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H.P. 279

House of Representatives, January 30, 2001

An Act to Protect the State's Heating Oil Consumers.

Reference to the Committee on Utilities and Energy suggested and ordered printed.

Millicent M. MacFarland

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative GLYNN of South Portland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BERRY of Belmont, KASPRZAK of Newport.

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

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**CONCEPT DRAFT
SUMMARY**

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8 This is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208. This
bill proposes to study how the Legislature could establish an
energy policy in the State that would protect consumers from the
10 increasing costs of heating fuel. The Legislature shall work
with the Finance Authority of Maine to develop a program that
12 would offer low-interest loans or no-interest loans to fuel
companies so that fuel companies could pass any savings on to
14 the consumers.