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An Act to Require the Adoption of the 2000 International Plumbing Code.

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

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative TOBIN of Windham. Cosponsored by Senator TURNER of Cumberland.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: 2 Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §3403-B, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1997, c. 4 727, Pt. C, \S 9, is amended to read: §3403-B. Plumbing code 6 Plumbing and plumbing code. The board shall adopt 8 1. minimum rules relating to plumbing, including a plumbing code. 10 All rules, including installation and inspection rules, must be consistent with this chapter and Title 30-A, chapter 185, 12 subchapter III, except that the authority of municipalities to adopt more restrictive ordinances under Title 30-A, section 3001 14 is not preempted. Rules adopted pursuant to this section are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, 16 subchapter II-A. By October 1, 2001, the board shall adopt the 2000 International Plumbing Code, developed by the International Code Council, as the State's plumbing code. 18 20 **SUMMARY** 22 This bill requires the Plumbers' Examining Board to adopt 24 the 2000 International Plumbing Code as the State's plumbing code.