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Resolve, To Require the Department of Transportation To Use Adjustable Warning Signs

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

JOY J. O'BRIEN Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator SNOWE-MELLO of Androscoggin. Cosponsored by Senator: DOW of Lincoln, Representatives: CEBRA of Naples, HAMPER of Oxford, LANSLEY of Sabattus. Sec. 1. Use of adjustable warning signs. Resolved: That the

Department of Transportation shall use adjustable traffic warning signs. The signs, which must comply with the department's standards for "STOP" or "SLOW" signs, must be used at all Department of Transportation road construction sites in the interest of road safety. The signs must allow a worker to switch warning messages to "SLOW" or "STOP" as required by the situation at the site.

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SUMMARY

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This resolve directs the Department of Transportation to institute the use of adjustable warning signs that have changeable messages of "SLOW" and "STOP" at road construction sites.