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H.P. 1439

House of Representatives, December 20, 2001

**An Act to Regulate Lead Smart Renovators and Lead Sampling
Technicians.**

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Received by the Clerk of the House on December 17, 2001. Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401.

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative DUPLESSIE of Westbrook.

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

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Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §1293, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1997, c. 375, §14, is amended to read:

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1. Certification and licensing. The board shall adopt and amend rules necessary to govern the licensing of business or public entities, including, but not limited to, lead abatement contractors, so-called "lead smart renovators" and in-house lead abatement units, the accreditation of lead training providers and the certification of lead abatement professionals.

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Sec. 2. Training requirements. The Department of Environmental Protection shall increase the training requirements for lead smart renovators and lead sampling technicians from 6 hours and 8 hours respectively to 14 hours.

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SUMMARY

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This bill increases the training requirements for lead smart renovators and lead sampling technicians from 6 hours and 8 hours respectively to 14 hours. The bill also requires that lead smart renovators be registered and licensed by the Department of Environmental Protection.

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