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House of Representatives, January 23, 2003

An Act to Elevate the Standards of Foster Parenting in the State

Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

Millicent M. MacFarland
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND
Clerk

Presented by Representative LAVERRIERE-BOUCHER of Biddeford.
Cosponsored by Senator BRYANT of Oxford and
Representatives: MARRACHÉ of Waterville, PERCY of Phippsburg, SULLIVAN of
Biddeford.

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

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**CONCEPT DRAFT
SUMMARY**

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This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208.

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10 The purpose of this bill is to create a vehicle for foster
parents to have a voice in decisions made by the Department of
Human Services concerning them as foster parents in the State.
12 This bill proposes to elevate the standards of foster parenting
in the State.