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House of Representatives, April 10, 2003

An Act To Reapportion the Districts for Representatives to the United States Congress

Submitted by the Apportionment Commission pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 21-A, section 1206.

Millicent M. MacFarland
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND
Clerk

Presented by Representative DUNLAP of Old Town.

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

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Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §1205, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 628, §2,
4 is repealed.

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Sec. 2. Apportionment of congressional districts; legislative intent.

8 The State is divided into 2 districts for the election of
Representatives to the United States Congress, with one
10 Representative elected from each of the districts established in
the plan for the apportionment of the congressional districts
submitted by a majority of the apportionment commission to the
12 Clerk of the House on April 3, 2003. Notwithstanding the Maine
Revised Statutes, Title 21-A, the Legislature intends by the
14 passage of this Act to implement the plan establishing the
districts and to make the apportionment as described in Appendix
16 A of this Act.

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SUMMARY

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This bill repeals the current statutory congressional districts and enacts the districts to the United States Congress as described in the report submitted by a majority of the apportionment commission to the Clerk of the House.

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APPENDIX A OF LR 2084

Plan: USHOUSE
 Plan Type: Congress
 Administrator: Majority Report
 User:

Plan Components Report

| | Population |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| District 1 | |
| Cumberland County | 265,612 |
| Kennebec County | |
| MCD: Augusta | 18,560 |
| MCD: Belgrade | 2,978 |
| MCD: Chelsea | 2,559 |
| MCD: Farmingdale | 2,804 |
| MCD: Fayette | 1,040 |
| MCD: Gardiner | 6,198 |
| MCD: Hallowell | 2,467 |
| MCD: Litchfield | 3,110 |
| MCD: Manchester | 2,465 |
| MCD: Mount Vernon | 1,524 |
| MCD: Pittston | 2,548 |
| MCD: Randolph | 1,911 |
| MCD: Readfield | 2,360 |
| MCD: Rome | 980 |
| MCD: Sidney | 3,514 |
| MCD: Vassalboro | 4,047 |
| MCD: Wayne | 1,112 |
| MCD: West Gardiner | 2,902 |
| MCD: Windsor | 2,204 |
| MCD: Winthrop | 6,232 |
| Kennebec County Subtotal | 71,515 |
| Knox County | 39,618 |
| Lincoln County | 33,616 |
| Sagadahoc County | 35,214 |
| Waldo County | |
| MCD: Belmont | 821 |
| MCD: Liberty | 927 |
| MCD: Montville | 1,002 |
| MCD: Palermo | 1,220 |
| MCD: Searsmont | 1,174 |
| Waldo County Subtotal | 5,144 |
| York County | 186,742 |
| District 1 Subtotal | 637,461 |
| District 2 | |
| Androscoggin County | 103,793 |
| Aroostook County | 73,938 |
| Franklin County | 29,467 |
| Hancock County | 51,791 |
| Kennebec County | |
| MCD: Albion | 1,946 |
| MCD: Benton | 2,557 |
| MCD: China | 4,106 |
| MCD: Clinton | 3,340 |
| MCD: Monmouth | 3,785 |

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| MCD: Oakland | 5,959 |
| MCD: Unity (2301178190) | 31 |
| MCD: Vienna | 527 |
| MCD: Waterville | 15,605 |
| MCD: Winslow | 7,743 |
| Kennebec County Subtotal | 45,599 |
| Oxford County | 54,755 |
| Penobscot County | 144,919 |
| Piscataquis County | 17,235 |
| Somerset County | 50,888 |
| Waldo County | |
| MCD: Belfast | 6,381 |
| MCD: Brooks | 1,022 |
| MCD: Burnham | 1,142 |
| MCD: Frankfort | 1,041 |
| MCD: Freedom | 645 |
| MCD: Islesboro | 603 |
| MCD: Jackson | 506 |
| MCD: Knox | 747 |
| MCD: Lincolnville | 2,042 |
| MCD: Monroe | 882 |
| MCD: Morrill | 774 |
| MCD: Northport | 1,331 |
| MCD: Prospect | 642 |
| MCD: Searsport | 2,641 |
| MCD: Stockton Springs | 1,481 |
| MCD: Swanville | 1,357 |
| MCD: Thorndike | 712 |
| MCD: Troy | 963 |
| MCD: Unity | 1,889 |
| MCD: Waldo | 733 |
| MCD: Winterport | 3,602 |
| Waldo County Subtotal | 31,136 |
| Washington County | 33,941 |
| District 2 Subtotal | 637,462 |
| State totals | 1,274,923 |