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House of Representatives, December 3, 2001

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**An Act to Amend the Uniform Commercial Code, Article 9-A.**

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Submitted by the Secretary of State pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

Received by the Clerk of the House on November 29, 2001. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401.

*Millicent M. MacFarland*

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative LaVERDIERE of Wilton.  
Cosponsored by Senator RAND of Cumberland.

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

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**Sec. 1. 11 MRSA §9-1525, sub-§(1), ¶(b)**, as amended by PL 2001, c. 286, §11, is further amended to read:

(b) Thirty dollars if the record is communicated in writing and consists of more than 2 pages; and

**Sec. 2. 11 MRSA §9-1525, sub-§(1), ¶(c)**, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 699, Pt. A, §2 and affected by §4, is amended to read:

(c) Ten dollars if the record is communicated by another medium authorized by filing-office rule; and

**Sec. 3. 11 MRSA §9-1525, sub-§(1), ¶(d)** is enacted to read:

(d) Three dollars if the record is a termination statement as described in section 9-1513 and is communicated by another medium authorized by filing-office rule.

**Sec. 4. 11 MRSA §9-1525, sub-§(2), ¶(a)**, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 699, Pt. A, §2 and affected by §4, is amended to read:

(a) Sixty dollars if the financing statement indicates that it is filed in connection with a public-finance transaction and if the record is communicated in writing. Thirty dollars if the record is communicated by another medium authorized by filing-office rule; and

**Sec. 5. 11 MRSA §9-1525, sub-§(2), ¶(b)**, as amended by PL 2001, c. 286, §12, is further amended to read:

(b) Forty dollars if the financing statement indicates that it is filed in connection with a manufactured-home transaction and if the record is communicated in writing. Twenty dollars if the record is communicated by another medium authorized by filing-office rule.

**SUMMARY**

This bill establishes new, lower fees for communicating certain records under the Uniform Commercial Code by an authorized method other than writing, such as transmitting electronically.