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Resolve, Authorizing the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services To Place under Option or Right of First Refusal Certain Property along State Street, Augusta, Maine

Submitted by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative LERMAN of Augusta.

Sec. 1. Authority to option. Resolved: That the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services may place under option or 2 right of first refusal certain property designated Tax Map Parcel 4 33-115, located along State Street, City of Augusta, in the County of Kennebec, and State of Maine; and be it further 6 Sec. 2. Purpose. Resolved: That the authority is conferred 8 under section 1 for the purposes of implementing the Augusta State Facilities Master Plan and creating a suitable gateway into the State's capital facilities; and be it further 10 Sec. 3. 12 Appraisal. **Resolved:** That the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services may negotiate the terms of the option or right of first refusal. If the property is placed 14 on the market for sale, the commissioner shall request authority and funding from the Legislature to accomplish the purchase and 16 may make the purchase only if the Legislature authorizes and funds the purchase; and be it further 18 That this resolve is repealed 5 Sec. 4. **Repeal.** Resolved: 20 years from its effective date. 22 **SUMMARY** 24 26 This resolve authorizes the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services to place under option or right of first refusal Tax Map Parcel 33-115 along State Street in Augusta, 28 Maine. This parcel is essential to implementation of the Augusta State Facilities Master Plan that seeks to create a suitable 30 gateway into the State's capital facilities. The property will 32 be purchased only if the purchase is authorized and funded by the Legislature.