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This resolve creates the Study Commission to Create and  
Submit a Master Plan for the Future Use of the Existing Land and  
Buildings at the Maine Youth Center.

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