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House of Representatives, February 8, 2005

An Act To Protect Maine's Natural Resources for Maine Residents

Reference to the Committee on Natural Resources suggested and ordered printed.

Millicent M. MacFarland
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND
Clerk

Presented by Representative DUPLESSIE of Westbrook.

2 **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 This bill proposes to enact a law to establish a procedure
12 to provide the State with severance fees on natural resources
14 that are extracted from the State. The proposed law would be
similar to laws in other states whereby a state that has oil and
minerals extracted from its natural resources base receives
severance fees.