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Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 113: Rules and Regulations Governing the Licensing and Functioning of Assisted House Programs, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Human Services, Bureau of Elder and Adult Services

(EMERGENCY)

Reported by Representative KANE of Saco for the Department of Human Services pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 8072.

Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed under Joint Rule 218.

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Clerk

2	Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts and resolves of the
2	Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and
4	Whereas, the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375,
6	subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by the agency; and
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10	Whereas, the above-named major substantive rule has been submitted to the Legislature for review; and
12 14	Whereas, immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to record the Legislature's position on final adoption of the rule; and
16	Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
18	Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
20	safety; now, therefore, be it
22	Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved: That final adoption of Chapter 113: Rules and Regulations Governing the Licensing and
24	Functioning of Assisted House Programs, a provisionally adopted major substantive rule of the Department of Human Services,
26	Bureau of Elder and Adult Services that has been submitted to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes,
28	Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized.
30	Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve takes effect when approved.
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34	SUMMARY
36	This resolve provides for legislative review of Chapter
38	113: Rules and Regulations Governing the Licensing and Functioning of Assisted House Programs, a major substantive rule of the Department of Human Services, Bureau of Elder and Adult

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